## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3317 ANSWERED ON:28.07.2009 THEFT CASES IN DELHI Sinh Dr. Sanjay

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

- (a) whether the incidents of theft in certain residential areas are on the rise in the NCT of Delhi during the last one month;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the complaints of theft by aggrieved persons was registered as cases of missing goods instead of theft;
- (d) if so, the details and the reaction of the Government thereon; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to check cases of theft in future?

## **Answer**

## MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) & (b): The details of the cases of house theft, motor vehicle theft and burglary in residential areas in the NCT of Delhi reported during May and June, 2009 are given below:

May, 2009 June, 2009

House Theft 136 173 Motor Vehicle 964 1070 Theft

Burglary 173 164 Total 1273 1407

- (c) & (d): No such complaint has come to notice of Delhi Police during the month June, 2009.
- (e): The steps taken by Delhi Police to curb the crime in Delhi include introduction of 'eyes and ears' scheme to improve collection of intelligence at the grass- root level, identification vulnerable areas on the basis of regular analysis of crime trends, organisation of regular Division and Beat patrolling, patrolling by motorcycle and PCR; direction to every Police Station under each District to identify top 10 criminals for proper surveillance and keeping watch on their movement; keeping regular surveillance on the activities of active criminals; organisation of special patrolling during nights in order to check any strike of criminals; mandatory verification of tenants and servants employed in Delhi; deployment of mobile pickets to keep a watch on the movement of criminals; focus on gathering criminal intelligence; strengthening of beat system; etc.