DRIVING INSTRUCTION SAFETY CHECKS

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Windshield/wiper/windshield washer

Always keep windshield glass clean to avoid any distortion in visibility. Ensure proper working of wipers and condition of wiper blade. Ensure that windshield washer reservoir is full. Do not operate wiper alone when the windshield glass is dry, this would damage the windshield.

Headlights

Keep headlight lenses clean. Check for operation of headlamps in both high/ low beam condition. Check for correct focusing of headlamps. Use only recommended type of bulbs. Do not use the high beam unless it is inevitable, as its dazzle may glare the driver of an oncoming car, thus causing an accident.

Side indicators / Hazard warning

Ensure that all side indicators/ hazard warning lights are always in working condition and they are used when required.

Horn

Ensure the horn is working properly. Horn provides safety to other road users by alerting your presence.

Brakes

Ensure brakes are working properly. Check brake fluid level in reservoir. Do not drive the car when brake warning lamp is 'ON'.

Tyres

Check the condition of tyres for any abnormalities. Maintain correct tyre pressure, it is very important particularly when subjected to extreme conditions, such as high speed, high load and high outside temperature. Do not use worn or bald tyres, especially on the front wheels.

First Aid Kit

A first aid kit is provided in your car. This is for use in case of minor injuries.

It should be regularly checked and updated.

Documents

Always carry car registration papers, insurance, valid PUC certificate and driving licence with you.

Advance Warning Triangle

There is an advance warning triangle provided along with your vehicle. In case there is a breakdown and the vehicle is parked at the side of road, then the triangle is to be kept as per instructions given below:

Remove advance warning triangle from case and assemble.

Place the triangle on the road behind the vehicle when it stranded on the road. The triangle must be at least 50 meters behind the vehicle in the same lane of traffic.

Increase the distance to 150 meters on a highway or if a bad/hill top obscures the view.