GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3690 ANSWERED ON:16.12.2014 AUTOMOTIVE MISSION PLAN Suresh Shri Doddaalahalli Kempegowda

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has introduced the Automotive Mission Plan, 2006-16;
- (b) if so, the objectives of the said plan;
- (c) whether some areas in the country including Ramanagar district in Karnataka have suitable infrastructure for development of automobile industry and if so, the details thereof, State- wise; and
- (d) if so, whether the Government has any proposal to promote automobile industry in the said region, and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWARA)

- (a) & (b): The Government has drawn a Automotive Mission Plan (AMP) 2006-16 for the Indian Automotive Industry to maintain high rate of growth and to retain the attractiveness of Indian market and for further enhancing the competitiveness of Indian companies. The mission plan puts the vision for India's automotive sector -
- `To emerge as the destination of choice in the world for design and manufacture of automobiles and auto components with output reaching a level of US\$ 145 billion accounting for more than 10% of GDP, and , providing employment to 25 million people by 2016`
- (c) & (d): Based on the availability of infrastructure and other resources, a number of automotive hubs have developed in the country including Chennai Bangalore, Pune- Aurangabad, Delhi-NCR and Indore. Further, at present 100 percent Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) is allowed in automobile industry across the country.