GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:383 ANSWERED ON:25.02.2016 Old and Aged Vehicles Adsul Shri Anandrao ;Charitra Shri Ram;Gavit Dr. Heena Vijaykumar;Mahadik Shri Dhananjay Bhimrao;Patil Shri Shivaji Adhalrao;Patil Shri Vijaysinh Mohite;Radhakrishnan Shri T.;S.R. Shri Vijay Kumar;Satav Shri Rajeev Shankarrao;Senthilnathan Shri PR.;Shrirang Shri Chandu Barne;Sule Smt. Supriya Sadanand;Yadav Shri Dharmendra

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

(a) whether the Government proposes to scrap old vehicles;

(b) if so, the number of vehicles likely to be scrapped along with the norms laid down in this regard;

(c) whether there is any proposal to incentivize the scheme of scrapping old vehicles; and

(d) if so, the details and status thereof along with the time by which the scheme is likely to be made operational?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (d): The Ministry is in the process of making a policy to incentivise people to bring their old vehicles for scrapping. A letter has been written to the Ministry of Finance on 20.01.2016 to intimate if an incentive in the form of reduction of excise duty on the purchase of new vehicle can be given.