

Government of West Bengal Transport Department

Paribahan Bhawan 12, R.N. Mukherjee Road, Kolkata – 700 001

No. 1953-WT/TR/P/3M(RS)-6/14(Pt-I)

Date: 26.05.2015

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the State of West Bengal has notified constitution of District Road Safety Committee for each district of the State in terms of Section 215(3) of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 vide No. 1084-WT/TR/P/3M(RS)-6/14(Pt-I) dated 23.03.2015;

AND, WHEREAS, the State of West Bengal has already formulated and notified the West Bengal Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989;

AND, WHEREAS, the functions (objects and purposes), scope for creation of Sub-committees, etc. have been stipulated in Rules 356, 357 and 358 of the aforesaid Rules;

AND, WHEREAS, there have been massive increase in the vehicle population in Kolkata as well as in the number of driving licenses issued so far;

AND, WHEREAS, it is considered necessary and expedient to constitute District Road Safety Committee for dealing with all aspects of road safety within the jurisdiction of the Kolkata covering the areas falling within the jurisdiction of Kolkata Municipal Corporation (KMC);

AND, WHEREAS, the State Road Safety Council in its meeting dated 22.04.2015 has taken a decision to that effect and approved the composition of such a Committee;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governor, in supersession of all previous Notifications/Orders in this regard, is pleased hereby to constitute the District Road Safety Committee for Kolkata covering the areas falling within the jurisdiction of Kolkata Municipal Corporation (KMC) in the following manner and with the composition mentioned below to deal with all matters pertaining to road safety in respect of Kolkata.

COMPOSITION

1)	Commissioner of Police, Kolkata	:	Chairman
2)	Municipal Commissioner, KMC	:	Member
3)	Director, PVD, Kolkata	:	Member
4)	An Engineer of the Public Works Department, GoWB to be selected by the Principal Secretary of the Department	:	Member
5)	An officer of the Health & Family Welfare Department to be selected by the Principal Secretary of the Department	:	Member
6)	An officer of the Information & Cultural Affairs Deptt. to be selected by the Principal Secretary of the Department	•	Member
7)	D.I. of Schools (Secondary), Kolkata	:	Member
8)	Joint C.P. Traffic, Kolkata Police	:	Member Secretary

The terms of reference for the Committee in addition to those already detailed in the aforementioned Rules will be as follows:

Terms of reference

- i. To implement the State Road Safety Policy;
- ii. To conduct road safety programmes at regular intervals;
- iii. To provide regular inputs to the State Road Safety Council and recommend road safety measures especially with regard to identification of major accident prone areas / Black Spots etc.;
- To implement directions of the GOI and the State Government as may be issued from time to time on matters of road safety;
- v. To act as the nodal body for placing requirement and disbursal of road safety funds and interact with the State Road Safety Council as and when required;
- vi. To take such other steps as may be necessary for ensuring road safety within the jurisdiction of the district.

The Governor is also pleased to direct that the Chairman of the Committee shall have the powers to co-opt any person/official/expert/chief of any entity who he/she considers eminently suitable to contribute to the functioning of the Committee.

This comes into force with immediate effect.

By order of the Governor SD/- SANJAY MITRA Chief Secretary, West Bengal

ORDERED THAT

The Notification be published in the Official Gazette.

SD/- SANJAY MITRA

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Chief Secretary, West Bengal

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Copy of the Notification forwarded to the Superintendent, Bengal Government Press, 38, Gopalnagar Road, Kolkata – 700 027, with the request to publish this Notification in the Kolkata Gazette Extraordinary and send 50 (fifty) copies of the same to this Department for official use.

SD/- JIBAN CHANDRA CHAKRABORTY
Additional Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to the:

- 1. Commissioner of Police, Kolkata
- 2. Municipal Commissioner, KMC
- 3. Director, Public Vehicles Department, 38, Beltala Road, Kolkata-700 020,
- 4. Principal Secretary, Public Works Department, GoWB with a request to select an Engineer of his Department for the above mentioned committee.
- 5. Principal Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Department, GoWB with a request to select an Engineer of his Department for the above mentioned committee.
- 6. Principal Secretary, Information & Cultural Affairs Department, GoWB with a request to select an Engineer of his Department for the above mentioned committee.
- 7. D.I. of Schools (Secondary), Kolkata

- 8. Joint C.P. Traffic, Kolkata Police
- 9. P.S. to the Hon'ble MIC, Transport Department, Government of West Bengal
- 10. Sr. Personal Secretary to the Principal Secretary, Transport Department, Government of West Bengal
- 11. Dr. Tapas Das, Technical Director, NIC, WBSC, with a request to upload this Notification in the Transport Department's website.

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Additional Secretary to the Government of West Bengal