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Respected Sir,

With reference to D.O. letter No.502/1/2/2014-CA-V dated 5th August, 2014 of Cabinet Secretary, the following significant activities in the Ministry of Heavy Industries (MHI) for the month of July, 2024 are highlighted:

- 1. MHI along with Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM) organized 'Charging Ahead Empowering an EV-Ready Workforce' workshop on 17th July 2024. Hon'ble Minister (HI & Steel), Shri H D Kumaraswamy presided over the event. The workshop focused on the importance of preparing a skilled workforce for the growing electric vehicle industry. Participants were encouraged to contribute to the transition towards cleaner energy solutions aligning with the nation's long-term sustainability objectives. Hon'ble Minister reaffirmed India's commitment to achieve Net Zero 2070 Vision as articulated by Hon'ble Prime Minister.
- 2. The Engineering Exports Promotion Council (EEPC) India and MHI organized a 'Capacity-building Session' on 19th July, 2024 focusing on business growth and optimized procurement for automotive and non-automotive industries. The event aimed to foster the development of the engineering MSME sector and was attended by more than 100 MSME stakeholders.
- 3. Under PLI-Auto Scheme, DVA Certificates have been issued to Bajaj Auto Limited, Mahindra & Mahindra Limited and Sona BLW Precision Forgings Limited during the month. An Inter-Ministerial Consultation (IMC) was held on 3rd July, 2024 and a virtual workshop on 24th July, 2024 leading to issuance of SOP for Verification of Incentive Claim on 25th July, 2024.
- 4. Under PLI-ACC Scheme, MHI conducted the 9th quarterly review/workshop with beneficiary firms including a physical meeting with Reliance New Energy on 18th July, 2024 for already allocated 30 GWh capacity. For 10 GWh PLI-ACC RFP, the technical score was evaluated on 30th July, 2024. The financial bid opening is scheduled for 2nd August, 2024.
- 5. Under the Electric Mobility Promotion Scheme (EMPS) 2024, a cumulative of 34 OEMs (147 models) have been registered under e-2w and e-3w segments. Claims for incentives of Rs.133.37 Cr. have been received during the month. The Scheme has been extended by two months upto 30th September, 2024 with a revised outlay of Rs.778 Cr.
- 6. Issue of GST Concession Certificate is one of the important services provided by MHI under its Citizen's Charter. In July 2024, a total of 441 GST concession certificates have been issued.

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7. BHEL has secured a pilot project for demonstration of Methanol Firing in Gas Turbine at Kayamkulam from NTPC Ltd. This demonstration pilot project will help in exploration of alternate fuel options for utilization in existing gas assets which can facilitate RE integration and reduce emissions.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

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