

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3928
ANSWERED ON 04.04.2025

SUBSIDY AND TAXES ON ELECTRIC VEHICLES

3928. SMT. SAGARIKA GHOSE:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of electric vehicles Government is proposing to be on road till 2047;
- (b) whether subsidy will be provided for hybrid cars;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether tax on car sales will be decreased to bring respite to citizens wishing to buy Automobiles ?

ANSWER

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

(a): The Central Government has not set a specific target for the number of electric vehicles (EVs) on the road by 2047.

(b) & (c): There is no proposal to provide subsidy for hybrid cars.

(d): As per information received from Ministry of Finance, the GST rates are based on the recommendations of the GST Council, which is a constitutional body comprising of members from the Union and State Governments. Presently, the Council has not recommended any reduction on the GST applicable on vehicles.
