

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 295
ANSWERED ON 04.02.2025

ELECTRIC BUSES IN DELHI

†295. **SHRI RAMVIR SINGH BIDHURI:**

Will the Minister of **HEAVY INDUSTRIES** be pleased to state:

(a) the number of buses provided to Delhi by the Government under the FAME scheme to promote electric buses along with the funds spent by the Union Government on the said buses; and

(b) the number of more buses to be provided to Delhi under the said scheme and the time by which the said buses are likely to be given?

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

(a): The buses delivered in Delhi under FAME-II as on 27.01.2025 is as under:

Particulars	Buses allotted	Buses Delivered	Fund Allocated (Rs. in crore)	Fund released (Rs. in crore)
(a) STU – OPEX (Expression of Interest (EOI))	400	400	210.00	158.12
(b) Under Aggregation model of CESL	921	921	416.82	83.36
Total (a+b)	1321	1321	626.82	241.48

(b): As FAME-II scheme has ended on 31.03.2024; hence, there will not be any new allotment of buses for subsidy. However, the PM E-DRIVE scheme of the Ministry of Heavy Industry launched on 01.10.2024, has allocated Rs.4,391 crore for the procurement of 14,028 electric buses (e-buses) by State Transport Undertakings (STUs) and public transport agencies, primarily of nine cities with over 40 lakh population, i.e. Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai, Ahmedabad, Surat, Bangalore, Pune, and Hyderabad.
