

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1586
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2016

Production of Automobiles

1586. SHRI P. NAGARAJAN:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the production of Automobiles have increased during the last three years in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any proposal to enforce strict green norms in Automobile Industries; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

(a) & (b) :Yes Madam, the production of Automobiles have increased during the last three years in the country. As per the information provided by Society of Indian Automobiles Manufacturers (SIAM), the detail of the Automobiles production in the last three years is as under:

Automobile Production

(In Numbers)

Category	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16
Total Passenger Vehicles	3,087,973	3,221,419	3,413,859
Total Commercial Vehicles	699,035	698,298	782,814
Total Two Wheelers	16,883,049	18,489,311	18,829,786
Three Wheelers	830,108	949,019	933,950
Grand Total	21,500,165	23,358,047	23,960,409

(c) & (d): Yes, Madam. It has been decided to enforce stricter BS VI emission norms from April 2020 and skipping BS V emission norms. The draft notification has already been issued by the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways vide GSR 187(E) dated 19th February, 2016 in this connection. Further, BS IV emission norms would be introduced across the country in a phased manner and would be applicable across the country from 1st April, 2017.
