# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 250** ANSWERED ON 22.07.2025

## SCHEME TO PROMOTE MANUFACTURING OF ELECTRIC PASSENGER CARS **IN INDIA**

**250.** SHRI CHAMALA KIRAN KUMAR REDDY: SMT. D K ARUNA: SHRI EATALA RAJENDER:

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

- (a) whether the Government has opened an online portal for global and Indian automakers to apply under a new Electric Car Manufacturing Scheme and it is launched to register electric passenger car manufacturers to avail newly launched Scheme to Promote Manufacturing of Electric Passenger Cars in India (SPMEPCI); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the present status of its implementation and funds sanctioned and utilized till date and response received, State-wise including Telangana, Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh and company-wise?

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

- Yes. The online portal for Scheme to Promote Manufacturing of Electric Passenger Cars in India (SPMEPCI) has been launched on 24.06.2025.
- The application module for applying under SPMEPCI scheme has been launched on (b): 24.06.2025 and is open for applications till 21.10.2025. The details of the scheme are available at https://heavyindustries.gov.in/scheme-promote-manufacturing-electric-passenger-cars-indiaview. In FY 2025-26, Rs. 12.00 cr. were allocated at BE stage and as on 16.07.2025, Rs. 59.00 lakh have been utilized in meeting administrative expenses. As on 16.07.2025, no response has been received on SPMEPCI portal.

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