



25 April 2024: Hotel Feathers, Chennai, India

### Program Schedule

0930 Hrs	Welcome Address	<b>Mr P Kaniappan</b> Past Chairman, CII Chennai Zone & Managing Director ZF Commercial Vehicle Control Systems India Limited
0940 Hrs	Theme Address	<b>Mr Pradeep Kumar Thimmaiyan</b> Summit Chairman & President & CTO Daimler India Commercial Vehicles Pvt. Ltd.
0950 Hrs	Special Address	<b>Mr S S Gill</b> EVP - International Business & Company - Owned Retail VE Commercial Vehicles Ltd.
1000 Hrs	Special Address	<b>Mr Shenu Agarwal</b> Managing Director & CEO Ashok Leyland Limited
1010 Hrs	Special Address	<b>Mr Satyakam Arya</b> Managing Director & CEO Daimler India Commercial Vehicles Pvt. Ltd
1020 Hrs	Inaugural Address	<b>Mr Vishnu V IAS</b> MD & CEO Guidance Tamil Nadu
1035 Hrs	Concluding Remarks	<b>Mr Pradeep Kumar Thimmaiyan</b>
<b>1040 Hrs</b>	<b>Networking Break (Tea/Coffee)</b>	

**1055 Hrs – 1150 Hrs**                      **CxO Panel Discussion on Indian CV Industry Towards Viksit Bharat**

1055 Hrs                      Opening Remarks by  
Panel Moderator                      **Mr Kaushik Madhavan**  
Vice President & Head of Consulting-  
Automotive  
MarketsandMarkets

1100 Hrs – 1135 Hrs    **Remarks by Panelists**

**Mr Rajesh Mittal**  
President & Managing Director  
Isuzu Motors India Private Limited

**Mr Jalaj Gupta**  
Business Head – Commercial  
Vehicles  
Mahindra & Mahindra Limited

**Mr Nikhil Kulkarni**  
CEO  
Tata Autocomp Hendrickson  
Suspensions Ltd

**Mr A A Badusha**  
Sr Deputy Director  
ARAI

**Mr Ajesh Saklecha**  
Co-Founder  
Ozone Motors & TRiDE Mobility

1135 Hrs                      Discussion (Q&A)

1145 Hrs                      Concluding Remarks                      **Mr Kaushik Madhavan**

**1150– 1155 Hrs**                      **Session Changeover**

**1155 Hrs – 1320 Hrs Session 1 – Session on Technology Megatrends  
Shaping the Future of CV Industry**

1155 Hrs	Opening Remarks by Session Chairman	<b>Mr Kapil Bansal</b> Partner EY
1200 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr V Ramanathan</b> Senior Vice President- OE Business ZF Commercial Vehicle Control Systems India Limited
1215 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Yogesh Umbarkar</b> Vice President – Business Development Valtech Mobility
1230 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Sanjeev Sharma</b> Founder, CEO, and Chief of Technology, Research & Solutions Architect Swaayatt Robots
1245 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr K Sivasankaran</b> System Engineering Leader Visteon Technical & Services Centre
1300 Hrs	Discussion / Q&A	
1305 Hrs	Concluding Remarks	<b>Mr Kapil Bansal</b>
1310 Hrs	Lunch / Networking Break	

**1400 Hrs – 1440 Hrs CTO Talk**

In Conversation with **Dr N Saravanan, President & CTO, Ashok Leyland Limited & Mr Pradeep Kumar Thimmaiyan, President & CTO, Daimler India Commercial Vehicles Pvt Ltd.**

**1440 Hrs Session Changeover**

**1440 Hrs – 1600 Hrs Session II – Session on Advancements in Powertrain Technologies**

1440 Hrs	Opening Remarks by Session Moderator	<b>Mr N. Balasubramanian</b> Executive Editor MotorIndia
1445 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Ramakrishna Donakonda</b> Vice President – Powertrain & eDrives Daimler Truck Innovation Center
1457 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Zakkir Hussain M H</b> Chief executive Officer Alkraft Thermotechnologies Pvt Ltd
1509 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Kishan Sreenath</b> Vice President – Powertrain Volvo Group
1521 Hrs	Address by	<b>Ms Veena Y V</b> Head – Powertrain Solutions Bosch Limited
1533 Hrs	Discussion / Q&A	
1543 Hrs	Concluding Remarks	<b>Mr N. Balasubramanian</b>
<b>1550Hrs</b>	<b>Session Changeover</b>	

**1555 Hrs – 1705 Hrs Session III Session on Way Forward Towards Validation & Simulation in Future Commercial Vehicles**

1555 Hrs	Opening Remarks by Session Moderator	<b>Mr Sathiyaseelan G</b> Vice President Ashok Leyland Limited
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1600 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Sujaya Kumar</b> Director – Complete Vehicle Volvo Group
1615 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Sanjeev Annigeri</b> Vice President – R&D &Business Development Tata Auto Comp Hendrickson Suspensions Pvt Ltd.
1630 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr S Ramanathan</b> Managing Director Automotive Test Systems
1645 Hrs	Address by	<b>Mr Sharath B N</b> Technology Specialist COMSOL
1700 Hrs	Discussion/ Q&A	
1705 Hrs	Concluding Remarks	<b>Mr Sathiyaseelan G</b>
<b>1710 – 1725 Hrs</b>	<b>Networking Break</b>	
<b>1725 Hrs – 1840 Hrs</b>	<b>Panel Discussion on Driving the Future of Aftermarket</b>	
1725 Hrs	Opening Remarks by Panel Moderator	<b>Mr Harshvardhan Sharma</b> Head of Automotive Retail Practice Automotive Industry Consulting Group, NRI Consulting & Solutions India
1735 Hrs – 1825 Hrs	<b>Remarks by Panelists</b>	<b>Mr Raghavan N</b> President Lucas Indian Service Ltd.  <b>Mr T Giriprasad</b> President - Rane Aftermarket Business Rane Group  <b>Mr Sanjay Pande*</b> Vice President – Marketing Wheels India

**Mr Harish Kumar**  
Regional Head – South India  
Ascendas Firstspace Development  
Management Pvt Ltd

1825 Hrs – 1835 Hrs **Discussion (Q&A)**

1835 Hrs Concluding Remarks

**Mr Harshvardhan Sharma**

1840 Hrs **Summit Concluding Remarks**

**1850 Hrs** **Networking Dinner**