GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3844

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BENEFITS OF PLI SCHEME IN MAHARASHTRA

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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has given benefit to any unit in Bhiwandi of Maharashtra under the Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme;
- (b) the criteria fixed for selection of companies to give benefits under the said scheme;
- (c) the number of jobs created so far under the said scheme along with the impact thereof in the industrial areas of Maharashtra including the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES (SHRI BHUPATHIRAJU SRINIVASA VARMA)

- (a): Ministry of Heavy Industries administers Production Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Automobile and Auto Component Industry in India (PLI-Auto) and PLI Scheme for National Programme on Advanced Chemistry Cell (ACC) Battery Storage. The PLI schemes are applicable on Pan-India basis, including Bhiwandi, Maharashtra. No benefit has been extended to any unit in Bhiwandi, Maharashtra under abovementioned schemes.
- (b): Beneficiaries were selected under PLI ACC scheme by inviting bids through global tender. Thereafter, the bids were evaluated based on the Quality & Cost Based Selection (QCBS) mechanism and the bidders are ranked on the basis of their combined technical and financial scores.

The basic eligibility criteria for PLI-Auto scheme is as below;

i. For company or its Group company (ies) with existing presence in India or globally in the automotive vehicle and components manufacturing business is as follows:

Eligibility Criteria	Auto OEM	Auto-Component
Global group revenue (from automotive and/or auto component manufacturing)	Minimum ₹10,000 crore.	Minimum ₹500 crore.
Investment	Global Investment of Company or its Group Company (ies) in fixed assets (gross block) of ₹3,000 crore.	1 1 7

Above eligibility criteria to be met based on audited financial statements for year ending 31.03.2021.

ii. For new non-automotive investor company or its Group company (ies):

Eligibility Criteria	New non-automotive investor company or its Group company(ies)
Global net worth	₹1000 crore based on audited financial statements for year
	ending 31.03.2021.
Committed investment in	As per Minimum New Domestic Investment Conditions
India over five year period	mentioned in para $-4.1(c)$ of the scheme guidelines notified
	on 23.09.2021.

(c) & (d): As on 31.03.2025, employment of 17,533 nos. is generated under abovementioned schemes in state of Maharashtra.
