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2013-14	3.79	28.40
2014-15	7.00	27.66
2015-16	9.79	27.22
2016-17	6.78	26.58
2017-18	5.54	26.30

Package to push eco-friendly vehicles

204. DR. PRABHAKAR KORE: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government proposes a nine thousand crore package to push eco-friendly electric and hybrid vehicles in an effort to reduce pollution due to vehicles; and

(b) if so, the details of incentives proposed to encourage people to go for eco-friendly vehicles and the details of infrastructure support for electric and hybrid vehicles?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO): (a) and (b) To promote manufacturing of hybrid and electric vehicles and to ensure sustainable growth of the same, Department of Heavy Industry formulated a scheme namely FAME India [Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of (Hybrid &) Electric Vehicles in India] in the year 2015. As per the Gazette Notification of FAME India Scheme, the scheme shall be reviewed appropriately based on the outcome and experience gained in the Phase I of this scheme, which was originally for a period of 2 years commencing from 1st April, 2015. The phase I of the scheme has, however, been extended till 30th September, 2018. The FAME-II Scheme has, not yet been finalized.

Dip in net profit of PSUs

205. SHRI RIPUN BORA: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that almost all the public sector undertakings have recorded loss or have dipped in net profit during the last 3 years;