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FADA concludes the 16th edition of 'Vyapar - Driving Success, Together' at Delhi

- Promoting ease of doing auto retail business in the region
- Over 150 dealer members and delegates participated from across Delhi NCR

New Delhi, March 4th, 2024: The Federation of Automobile Dealers Associations (FADA) concluded its 16th edition of 'Vyapar - Driving Success, Together', in Delhi today. The event brought together senior bureaucrats from the Delhi administration and ministries, eminent leaders from the automobile industry and over 150 members of FADA.

Mr Kailash Gahlot, Hon'ble Cabinet Minister of Administrative Reforms, Transport, Home Department, Women & Child Development and Information & Technology, Govt of NCT of Delhi, inaugurated the event, alongside industry dignitaries, Mr Manish Raj Singhania, President of FADA, and Ms Garima Misra, Chairperson - FADA Delhi.

Under the leadership of Mr Singhania and Ms Misra, the event featured engaging panel discussions on ease of doing business. Additionally, there was a keynote address on 'Business Opportunity with Opening of RVSF & ATS', followed by a Fireside Chat on Automotive Skilling with Mr Vinkesh Gulati, Chairman - FADA Academy & Research and Vice President – ASDC.

Appreciating the FADA invitation to address the dealer community, Mr Kailash Gahlot, Hon'ble Cabinet Minister of Administrative Reforms, Transport, Home Department, Women & Child Development and Information & Technology, Govt of NCT of Delhi expressed that, *the association feels like an integral part of the family, consistently offering support and demonstrating dedication to the dynamic business environment. He emphasized on the significant contributions made to the Delhi transport industry, highlighting the favourable business environment fostered by the Delhi government in the region.*

He further highlighted that the government has successfully transitioned over 45 services to a faceless mode out of 47, resulting in more than 53 lakh registrations in the past two years. He believes that this achievement greatly enhances the ownership experience for consumers. Commending FADA's vision to support state ITIs in skilling manpower, he proposed initiating these efforts from local unorganized service stations to empower the unskilled workforce of the nation.

Mr Manish Raj Singhania, President - FADA, said, *"Hosting the 16th edition of 'Vyapar in Delhi' has been a privilege. The turnout reflects Delhi's importance in the Indian automotive retail industry. We urge all members to continue with same commitment of exemplary service, ensuring business vitality. FADA remains dedicated to supporting members, promoting skills, and fostering collaboration. FADA will collaborate with state-operated ITIs to provide them with the necessary resources to bring out skilled manpower for the automobile industry"*

Ms Garima Misra, Chairperson - FADA, Delhi, added, *"We are thrilled with the overwhelming response of Vyapar in Delhi. Through dialogues and knowledge-sharing, we aim to drive growth and support the government's vision of transforming urban transportation."*

The event saw participation of 150 numbers of Automobile dealers from Delhi NCR region. Panel discussions highlighted FADA's commitment to a competitive, efficient and business-friendly environment nationwide. FADA is dedicated to addressing challenges and nurturing the industry workforce as per the changing business environment. This gathering not only served as a platform for insightful discussion but also reinforced the collective resolve to drive success in the automobile sector.

About FADA India

Founded in 1964, the Federation of Automobile Dealers Associations (FADA), is the apex national body of the Automobile Retail Industry in India engaged in the sale, service and spares of 2/3 Wheelers, Passenger Cars, UVs, Commercial Vehicles (including buses and trucks) and Tractors. FADA India represents over 15,000 automobile dealers having 30,000 dealerships including multiple Associations of Automobile Dealers at the Regional, State and City levels representing the entire Auto Retail Industry. Together we employ ~5 million people at dealerships and service centres.

FADA India, at the same time also actively networks with the Industries and the authorities, both at the Central & State levels to provide its inputs and suggestions on the Auto Policy, Taxation, Vehicle Registration Procedure, Road Safety and Clean Environment, etc. to sustain the growth of the Automobile Retail Trade in India.

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