

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1230
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2013

Manufacturing of Safe Vehicles

1230. SHRI SANJAY DINA PATIL:
DR. SANJEEV GANESH NAIK:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the most Indian small cars score poorly on safety;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps the Government proposes to take so that car manufacturers made safe vehicles?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a) to (c): All vehicles, including small cars manufactured and sold in India, adhere to strict safety regulations as per the provisions of Rule 126 of the Central Motor Vehicles Rules 1989. Manufactures of motor vehicles have to submit the prototype of the vehicles to be manufactured for test by a test agency under Rule 126 of Central Motor Vehicles Rules 1989 for granting a certificate by that agency as to the compliance of provisions of the Act and Rules. The same procedure is applicable to imported vehicles.
