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### **ROAD TRAFFIC**

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# THE MOTOR VEHICLES (DRIVING LICENCES) REGULATIONS 1999

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Red letter on white ground.

The corners of the ground can be rounded off.

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Red letter on white ground.

The corners of the ground can be rounded off.

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The specified matters are set out in sections A to...

A. Road traffic regulations

- 1. B. The driver
- 2. Perception, judgement and decision-making, including especially reaction time and changes...
- 1. C. The road
- 2. Driving risk factors related to various road conditions, with particular...
- 3. Characteristics of various types of road and the related statutory...
- 4. Safe driving in road tunnels.
- 1. D. Other road users
- 2. Risks involved in the movement and driving of various types...
- 3. The visibility of motor cycle riders to other road users....
- 1. E. General rules and regulations and other matters
- 2. General rules specifying how the driver must behave in the...
- 3. Safety factors relating to the vehicle, its load and persons...
- 1. F. Road and vehicle safety
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- 3. Precautions necessary when alighting from the vehicle.
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#### A. Road traffic regulations

- 1. B. The driver
- 2. Perception, judgement and decision-making, including especially reaction time and changes...
- 1. C. The road
- 2. Driving risk factors related to various road conditions, in particular...
- 3. Characteristics of various types of road and the related statutory...
- 4. Safe driving in road tunnels.
- 1. D. Other road users
- 2. Risks involved in the movement and driving of various types...
- 1. E. General rules and regulations and other matters
- 2. General rules specifying how the driver must behave in the...
- 3. Safety factors relating to the vehicle, its load and persons...
- 1. F. Road and vehicle safety
- 2. Vehicle safety equipment including, in particular, the use of seat-belts,...
- 3. Precautions necessary when alighting from the vehicle.
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#### PART 3 — CATEGORY C

- A. Road traffic regulations
- B. The driver
- C The road
- D. Other road users
- E. General rules and regulations and other matters
- F. Road and vehicle safety
- G. Vehicle construction and maintenance

#### H. Environmental matters

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The specified matters are set out in sections A to...

- A. Road traffic regulations
- 1. B. The driver
- 2. Perception, judgement and decision-making, including especially reaction time and changes...
- 1. C. The road
- 2. Driving risk factors related to various road conditions as they...
- 3. Characteristics of various types of road and the related statutory...
- 4. Safe driving in road tunnels.
- 1. D. Other road users
- 2. Risks involved in the movement and driving of various types...
- 1. E. General rules and regulations and other matters
- 2. Rules of behaviour in the event of an accident, measures...
- 3. Rules on vehicle weights and dimensions and speed limiters.
- 4. Rules on driving hours and rest periods as defined in...
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- 1. F. Road and vehicle safety
- 2. Vehicle safety equipment, including in particular the use of seat-belts...
- 3. Precautions necessary when alighting from the vehicle.
- 4. The driver's responsibility in respect of the carriage of passengers,...
- 5. Precautions to be taken during the removal and replacement of...
- 1. G. Vehicle construction and maintenance
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- 3. Principles of the types, operation, main parts, connection, use and...
- 4. The principles of the construction, fitting, care and correct use...
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- 7. Preventive maintenance and necessary running repairs.
  - H. Environmental matters

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- A. Eyesight
- B. Vehicle safety checks
- 1. C. Preparation to drive
- 2. Adjust crash helmet.
- 1. D. Technical control of the vehicle
- 2. Accelerate to a suitable speed while maintaining a straight course,...
- 3. Adjust speed to negotiate left or right turns at junctions,...
- 4. Lean over to turn.
- 5. Keep balance at various speeds.

- 1. E. Behaviour in traffic
- 2. Communicate with other road users using the authorised means.
- 3. React appropriately in actual risk situations.
- 4. Comply with road traffic regulations and the instructions of the...
- 5. Move off from the kerb or a parking space.
- 6. Drive with the vehicle correctly positioned on the road, adjusting...
- 7. Keep the right distance between vehicles.
- 8. Change lanes.
- 9. Pass parked or stationary vehicles and obstacles.
- 10. Approach and cross junctions.
- 11. Turn right and left at junctions or to leave the...
- 12. Where the opportunity arises—(a) Pass oncoming vehicles, including in...
- F Alighting from vehicle

