GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2206

TO BE ANSWERED ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 07, 2025

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2206. SHRI YERRAM VENKATA SUBBA REDDY:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that 15 lakh public and commercial vehicles have been targeted tracking in real-time with Navigation with Indian Constellation;
- (b) if so, the number of models developed and certified and the number of vehicles fitted with the devices;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that 7 satellites have been put in orbit, but some of them are not functioning;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor; and
- (e) by when NVS-03, NVS-04 and NVS-05 are going to be set in the orbit?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) Yes.
- (b) As per Vahan dashboard website 153 certified models are available and 19.6 lakh vehicles are fitted with vehicle tracking.
- (c) & (d)
 - As of now 11 satellites have been put in orbit. At present four Satellites are providing PNT services, four satellites are being used for one way message broadcast, one satellite got decommissioned after its end-of-life service.
- (e) NVS-03 is planned to be launched by end of 2025. Subsequently, with a gap of six months, NVS-04 & NVS-05 are planned to be launched.