### THE ADMINISTRATION OF UNION TERRITORY OF LADAKH TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT



# केंद्र शासित प्रदेश लद्दाख का प्रशासन परिवहन विभाग

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#### Notification

#### Ladakh, the 18th of June, 2025

S.O. 72. In compliance with the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety, the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of Ladakh, in exercise of powers conferred by sub-section (3) of Section 215 read with clause (41) of section 2 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988) as amended in the year 2019, hereby re-constitutes the District Road Safety Committees (DRSC) in each District of the Union Territory of Ladakh with the following composition, namely:

S.No	Name	Designation
1.	Deputy Commissioner (Ex-Officio)	Chairman
2.	Senior Superintendent of Police	Member
3.	Chief Medical Officer	Member
4.	Chief Engineer of the Relevant Project of BRO	Member
5.	Executive Engineers, Road Owning Agencies (District Concerned	Member
6.	Representative of the Regional Office, MoRTH	Member
7.	Project Director, NHAI	Member
8.	Executive Officer of Municipal Bodies/Urban/Notified Bodies	Member
9.	At least one Civil Society Organisation (CSO) or any other Non-Government Organisation (NGO) working on improving road safety in the state	Member
10.	Assistant Regional Transport Officer	Member
11.	Concerned Superintending Engineer, PWD as District Administrator of State Highways & Major District Roads	Member Secretary

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## The terms of reference and functions of the District Road Safety Committees shall be as under:

- 1. Periodic review of the road accidents in the district.
- 2. Monitor the implementation of State Road Safety policy and the targets set under it.
- 3. Implement the directions of the Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety, Government of India and the State Government as may be issued from time to time on matters of road safety.
- 4. Implementation of decisions of the State Road Safety Council in the district.
- 5. Regularly track and update the State Road Safety Council on details of road crashes that took place in the district, which shall include:
  - Details of the vehicle
  - Causes of the crash
  - o Details of spot investigation, evidence, if any
  - Details of offender(s) (if any)
  - Details of victim(s) and victims' latest condition
  - Type of injury caused
  - FIR registered if any
- 6. Publish road accident data on monthly basis in the public domain on:
- The District website portal (to be widely publicised)
- The MoRTH portal (http://morth-roadsafety.nic.in/edisha/index.aspx)
- 7. Develop a district road safety plan.
- 8. Ensure forensic crash investigation u/s 135A of the Motor Vehicle Act for all mass fatality crashes in the district.
- 9. Ensure optimal positioning of ambulances to help improve response time and handover time to hospitals.
- 10. Ensure adequate availability of different ambulance types as per caseload in the district.
- 11. Prepare an emergency medical plan for mass fatality accidents in the district.
- 12. Ensure linkage between hospitals and ambulances through setting up a prior notification system. Ensure linkages between hospitals to find out the availability of beds in case of emergency.
- 13. Submit such reports and returns, and furnish such information to the Transport Commissioner as may be required from time to time. The Transport Commissioner shall submit a consolidated report to the State Road Safety Council annually.
- 14. Act as the nodal body for placing, requirement(s), and disbursal of road safety funds and interact with State Road Safety Council as and when required
- 15. Provide regular inputs to the State Road Safety Council/Lead Agency of State and recommend road safety measures especially with regard to identification of major accident-prone areas/Black spots etc. and also in areas regarding the importance of 4Es viz Engineering, Education, Enforcement & Emergency.
- 16. Promote Good Samaritans to assist the road accident victims.
- 17. Provide suggestion(s) to UT Administration as and when requested to formulate or amend:
- Rules U/s 107, U/s 138, U/s 176, U/s 210D, U/s. 215 D of the MV (A) Act, 2019.
- Scheme U/s 135 of the MV (A) Act, 2019

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#### **Meeting Protocol:**

The District Road Safety Committee shall hold its meeting at least fortnightly on a virtual platform and meet physically at least once a month at a venue prescribed by the Chairman. The minutes of the meeting shall be made public on the district website within 48 hours of the meeting and also be uploaded on the web portal of MoRTH (<a href="http://morth-roadsafety.nic.in/edisha/index.aspx">http://morth-roadsafety.nic.in/edisha/index.aspx</a>) in the prescribed format.

By order of the Lieutenant Governor of Union Territory of Ladakh.

Sd/

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Date: 18.6.2025

#### Copy to:

- 1. Joint Secretary (Transport), MoRTH, Government of India, for kind information.
- 2. Administrative Secretary, PW(R&B), UT Ladakh.
- 3. Deputy Commissioner/CEO LAHDC Leh/Kargil.
- 4. Senior Superintendent of Police, Leh/Kargil.
- 5. Chief Medical Officer, Leh/Kargil
- 6. Chief Engineer, PWD, UT Ladakh.
- Chief Engineer, BRO (Himank & Vijayak), UT Ladakh.
- 8. Superintending Engineer, Leh/Kargil.
- 9. Project Director, NHAI.
- 10. Asst. Regional Transport Officer, Leh/Kargil.
- 11. Executive Officer of Municipal Bodies, Leh/Kargil.
- 12. OSD with the HLG, UT Ladakh for information of the HLG.
- 13.OSD with the Chief Secretary, UT Ladakh for information of the Chief secretary
- 14. In charge website, NIC, Leh for uploading the information on website.
- 15. Office copy.

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