## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1528

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 29<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2025/ SRAVANA 7, 1947 (SAKA)

## TRAFFIC CHALLANS ISSUED IN CHANDIGARH

1528. SHRI MANISH TEWARI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of traffic challans issued in the UT Chandigarh during the last five years, year and violation-wise;
- (b) the total monetary value of fines collected during this period, along with the bifurcation between fines actually recovered and those still pending recovery;
- (c) whether the Government maintains data on the number of challans issued manually by traffic personnel versus those generated through automated Al-based systems and if so, the respective figures for the last five years;
- (d) whether the Government has received representations from citizens regarding problems caused by Al-powered CCTV-based enforcement, including instances where even minor transgressions like a vehicle marginally crossing a zebra line are penalised as violations; and
- (e) the steps being taken to ensure that traffic enforcement remains proportionate and citizen-friendly and whether any review of the current Aldriven challan mechanism is under consideration?

## **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)

(a): The total number of traffic challans issued in the UT of Chandigarh, under 91 different categories of violations, during the last five years are as under: -

Year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Traffic Challans	1,81,558	2,42,937	6,03,118	9,93,558	9,95,797

(b): The total monetary value of fines collected, fines actually recovered and fines pending recovery, during the last 05 years, is as under: -

Value of fines	Fines recovered	Fines pending		
(in ₹ crore)	(in ₹ crore)	(in ₹ crore)		
221.36	119.15	102.20		

(c): Yes Sir. The data on the number of challans issued manually by traffic personnel versus those generated through automated Al-based systems is as under: -

	Year						
Types of Challan	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024		
Manual	1,03,162	1,33,736	1,23,010	1,01,579	1,48,837		
ITMS	78,396	1,09,201	4,80,108	8,91,979	8,46,960		

(d) and (e): Yes Sir, the representations received are regularly reviewed to ensure fair traffic enforcement. The challans generated through automated Al-based systems are re-verified manually by dedicated staff at the Police Command & Control Centre.

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