GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3755
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SCHEME TO PROMOTE MANUFACTURING OF ELECTRIC PASSENGER CARS

3755. SHRI KRIPANATH MALLAH:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the objectives and key provisions of the Scheme to Promote Manufacturing of Electric Passenger Cars (SPMEPC), particularly with regard to attracting investment and promoting domestic manufacturing;

(b) whether the Scheme provides for localisation of manufacturing and technology transfer, if so, the details thereof;

(c) the proposed investment, manufacturing capacity and employment generation envisaged under the Scheme; and

(d) the implementation framework, including the role of the Centre and participating manufacturers?

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

(a) & (b): Scheme to Promote Manufacturing of Electric Passenger Cars in India (SPMEPCI) was notified on 15.03.2024 to attract investments (including transfer of technology) from global electric passenger car manufacturers and promote India as a manufacturing destination for electric passenger cars. Under the scheme, approved applicant have to setup e4W manufacturing facilities in India with a minimum investment of Rs. 4,150 cr and achieve Domestic Value Addition of 25% by 3^{rd} year & 50% DVA by 5^{th} year from the date of approval.

(c) & (d): For implementation of SPMEPCI, detailed guidelines supplementary to the provisions specified in SPMEPCI notification dated 15.03.2024 were issued on 02.06.2025. As per para- 9 of scheme notification, an inter-ministerial Scheme Sanctioning Committee is responsible for sanctioning, overall monitoring and implementation of the Scheme. Regarding proposed investment, no applications have been received under the scheme.

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