# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES LOK SABHA

### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2322**

ANSWERED ON 03.12.2019

#### **ELECTRIC VEHICLES**

#### 2322. SHRI D.K. SURESH:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES भारी उद्योग एवं लोक उदयम मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to encourage Electric Powered Car and Scooter manufacturing in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether it is true that there is a huge demand for e-Cars and e-Scooters in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has set any target to manufacture e-Scooters in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the total number of Electric Cars and e-Scooters expected to arrive in the market; and
- (e) whether the Government has set up any timeframe to open up the market for e-Cars and e-Scooters on a large scale and if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

## THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

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- (a) & (b): Yes, Sir. Department of Heavy Industry (DHI) has formulated a Scheme namely "Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of Electric (&Hybrid) Vehicles in India" wherein one million e-2W and 55000 e-4W is expected to be supported within next three years by way of extending demand incentive to the buyers of e-2W and e-4W.
- (c) to (e): No such proposal is under consideration in Department of Heavy Industry.

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