GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-3799

STARKED QUESTION NO-3/99 ANSWERED ON-18.03.2021

NATIONAL HYDROGEN MISSION

3799. SHRI SRIDHAR KOTAGIRI SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY SHRI N. REDDEPPA SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR BELLANA SHRIMATI CHINTA ANURADHA

Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has launched the National Hydrogen Mission;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the said Mission will help India to become a global hub for manufacturing of hydrogen fuel cells technologies across the value chain and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether any incentives and tax benefits have been proposed by the Government for companies investing in this area; and
- (e) if so, details thereof

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY, POWER and MoS for SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) to (e)In her Budget Speech on 1 February 2021, the Finance Minister of India announced that it was proposed to launch a Hydrogen Energy Mission in 2021-22 for generating hydrogen from green power sources. The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy is working to develop the National Hydrogen Energy Mission. The mission is likely to include measures for developing India into a global hub for manufacturing using cutting-edge hydrogen and fuel cell technologies.
