GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3070 ANSWERED ON:24.04.2012 TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS Agarwal Shri Jai Prakash;Bhagora Shri Tarachand

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the rate of prosecution for traffic violations have gone up in the National Capital Territory (NCT) of Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Delhi Traffic Police has conducted any special drives against the violators of the traffic rules;

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the total number of special drives conducted and revenue collected during each of the last three years and the current year; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to educate the motorists regarding safe driving and to control the problem of traffic jam in the NCT of Delhi?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): The details of prosecution along with percentage of variation for the year 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012 (up to 31.03.2012) are given below:

Year No. of challans Percentage of variation

2009 3448592 -2010 2606011 24.43(-) 2011 3051505 17.09(+) 2012 750641 -(up to 31.03.2012)

(c) & (d): Delhi Traffic Police condusPt regular drives against the violators of traffic rules and regulations. The details of revenue collected by Delhi Traffic Police for the last three years and the current year i.e. 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012 (up to 31.03.2012) are given below:

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Year Amount received
(in Rupees)
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2009 52,38,64,600/-2010 44,16,06,900/-2011 44,52,21,400/-2012 11,48,60,800/-(up to 31.03.12)

(e): Delhi Traffic Police, to educate all road users, adopt the methodology which includes interactive lectures, classroom mode of teaching, film shows, display of mobile exhibition vans, organizing quiz/painting/debate competitions, practical training at five Traffic Training Parks. In addition, Delhi Traffic Police organizes regular road safety awareness programmes/workshops for various categories of road users such as commercial vehicle drivers, TSR drivers, pedestrians, bus commuters, cyclists, two-wheeler drivers, drivers of private four-wheeled vehicles, drivers of government organizations etc. Besides this, advertisements are inserted in the leading newspapers for education and guidance of the motorists on important traffic rules etc.