

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1186
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 3RD MARCH, 2015/PHALGUNA 12, 1936 (SAKA)

APP-BASED CABS/TAXIS IN DELHI

1186. SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:
SHRI CH. MALLA REDDY:

Will the Minister of Home Affairs be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had imposed a ban on operation of Application based cabs/taxis recently in the NCT of Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that despite the ban, several App-based cabs/taxis were still in operation in NCT of Delhi;

(d) if so, the number of App-based cabs/ taxis impounded/fined by the Delhi Police after the ban was imposed and the steps taken by the Government to provide safe transport facilities to women; and

(e) the steps taken by the Delhi Police to check illegal activities of such cabs/taxis in the NCT of Delhi?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (b): Government of NCT of Delhi had issued a public notice on 08.12.2014, vide which transport/ taxi service providers through web based technology, who are not recognized, have been prohibited from providing such services in the NCT of Delhi to public till they get license / permission from the Transport Department, GNCT of Delhi.

(c) to (e): Transport Department of GCNT of Delhi and Delhi Police are taking regular legal action against such unauthorized app based cabs/taxies which are not licensed by the Transport Department of GNCT of Delhi. Staff of Delhi Traffic Police has been directed to ensure that no such cab should be allowed in Delhi.

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Transport Department, GNCT of Delhi have impounded 121 such cab/taxis. Delhi Police has informed that they do not have separate data regarding prosecution of App-based cabs/ taxis. However, details of prosecution of taxis/cabs during the year 2014 and 2015 (up to 15.2.15) are at Annexure.

**DETAILS OF PROSECUTION OF TAXIS/CABS DURING THE YEAR 2014 AND 2015
(UPTO 15.2.15)**

OFFENCE	2014	2015 (up to 15.02.2015)
TRAFFIC SIGNAL	11701	1610
WITHOUT DRIVING LICENCE	773	84
OWNER ALLOWING MINOR TO DRIVE	5	8
OVER SPEED	4145	1124
VIOLATION OF RESTRICTIONS	1	-
IMPROPER PARKING	25332	4078
DANGEROUS DRIVING	2190	348
PERMIT VIOLATION	17905	6608
DRUNKEN DRIVING	516	52
PLAYING MUSIC	5	1
PRESSURE HORN	1	-
TINTED GLASS	418	19
STOP LINE CROSSING	3728	414
WITHOUT POLLUTION CERTIFICATE	274	28
WITHOUT REGISTRATION	1169	186
DEFECTIVE NUMBER PLATE	919	68
OWNER ALLOWING UNDER AGE MAJOR PERSON TO DRIVE	2430	762
USING VEH UNSAFE CONDN.	1	-
YELLOW LINE VIOLATION	112	27
WITHOUT LIGHT/HEAD/IND./TAIL	40	7
WITHOUT SPEED GOVERNER	3	-
PARK/WAIT IN BUS LANE	12	1
WRONG OVERTAKING	5	-
WITHOUT UNIFORM DVR/CONDTR	17762	516
OVER CHARGE/MISBEHAVE	43	5
OVER CROWD IN PASSENGER VEH	20	1
REFUSAL BY TAXI/TSR	26	1
WITHOUT FARE CHART/DEFAULT MTR	1	-
ONE WAY VIOLATION	3177	594
CARRY GOODS IN PASSENGER VEH	38	5
HONKING	15	-
UNAUTHORIZED CNG/LPG	5	-
NOT USING SEAT BELT	9614	2602
USING MOBILE PHONE WHILE DRIVING	94	13
USING PVT.VEH AS TAXI	4	-
SMOKING WHILE DRIVING	14	-
OTHERS	1060	235
WITHOUT PSV BEDGE	1393	34
WITHOUT INSURANCE	124	37
TOTAL	105075	19468