

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1869
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TRANSPORT POLICY
Swamygowda Shri N Cheluvarya Swamy

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce a Central Transport Policy as several Acts and Rules, which have important implication in dealing with urban transport issues, are administered by the Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has sought to promote use of public transport in view of increasing air pollution and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government is considering to put a limit on the number of personal vehicles owned by a household; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (DR. TUSHAR A. CHAUDHARY)

- (a) and (b) The Government of India announced National Urban Transport Policy (NUTP) in April, 2006 with the objective of ensuring easily accessible, safe, affordable, quick, comfortable, reliable and sustainable mobility for all.
- (c) The Government has been encouraging use of public transport by providing affordable and efficient public transport to reduce air pollution.
- (d) No, Madam.
- (e) Question does not arise.