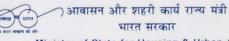
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Message

With expanding cities, increased urbanization & the ever looming challenge of climate change, it has become imperative to rethink mobility & push for efficient transport systems. For transport to act as instruments of economic growth alongside socio cultural development and ecological longevity, one requires a holistic approach towards self-sufficiency, inclusivity and environmental safety.

Under the Hon'ble Prime Minister "Make in India" initiative, the manufacturing sector in transport has been set in motion in full swing. With our ever expanding metro network taking shape across multiple cities, numerous attempts to bring manufacturing of rolling stock to India's doorstep alongside several other infrastructure components have been successfully implemented. India's ambition to pursue green mobility has also seen a spontaneous rise. New age mobility solutions for transit based development, addressing accessibility woes through last mile avenues and provisions for NMT policy have seen emergence in the last decade. As, technology transfer and technological / IT based start-ups, India steps into a new realm of becoming an export powerhouse. With initiatives driven towards indigenization, increase in home based production outlets in sync with our developments in the transport sector, India surges ahead towards a better future for all.

The Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs while staying fully committed to the cause of sustainability remains firm in its goal for "Atma Nirbharta". In this Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, India's bid to transition from a large market consumer to a big market competitor takes shape, as she continues to make huge strides in the mobility sector.

I am glad to know that the 15th Urban Mobility India Conference cum Exhibition 2022 is being organized by my Ministry in collaboration with Govt. of Kerala from 4th to 6th November, 2022 in Kochi, Kerala.

I wish the conference a great success and look forward to the fruitful outcomes.

(Kaushal Kishore)

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