PART 2 — Practical Test: Categories B and B+E

- A. Eyesight
- 1. B. Vehicle Safety Checks
- 2. In the case of a test for a licence authorising...
- 3. The components are: tyres, steering, brakes, lights, reflectors, direction indicators,...
- 1. C. Preparation to drive
- 2. Adjust rear view mirrors, head restraint and seat belt.
- 3. Check that the doors are closed.
- 1. D. Technical control of the vehicle
- 2. Accelerate to a suitable speed while maintaining a straight course,...
- 3. Adjust speed to negotiate left or right turns at junctions,...
- 4. Brake accurately to stop where directed, if need be by...
- 5. Either— (a) perform one or more of the following manoeuvres—...
- 1. E. Behaviour in traffic
- 2. Communicate with other road users using the authorised means.
- 3. React appropriately in actual risk situations.
- 4. Comply with road traffic regulations and the instructions of the...
- 5. Move off from the kerb or a parking space.
- 6. Drive with the vehicle correctly positioned on the road, adjusting...
- 7. Keep the right distance between vehicles.
- 8. Change lanes.
- 9. Pass parked or stationary vehicles and obstacles.
- 10. Approach and cross junctions.
- 11. Turn right and left at junctions or to leave the...
- 12. Where the opportunity arises—(a) Pass oncoming vehicles, including in...
  - F. Alighting from vehicle
  - G. Trailer
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- 1. Each test candidate must satisfy the person conducting the test...
- 2. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- 3. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- - A. Vehicle Safety Checks
  - B. Preparation to drive
  - C. Technical control of the vehicle
  - D. Behaviour in traffic
  - E. Larger vehicles: speed reduction and steering

- F. Trailers
- G. Vehicle safety
- H Safe and energy-efficient driving

PART 4 — Practical Test: Categories- D and D+E

- 1. Each test candidate must satisfy the person conducting the test...
- 2. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- 3. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- 4. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
  - A. Vehicle safety checks
  - B. Preparation to drive
  - C. Technical control of the vehicle
  - D. Behaviour in traffic
  - E. Larger vehicles: speed reduction and steering
  - F. Trailers
  - G. Vehicle safety
  - H Safe and energy-efficient driving

PART 5 — Unitary Test: Categories F, G, H, and K

- A Eyesight
- B Technical control of the vehicle
- C Behaviour in traffic
- D Vehicle safety checks

PART 6 — Unitary Test: Categories F and G

- 1. Carry out manoeuvres involving the use of reverse gear (except...
- 2. Indicate intended actions at appropriate times by giving appropriate signals...
- 3. Act correctly and promptly on all signals given by traffic...

PART 7 — Unitary Test: Category H

- 1. Indicate intended actions at appropriate times by giving appropriate signals...
- 2. Act correctly and promptly on all signals given by traffic...
- 3. Drive the vehicle backwards and cause it to face in...

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1. The person conducting the test must be satisfied as to...

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- 1. The person conducting the test must be satisfied as to...
- 2. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- 3. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- 4. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...
- 5. In the case of candidates taking a test for a...

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#### PART 1 — STANDARD THEORY TEST PASS CERTIFICATE

Certificate of passing a theory test

Date of test.....

It is hereby certified that [Name of candidate] has been...

Theory Test Centre [Number or location of centre].

PART 2 — THEORY TEST FAILURE STATEMENT

Statement of failure to pass a theory test
Date of test
[Name of candidate] has been examined and has FAILED to
Theory Test Centre [Number or location of centre].
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PART 2 — Statement of performance: fail
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STATEMENT OF FAILURE
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AND UNITARY TEST RESULT
PART 1 — TEST PASS CERTIFICATE
Certificate of passing the [extended*] test of competence to drive  Date of test
Test Centre
I certify that [Name of candidate] has been examined and
Whether vehicle fitted with automatic transmission
Whether vehicle modified/other restrictions
Signature of examiner
Signature of candidate
*Words in italics to be omitted where inapplicable.
PART 2 — TEST FAILURE STATEMENT
Statement of failure to pass the practical test/test of competence to drive
Name of candidate
Category/ies of vehicle
Driver Number
Date of test
The candidate named herein has been examined and has FAILED
*Words in italics to be omitted where inapplicable.
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- (A) Introduction
  Trainees' eyesight must be tested. Trainees must be able to...
  - (B) Practical on site training
  - (C) Practical on site riding
- 1. (D) Practical on road training

- 2. Trainees must understand the following:—— the need to be...
- 3. Trainees must be aware of:—— the effect on a...
- 1. (E) Practical on road riding
- 2. Upon application being made by an approved training body for...
- 3. Trainees must also repeat the following exercises in normal road...

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PART 2 — CERTIFIED DIRECT ACCESS INSTRUCTOR'S CERTIFICATE

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**Explanatory Note** 

**Changes to legislation:**There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Motor Vehicles (Driving Licences) Regulations 1999.