## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2166 ANSWERED ON 13.12.2024

## LAUNCH OF FAME-III

2166. SHRI NARESH BANSAL: SHRI MAYANKBHAI JAYDEVBHAI NAYAK:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

whether Government is planning to launch the third phase of Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of Hybrid and Electric Vehicles (FAME-III) scheme to meet the need and demand for electric vehicles?

## **ANSWER**

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

No. However, the Ministry of Heavy Industries has notified PM Electric Drive Revolution in Innovative Vehicle Enhancement (PM E-DRIVE) Scheme on 29.09.2024 for promotion of electric mobility and to reduce dependence of fossil fuels in the country. The scheme has an outlay of Rs.10,900 crore over a period of two years from 01.04.2024 to 31.03.2026. The Electric Mobility Promotion Scheme (EMPS) 2024 implemented for the period of 06 months, from 01.04.2024 to 30.09.2024, is subsumed in PM E-DRIVE Scheme. PM E-DRIVE scheme aims to incentivise sale of e-2W, e-3W, e-Trucks, e-Ambulances, and e-buses. The scheme also supports development of charging infrastructure and upgradation of vehicle testing agencies.

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