

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 859
ANSWERED ON 10.02.2020

SCHEME FOR HEAVY ELECTRIC CARGO VEHICLE UNDER FAME

859. SHRI ARUN SINGH:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has any scheme for heavy electric cargo vehicles like truck, etc. under the Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of (Hybrid &) Electric Vehicles in India (FAME) scheme; and

(b) if so, whether any study has been undertaken regarding its electronic viability as this step can bring a revolutionary change, as a decrease in transport cost of product will reduce the production cost and products will be famous for use of ecofriendly techniques?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): No, Sir. Under Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of (Hybrid &) and Electric Vehicles (FAME) in India scheme Phase-II, Electric Heavy Commercial Vehicles used for cargo has not been covered. However, Electric Light Commercial vehicles of N 1 Category which are used for the carriage of goods and having a maximum mass not exceeding 3.5 tonnes are covered under the Scheme.
