

PRESS RELEASE**SPECIAL CHECKING AGAINST DRUNKEN DRIVING HELD ON 02.05.2014
(FRIDAY) FROM 7.00 PM TO 12.00 MIDNIGHT.**

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- **363 Vehicles impounded.**
- **131 owners prosecuted.**

In the series of intensive prosecution against drunk driving, Delhi Traffic Police has launched a special drive against drunken driving on 02.05.2014 from 7.00 p.m. to 12.00 midnight. The drive was held at about 130 vulnerable points in all 43 traffic circles and as many as 620 officers/officials were deployed with sufficient numbers of Alcometers for intensive prosecution against drunk drivers. During the drive, total 420 drunk drivers were prosecuted and as many as 363 vehicles were impounded. 131 vehicle owners have been prosecuted.

All TI Circles and ACsP Districts were available during the drive for exercising effective supervision and ensuring strict prosecution activities. It was ensured that all violators are being provided with fresh blow pipe while conducting breath test.

The break-up of the prosecution is :- 236 Scooters/Motorcycles, 155 cars, 8 TSRs, 6 HTVs/LGVs/MGVs, 2 Buses, 5 Delivery vans, 1 Gramin Sewa and 07 others.

Besides prosecuting the violators, they were also directed to report for counselling session at Traffic Police Headquarters located at Dev Prakash Shastri Marg, Pusa, New Delhi on 03.05.2014 at 4.00 p.m. where they were subjected to attend educational lectures as well as showing short films on drunken driving. The counselling was made by Sh. Rohit Sharma of an NGO "The Way to Happiness Foundation (India)". In addition, a written pledge was also taken from the errant drives that in future they will not indulge in drunk driving. Educational literatures for safe driving were also distributed during the session. Vehicles were released to the rightful owners of the vehicle who have attended the above session and signed the pledge.

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