## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:392 ANSWERED ON:25.07.2000 BOMB BLASTS IN DELHI JAGMEET SINGH BRAR;PRABHUNATH SINGH;RAMCHANDRA PASWAN

## Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of incidents of bomb blasts occurred in Delhi during each of the last three years and till date;
- (b) the loss of life and property suffered therein;
- (c) the number of persons arrested and punished so far in connection with each incident; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to stop such incidents in future?

## **Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

- (a)to(c): The requisite information is given in the attached statement.
- (d): The steps taken by the Government in this regard include strengthening of intelligence network; close watch on and frequent raids at the suspected hide-outs of criminals and terrorists; checking of persons and baggages particularly in crowded market places and places of entertainment; and formation of anti-terrorist cell in each police district.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 19 12 FOR ANSWER ON 25.07.2000.

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YEAR NUMBER OF NO. OF PROPERTY DAMAGED
                                           NUMBER OF NO. OF
 INCIDENTS PERSONS
                       PERSONS PERSONS
             ARRESTED PUNISHED
   KILLED
1997 24 11 Two buses, one jeep, window panes 7 -
    of buses, one `Chhole-Bhature` stall
    floor of the bus and front wind glasses,
   one sofa set, one refrigerator, etc.
1998 5 4 Four cars, one cycle, one scooter, window panes of buildings, seven
   buses, two cycle rickshaws, one motor
   cycle, one ice-cream trolly and one
    Three seater rickshaw.
1999 2 \, 2 Three cars, three scooters, one motor \, 2
   cycle, one rickshaw and part of police
   post.
2000 5 2 Window panes and berth of the 2
        compartment, entire building of
(upto
30.06.2000) guest house, one door of Piao,
    window panes of bus, one DTC
    enquiry booth and one MCD dustbin.
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