(e) The Ministry has not received any information from any State that they are not implementing the provisions of the Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Act, 2019. As per section 200 of the Motor Vehicles Act 1988 the State Government may by notification in the official gazette specify such amount for compounding of certain offences.

## Proposal to set up Aluminium Alloys Development and Production Unit

- \*8. SHRI PRABHAKAR REDDY VEMIREDDY: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether it is a fact that Government is going to set up Aluminium Alloys Development and Production Unit in Nellore district of Andhra Pradesh;
  - (b) if so, the details thereof;
  - (c) by when it is likely to be completed and will start production; and
- (d) the direct and indirect employment opportunities that are likely to be created, particularly for local youth?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI RAJNATH SINGH): (a) and (b) Yes Sir. Mishra Dhatu Nigam Limited (MIDHANI), a Mini Ratna Public Sector Undertaking under Department of Defence Production along with National Aluminium Company Limited (NALCO), a Navratna Public Sector Unit under Ministry of Mines, have incorporated a Joint Venture (JV) Company with equal equity partnership for setting up a 60000 TPA (Tons Per Annum) High end Aluminium Alloy development and manufacturing Plant at Nellore, Andhra Pradesh.

- (c) The project is likely to be completed and would start production within 5 years from the zero date. The zero date will be the date of obtaining statutory clearances and completing other pre-project activities like obtaining unencumbered possession of land, environmental clearance, financial closure etc.
- (d) The project has the potential to create direct employment opportunities for about 400 people and indirect employment opportunities for about 1500 people through ancillary/auxiliary industries including employment opportunities for the local youth.

## Lack of garbage dumping grounds in Himachal Pradesh

\*9. SHRIMATI VIPLOVE THAKUR: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state: