GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5361 ANSWERED ON 05.04.2022

CAR MANUFACTURING COMPANIES

5361. SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI:

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

- (a) the details and the number of car manufacturing companies shut down in India from March 2020 to January 2022;
- (b) whether the Government has assessed the reasons for their shut down and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the incentives provided by the Government to retain car manufacturers in India?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES (SHRI KRISHAN PAL GURJAR)

- (a): As per information received from Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM), no car manufacturing company has completely shut down its operations in India, for the said period. However, in September 2021, Ford India announced that they would cease manufacturing vehicles for sale in India while manufacturing of vehicles for exports will wind down at Sanand Vehicle assembly plant by 4th Quarter of 2021, and Chennai engine and vehicle assembly plants by 2nd Quarter of 2022.
- **(b & (c):** Does not arise.
