

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

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken cognisance of increasing number of hit-and-run cases in major cities of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of persons killed in hit-and-run accidents during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken or being taken by the Government to check increasing number of hit-and-run accidents in the country?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) The details of number of road accidents and persons killed due to hit-and-run accidents during the years 2009 to 2011 (the latest available data) is at Annexure. The data shows that number of hit and run road accidents have decreased from 49594 in 2010 to 45143 in 2011. The number of persons killed due to hit-and-run accidents has also decreased from 18244 in 2010 to 16609 during the year 2011.