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With Hon'ble Supreme Court reaffirming its 31st March'20 deadline, FADA humbly appeals to all OEM's for Complete Shift to BS-6 Dispatches to Dealers with immediate effect

- The Hon'ble Supreme Court yesterday didn't Consider FADA's application for extension of selling and registering BS-IV Stock Vehicles beyond March'20.
- Based on the SC Judgement, FADA is appealing to all the OEMs to Transition
 Completely to BS-6 Vehicle for Dealer Despatches and Stop billing BS-4 vehicles with immediate effect.
- In a message to the Dealer Fraternity, FADA President has asked all members to plan their liquidation of BS-IV inventory as per the 31st March'20 deadline.

15th **February'20, New Delhi:** The Hon'ble Supreme Court yesterday heard the application of Federation of Automobile Dealers Associations (FADA) with respect to granting extension for sale and registration of BS-IV vehicles beyond March'20.

Commenting on the order FADA President Shri Ashish Kale said "Hearing FADA's plea, the Hon'ble SC did not consider our appeal for extension of sale deadline for Stock vehicles and reconfirmed on their Oct'18 order of 31st Mar'20 as the deadline for sale and registration of BS-4 vehicles.

Considering the long downturn which has lasted well over a year now and the current Dynamic demand situation, selling 100% of the BS-4 vehicles Currently in stock with our Members by 31st of March is a tough task.

FADA hence appeals to all OEMs to Shift Completely to BS-6 vehicles for all Wholesale Despatches to Dealers and stop further billing of BS-4 vehicles with immediate effect to Dealers thereby helping liquidation of Current BS-4 Inventory for a Smoother Transition to BS-6."

In an internal message circulated to dealers, FADA President also advised dealers to plan liquidation of BS4 inventory as per 31st March'20 deadline for sale and registration of BS-IV vehicles.

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About F A D A India

Founded in 1964, Federation of Automobile Dealers Associations (F A D A), is the apex national body of 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. F A D A India represents over 15,000 automobile dealers having 25,000 dealerships including 30 Associations of Automobile Dealers at the Regional, State and City levels accounting for 90% of market share in India. Together we employ over 2.5 million direct employees and another 2.5 million as indirect employees, making it a total of \sim 5 million people in the country at dealerships and service centres.

F A D A 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.