GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3461 ANSWERED ON:11.08.2015 CNG Vehicles S.R. Shri Vijay Kumar

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

- (a) the details of cities in the country where the CNG propelled vehicles are plying at present;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to encourage the use of CNG vehicles in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (d) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

- (a): A duly registered CNG propelled vehicle is eligible to ply throughout the country. However, as per the information available, operation of CNG propelled vehicles are mostly concentrated in the NCT of Delhi, Mumbai, Agra, Kanpur, Lucknow, Ahmedabad and Pune.
- (b): Yes, Madam. The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways has already notified the specifications of CNG kits as well as type approval, safety and emission norms of CNG vehicles. It is for the vehicle owners to decide about the use of CNG as fuel.

(c) & (d): Doesn't arise.
