

**OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE : DELHI**

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To

The Editor  
Times of India  
New Delhi

Subject:- Rejoinder regarding news that it took the police around 20 minutes to reach the blast site in the news item **"They came to shop, then rushed many to hospitals"**.

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Sir,

The content of captioned news item appeared on Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>, 2008 is found factually incorrect and subjective.

It is clarified that the Police Control Room received information about the incident at 2.10 PM and the same was immediately passed on to the nearest PCR van stationed at Andheria More. The PCR gypsy arrived the blast site at 2.20 P.M. and reached hospital with five injured victims at 2.41 P.M. Two other PCR gypsies were also rushed to hospital with one injured each. Apart from this five more PCRs gypsies took position to cordon off the area by 2.39 P.M. alongwith local police officers who also reached the spot in the meantime.

In the above stated facts and circumstances it is cleared that the PCR van rushed to the spot in minimum possible time. It is, therefore, requested that the correct picture in respect of the response time of the PCR may please be published with the same prominence for your esteemed readers.

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