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FOREWORD

It was not an easy job to compile laws relating to Motor Vehicles because it has wide range of different laws. This maiden effort has been made by JAY KAY LAW REPORTER (P) LTD which is highly appreciable. This compilation contains State Acts and Rules, Central Acts and Rules as applicable to J&K with case laws along with Notifications. No effort has been spared by the Publisher to bring this book in perfect form.

I give my best wishes and congratulations to JAY KAY LAW REPORTER (P) LTD for good appreciation by readers.

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MESSAGE



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22nd Road Safety Week is being observed, alongwith rest of the Country, in our State w.e.f. 1st to 7th January, 2011. This week is celebrated, every year to spread awareness, inculcate traffic etiquettes and aims at Happy Motoring, to all, by way of a safe and pleasant journey.

To achieve this aim, it becomes imperative for everybody to extend their co-operation by way of observing traffic rules and discouraging (at least by way of reporting) the violators. Towards this, Traffic Department has taken certain initiatives viz. facebook account, website, Control Rooms (at Jammu, Srinagar and Ramban) as well as frequent interaction. The concept of runaway challans, empowering the constabulary to record violations has been a major achievement. We also are at advanced stage of installation of Electronic Traffic Signal System, procuring of Traffic Interceptor (fully equipped) Vans and also specially designed barricades for inculcating lane driving culture. SMS, Radio (FM) alerts, Blog, emergency (toll free) helpline no. etc. are also in the pipeline.

Whereas, a lot is being done, we wish for such continued co-operation of citizens as well as all the stakeholders because it is my firm belief that together we can achieve our mission i.e. **“Reach Home Safely-We care for you”**, quickly.

Mutual co-operation and co-ordination has been the buzzword for Traffic Department and it is with great sense of gratitude, the same is sincerely acknowledged.

On the occasion of this 22nd Road Safety week, I am sanguine that the citizens would take a pledge to uphold the traffic etiquettes, rules and thus would ensure that not only they are safe, fellow citizens also remain safe because I need not say that more than 01 lac lives are lost every year, in our country to road accidents and related offences, which is a huge national loss and paradoxically most of such lives could have been saved by observing traffic rules and road etiquettes. This should alone be sufficient to force us to think and we should therefore solemnly affirm that at least I will (at no time) never indulge in rash and negligent acts and this I think would be a real contribution to the family, society and Nation. We owe it to them and thus we should take an oath that we will not allow the vehicles to become our master and will rather keep them as our slaves.

Wish the function a grand success.

“Jai Hind”

H.K. Lohia, IPS