GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO - 214

STARKED QUESTION NO - 21

ANSWERED ON- 09/08/2023

SCRAPPING OF OLD VEHICLES

*214. SHRI NARAIN DASS GUPTA:

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

- (a) the number of vehicles set off from roads for scrapping which has completed 10 and 15 years since inception of the new Transport Policy, State-wise details thereof;
- (b) agencies who have been entrusted the task of disposing of old vehicles;
- (c) the percentage of compensation given to the owners whose vehicles are to be scrapped under this policy; and
- (d) in how many days these vehicles are scrapped by Government?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI NITIN JAIRAM GADKARI)

(a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 214 ANSWERED ON 09.08.2023 ASKED BY SHRI NARAIN DASS GUPTA REGARDING SCRAPPING OF OLD VEHICLES

- (a) 1. The Ministry has formulated the Vehicle Scrapping Policy that includes a system of incentives/dis-incentives for creation of an ecosystem to phase out older, unfit and polluting vehicles across the country. The policy envisages voluntary scrapping of unfit commercial and personal vehicles strictly based on their fitness, irrespective of age of the vehicle.
- 2. The Ministry has also issued GSR Notification 29(E) dt 16.01.2023 which provides that Certificate of registration for vehicles owned by Central, State and UT Governments and their Departments, Local government (Municipal Corporations or Municipalities or Panchayats), State Transport Undertakings, PSUs and other Autonomous bodies with the Central Government and State Governments, shall not be renewed after the lapse of fifteen years. To facilitate scrapping of Govt. Vehicles, the e-auction platform developed by Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC) is used to conduct e-auction of such vehicles. The State-wise details of Govt. vehicles auctioned through MSTC is provided in Annexure-1.
- 3. Until 1st July 2023, 11,095 private vehicles have been scrapped at RVSFs. The State-wise details of vehicles scrapped are provided in Annexure-2.
- (b) 1. All the States/UTs and Central Ministries of the Government were proposed, vide MoRTH OM dated 17.12.2022, to conduct e-auction of Government vehicles through the platform developed by Metal Scrap Trade Corporation Limited (MSTC).
- 2. GSR notification 653 (E) dated 23rd September 2021 (amended vide GSR 695 dated 13th September 2022) provides the Motor Vehicles (Registration and Functions of Vehicle Scrapping Facility) Rules, 2021 for establishment of Registered Vehicles Scrapping Facility (RVSF). The RVSFs established in compliance of these rules are responsible for Scrapping of Vehicles in an eco-friendly manner.
- (c) 1. All RVSFs set up in accordance with MoRTH notification GSR 653 (E) dated 23rd September 2021 (amended vide GSR 695 dated 13th September 2022) are private entities. There is no intervention by the Government in determination of fair price of vehicles to be scrapped. The price of these vehicles is decided by the market forces as per the condition of the vehicle to be scrapped.
- 2. For Government owned vehicles scrapped in accordance with GSR 29(E) dated 16.01.2023, the Ministry of Steel, vide OM dated 23.01.2023,has circulated the formulato all the Ministries/Departments of Govt of India, for determination of Reserve Price of Government Vehicles and Service Charges to be levied by MSTC for auction of such vehicles.
- (d) Vehicles are scrapped by the Registered Vehicle Scrapping Facilities (RVSFs) in an environment friendly manner in accordance with GSR notification 653 (E) dated 23rd September 2021 (amended vide GSR 695 dated 13th September 2022).

State/UT	Government Vehicles auctioned through MSTC
Delhi	3306
Odisha	828
Maharashtra	752
Uttar Pradesh	660
Jammu and Kashmir	549
Assam	532
Rajasthan	200
Madhya Pradesh	185
Himachal Pradesh	180
Gujarat	154
Arunachal Pradesh	149
Chandigarh	136
Telangana	126
Punjab	98
West Bengal	91
Uttarakhand	85
Chhattisgarh	82
Meghalaya	58
Nagaland	48
Ladakh	48
Jharkhand	46
Sikkim	37
Mizoram	34
Karnataka	28
Andhra Pradesh	22
Haryana	22
Kerala	22
Tripura	19
Goa	18
Bihar	18
Tamil Nadu	14
Manipur	5
Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	1
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0
Puducherry	0
Unknown	33
Total	8586

<u>Note</u>: In addition to the above-mentioned vehicles, **4482** no of vehicles have also been scrapped by West Bengal, Delhi, Uttar Pradesh, Assam, Gujarat, Sikkim, Andhra Pradesh and Lakshadweep.

ANNEXURE-2 REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 214 ANSWERED ON 09.08.2023 ASKED BY SHRI NARAIN DASS GUPTA REGARDING SCRAPPING OF OLD VEHICLES

State/UT	Private Vehicles Scrapped
Uttar Pradesh	8,718
Gujarat	1,730
Madhya Pradesh	340
Haryana	177
Assam	70
Chandigarh	60
Total	11,095
