

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 396
ANSWERED ON 28.03.2023

JOBS IN AUTOMOBILE SECTOR

***396. SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:
SHRI RAVI KISHAN:**

Will the Minister of **HEAVY INDUSTRIES** भारी उद्योग मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details and the number of jobs created in automobile sector in the country during the last three years;
- (b) the number of jobs likely to be created in this sector during the next three years; and
- (c) the measures being proposed by the Government to promote the automobile sector?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES
(DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY)**

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 396 FOR 28.03.2023 ASKED BY SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA & SHRI RAVI KISHAN REGARDING “JOBS IN AUTOMOBILE SECTOR”.

(a) & (b): This data is not maintained by the Ministry of Heavy Industries. However, as per the information received from *Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM)*, the automobile sector provided 2.83 crore jobs (direct & indirect) in 2018-19 and 3.07 crore jobs (direct & indirect) in 2019-20. However, for the year 2020-21 no data is available with SIAM due to COVID-19 pandemic.

As far as number of jobs likely to be created in this sector during next 3 years is concerned, SIAM has informed that this data depends upon multiple factors including market trends, economy, technology evolution etc., for which specific studies have not been undertaken.

Ministry of Heavy Industries is administering Production Linked Incentive Scheme for Automobile and Auto Component which is estimated to generate employment of over 7.5 lakh jobs (direct and indirect) over 5 years period (FY 2022-23 to FY 2026-27).

(c): To promote the automobile sector, this Ministry is implementing the following three schemes:

(i) The Government has launched the Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of Electric Vehicles in India (FAME India) Scheme in 2015 and presently, Phase-II of FAME India Scheme is being implemented for a period of 5 years w.e.f. 01st April, 2019 with a total budgetary support of Rs. 10,000 crores. This phase of FAME II focuses on supporting electrification of public and shared transportation through subsidies to 7,090 e-buses, 5 lakh e-3 wheelers, 55,000 e-4 wheeler passenger cars and 10 lakh e-2 wheelers. The details of the scheme may be seen at <http://fame2.heavyindustries.gov.in/index.aspx>.

(ii) The Government on 12th May, 2021 approved Production Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme for manufacturing Advanced Chemistry Cells (ACC) in order to promote their manufacturing in the country. The budgetary outlay of the scheme is Rs.18,100 crores. The scheme envisages to establish a cumulative ACC battery manufacturing capacity of 50 GWh. The details of the scheme may be seen at <https://heavyindustries.gov.in/UserView/index?mid=2487>.

(iii) Automobile industry is also incentivized under Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Automobile and Auto Components, which was approved on 15th September, 2021 with a budgetary outlay of Rs.25,938 crores for a period of 5 years. The details of the PLI Auto scheme may be seen at the MHI website <https://heavyindustries.gov.in/UserView/index?mid=2482>.
