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To

- I. The Principal Secretaries/The Secretaries, Department of Transport
- II. The Transport commissioners of all the States/Union Territory

Sub :- Clarification regarding issuance of driving licence while giving test on vehicles having automatic transmission - reg...

Madam/Sir

It has been brought to the notice of this Ministry, through Public Grievances, that a few states have been emphasizing on the use of internal combustion engine with manual transmission while undertaking driving test for issuance of driving licence.

2. In this regard, it is clarified that the driving licence is issued on the basis of class of motor vehicles, vide section 10 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, and not upon the fuel type or transmission type. It is advised that applicant(s) may be allowed to take driving test on a vehicle of any type of transmission.

Yours sincerely,

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