GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2682 ANSWERED ON 14.12.2021

MANUFACTURING OF AUTOMOBILE COMPONENTS

2682. SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY: SHRI MAGUNTA SREENIVASULU REDDY:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES भारी उद्योग मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that manufacturing of automobile components is one of the largest industries of Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is contemplating to set up an automotive testing and certification centre like National Automotive Test Tracks (NATRAX) in Andhra Pradesh; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEAVY INDUSTRIES (SHRI KRISHAN PAL GURJAR)

- (a) & (b): As per information received from Automotive Components Manufacturers Association (ACMA), the Automobile and Auto Components Industry has a substantial presence in Andhra Pradesh with more than 100 auto-component manufacturing units.
- (c) & (d): No sir, at present there is no proposal for setting up an automotive testing & certification centre in Andhra Pradesh. There are presently four testing centres which are catering to the demand of testing, homologation and certification for Auto sector in India.
