

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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DIGITIZATION OF DL AND RC

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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of registered vehicles and drivers with valid driving licenses, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has started digitization of all Driving Licenses (DLs) and Vehicle Registration Certificates (RCs) in the country;
- (c) if so, the details of the aims and objectives thereof;
- (d) the total number of Registration Certificates and Driving Licences captured in the national register till date; and
- (e) the time-frame fixed for completion of the digitization work?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS (SHRI SARVEY SATHYANARAYANA)

(a) State wise break-up of the number of registered vehicles and driving licenses as furnished by the State Governments/Union Territories concerned to the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways is at Annexure I.

(b)&(c) The Transport Project is one of the State Mission Mode Projects (MMPs) under National e-Governance Plan. The objective is to complete the National Register for Driving Licenses (DLs) and Vehicle Registration (R.C.). The vision of the project is to make all Driving License and Vehicle Registration related services accessible to the common man in his locality through various service delivery outlets, and ensure efficiency, transparency and reliability of such services at affordable costs. Under 11th Five Year Plan, VAHAN and SARATHI are implemented at all RTOs/DTOs across the country, and State Register (SR) and National Register (NR) – a Centralised Database of DLs and RCs - are created. Data of all the RCs and DLs issued through VAHAN and SARATHI are being replicated at State Register and National Register. Various citizen centric services are being launched based on the data available at SR and NR.

(d) Registration Certificates : 10,06,43,663
Driving Licenses : 2,73,55,463

(e) Time frame fixed for completion of the digitization work is one year from the date of approval of the project.