

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1442
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2017

Electric Buses

1442. SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to build electric buses for battling pollution in the metro cities of the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the number of electric buses manufactured by the public sector companies during the last three years in the country, company-wise;
- (c) whether the Government is considering to give certain exemptions to augment the hybrid / electric bus manufacturing in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND
PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)**

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Nil. No Public Sector Undertaking is manufacturing electric bus.

(c) & (d): Under FAME India Scheme of the Government, demand incentive is being extended for the hybrid buses as per details given in Table 5 and Table 6 under Annexure 13 of the Scheme, which is available at Department of Heavy Industry's website [www.dhi.nic.in].
