

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 978
TO BE ANSWERED ON. 26.07.2018

Low output of electric vehicles

978. SHRI A. VIJAYAKUMAR:

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

- (a) whether subsidy for electric vehicles has been withdrawn;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether electric vehicles are not used on a large scale by Government departments, due to low output; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND
PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)**

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise in view of (a) above.

(c) & (d): No, Sir. Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL), a Joint Venture of PSUs of Ministry of Power is providing electric vehicles to Government entities on lease / outright purchase basis to replace the existing petrol and diesel vehicles taken on lease by them. As on date, EESL has successfully delivered 150 e-cars to various Government organizations across Delhi NCR. All the e-cars delivered by EESL are in operation and being used by Government organizations.
