

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2157  
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CAR JACKERS IN DELHI  
ANANTRAO GUDHE

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

- (a) whether the Government are aware that car-jacking incidents in Delhi are rising for last one year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of such incidents solved so far; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to solve remaining cases of car jacking and to check reoccurrence of such incidents?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI HARIN PATHAK)

(a)to(d): During the last one year (i.e. from 1st July, 2002 to 30th June, 2003, 38 incidents of car-jacking were reported in Delhi as compared to the same number of incidents during the corresponding period of the previous year. Out of these 38 cases, 26 cases have since been solved.

All the concerned police officials have been directed to expedite the investigation in the remaining cases. The steps taken by Delhi Police to prevent incidents of car-jacking in Delhi include formation of Anti-auto Theft Squad in every police District to provide focussed attention against theft of vehicles; setting up of check-posts at exit points from Delhi; collection of intelligence about the organized gangs involved in auto-thefts; intensification of Motor Cycle patrolling in the parking areas; compilation of data regarding suspected auto-lifters operating in Delhi and its circulation to all the Police Stations; and setting up of inter-state coordination committee with the neighbouring State, etc. to share crime and criminal related information.