

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
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EXPORT OF AUTO SPARE PARTS  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

(a) whether world's leading automobile vehicle manufacturers are coming to India for purchasing auto parts and making enquiries for collaboration in manufacture of auto spare parts etc.;

(b)

(b) if so, the total exports of these parts/items made during the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) the foreign exchange earned thereby during the above period?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI S.B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) : Due to current cost pressures , the global Multi-national companies are increasingly looking at the `low cost countries` like China, Thailand, India, Malaysia, Brazil, Turkey, East Europe etc., for purchasing auto parts. Delegations from world's leading vehicle manufacturers such as Volvo, Cummins, Navistar, Caterpillar and Delphi have visited India during the last 6 months and a few large Indian component manufacturers are in discussions with some of these companies for global sourcing contracts. It is expected that finalisation of these contracts would start translating into real business to the Indian companies in the coming years.

(b) and (c): The export of auto parts covered under ITC (HS) Code 8708 - Parts and Accessories of motor vehicles during the last three years has been as under:

Quantity in Metric Tonnes - Value in Rs. Lakhs

2000-01    2001-02    2002-03#

Quantity    Value    Quantity    Value    Quantity    Value

95967        136972    107829    143972    113808    163605

Source : DGCI&S

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