

# Road Safety Instructions

## Car Drivers

- Always carry your driving license and important documents such as your vehicle registration certificate with you while driving
- Always plan your route beforehand and allow sufficient time for travelling
- You should check before proceeding: sufficient fuel, seat/mirror adjustment, headrests, working lights, brakes, tyres
- Obey all traffic signals, lights, signs and road marking signs
- Use indicators when changing lanes
- Adhere to permissible speed limits
- Don't use your cell phone while driving; park before calling
- Stay alert and be considerate to pedestrians
- Do not overload vehicles
- Do not use tinted glasses or drive under influence of drugs or alcohol
- Always fasten seat belts, avoid rash driving, avoid fatigue driving, park safely

## PSV Drivers

- Always carry your license, vehicle registration certificate, fitness certificate and route permit
- Check fuel, seat, mirrors, lights, brakes, tyres before journey
- Drive only on the permitted route
- Keep valid fitness certificate
- Do not overload passengers/luggage
- Obey signals and road signs
- Do not play music or chat with passengers while driving
- Do not use cell phone while driving
- Stay alert and considerate to pedestrians
- Wear seat belts, avoid alcohol/drugs, always drive in correct gear

## Motorcyclists

- Always carry license and registration certificate
- Do not carry more than one passenger
- Wear bright helmet and visible clothing
- Check mirrors, wear reflective clothing

- Never drink and drive
- Follow signals and signs
- Do not use phone while riding
- Ride at safe speeds, always wear helmet
- Do not ride on footpaths
- Be cautious in traffic jams, avoid weaving through vehicles

## **Bus and Truck Drivers**

- Drive on extreme left
- Maximum speed limit: 40 KMPH
- Buses must stop at designated bus stops only
- Do not overtake other vehicles
- Do not tow or overload beyond capacity
- Distribute load safely in trailers
- Secure loads properly

## **Bus Commuters**

- Never board or deboard moving bus
- Maintain queue while boarding
- Avoid noise inside bus
- Always hold handrail if standing
- Stay away from footboard
- Do not distract driver
- Always carry valid ticket

## **Cyclists**

- Ensure bicycle visibility: paint, reflectors, working brakes
- Wear helmets and reflective clothing
- Ride on cycle lanes when available
- Do not follow vehicles closely
- Avoid busy roads
- Obey signals and signs
- Do not ride on footpaths
- Always ride with both hands on handlebar

## **Pedestrians**

- Pay attention and obey traffic rules
- Wear reflective clothing at night
- Use pedestrian crossings
- Do not walk on main carriageway
- Avoid distractions while walking
- Do not run after moving bus
- Follow six-step crossing code: Think, Stop, Look/Listen, Wait, Cross, Keep Looking
- Be cautious with emergency vehicles, buses, railway crossings

## **Children**

- Always walk on footpath
- Cross only at safe places
- Avoid running on road
- Obey signals
- Do not cross between parked vehicles
- Board buses only at designated stops
- Parents must ensure children learn road safety
- Teachers should monitor children and ensure safe buses