

Figure 1.1

## Basic road traffic statistics (1996 - 2005)

|                                                                 | 1996            | 1997            | 1998            | 1999            | 2000            | 2001            | 2002            | 2003            | 2004            | 2005            |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| A) Total number of motorvehicles licensed (mid-year)<br>(Index) | 468139<br>(100) | 486982<br>(104) | 502994<br>(107) | 499380<br>(107) | 511460<br>(109) | 522125<br>(112) | 525111<br>(112) | 522912<br>(112) | 528172<br>(113) | 537124<br>(115) |
| B) Number of private car licensed (mid-year)<br>(Index)         | 287774<br>(100) | 303841<br>(106) | 318350<br>(111) | 317616<br>(110) | 327581<br>(114) | 337279<br>(117) | 340801<br>(118) | 338534<br>(118) | 341760<br>(119) | 348018<br>(121) |
| C) Road length-<br>carriageways (km) *<br>(Index)               | 1743<br>(100)   | 1831<br>(105)   | 1865<br>(107)   | 1885<br>(108)   | 1904<br>(109)   | 1911<br>(110)   | 1924<br>(110)   | 1934<br>(111)   | 1943<br>(111)   | 1955<br>(112)   |
| D) Annual vehicle-km<br>(millions)<br>(Index)                   | 10779<br>(100)  | 11355<br>(105)  | 10944<br>(102)  | 11040<br>(102)  | 11639<br>(108)  | 11509<br>(107)  | 11576<br>(107)  | 11190<br>(104)  | 11109<br>(103)  | 11193<br>(104)  |
| E) Estimated population<br>(mid-year in thousands)<br>(Index)   | 6435.5<br>(100) | 6489.3<br>(101) | 6543.7<br>(102) | 6606.5<br>(103) | 6665.0<br>(104) | 6724.9<br>(104) | 6787.0<br>(115) | 6803.1<br>(106) | 6882.6<br>(107) | 6935.9<br>(108) |
| F) Licensed motor vehicle<br>per 1000 persons<br>(Index)        | 72.7<br>(100)   | 75.0<br>(103)   | 76.9<br>(106)   | 75.6<br>(104)   | 76.7<br>(105)   | 77.6<br>(107)   | 77.4<br>(106)   | 76.9<br>(106)   | 76.7<br>(105)   | 77.4<br>(106)   |
| G) Licensed private car<br>per 1000 persons<br>(Index)          | 44.7<br>(100)   | 46.8<br>(105)   | 48.6<br>(109)   | 48.1<br>(108)   | 49.1<br>(110)   | 50.2<br>(112)   | 50.2<br>(112)   | 49.8<br>(111)   | 49.7<br>(111)   | 50.2<br>(112)   |
| H) Number of motor<br>vehicles per km<br>of road<br>(Index)     | 269<br>(100)    | 266<br>(99)     | 270<br>(100)    | 265<br>(99)     | 269<br>(100)    | 273<br>(102)    | 273<br>(102)    | 270<br>(101)    | 272<br>(101)    | 275<br>(102)    |

Note : \* Source of data - Summary of road dimensions, Highways Department