

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:425
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PARKING ON ROADS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Delhi Police has received complaints regarding parking of vehicles on roads;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Delhi Police in this regard;
- (c) whether the Delhi Police has any proposal for charging public ``congestion fee`` on roads that receive heavy volumes of traffic;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the concrete plans put in place to remove frequent traffic jams on roads and ensure congestion free roads in the NCT of Delhi?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Delhi Police receives complaints regarding obstructive/ unauthorized parking on Delhi roads particularly on the main roads from time to time.

Delhi Police regularly prosecute motor vehicles which are found unauthorized and obstructively parked on Delhi roads. 'No Parking' signage are displayed by the Delhi Police at all conspicuous and prominent places to educate the public about 'No Parking' zone etc. In addition, obstructively/unauthorized parked motor vehicles are also towed away by the cranes deployed by the Delhi Police. The details of prosecution against obstructive / unauthorized parked vehicles for the year 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013 (upto 15.07.2013) by the Delhi Police is as under : -

Year	No. Of challans for improper parking	No. Of vehicles towed away by crane
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2010	4,87,504	98,670
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2011	5,18,337	1,32,276
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2012	5,33,021	1,71,535
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2013	3,34,152	87,833
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(UPTO 15.07.13)

(c) and (d): There is no such proposal with the Delhi Police.

(e): In order to maintain smooth flow of traffic in the NCT of Delhi, the Delhi Police has prepared a Traffic Management Plan which is based on the principles of road safety education, regulation, enforcement and engineering solutions. Based on this Traffic Management Plan, the Delhi Police has taken a number of steps to decongest and streamline traffic in the NCT of Delhi.