

CIRCULAR No. 44 /2010

Sub: Visit to the Scenes of Crimes of Major Motor Accidents – Reg.

Ref: 1) PHQ Circular No. 18/98 dated 12/05/1998
2) PHQ Circular No. 28/99 dated 06/12/1999
3) PHQ Circular No. 11/10 dated 09/03/2010

Motor accidents involving loss of two or more human lives are included in the category of Grave Crimes with a view to ensure the supervision of Senior Police Officers in the investigation of those cases.

The Executive Committee of the Kerala Road Safety Authority, in its meeting on 27/10/2010, decided to conduct scientific studies on the causes of major accidents involving three or more lives so that effective and expeditious remedial steps can be taken wherever possible. With the above objective in mind, scenes of major accidents will be visited by a team of officers from the Public Works Department, Motor Vehicles Department and the Police Department. The Circle Inspector concerned, immediately on receipt of information regarding such major accidents, will inform the Executive Engineer (PWD), the RTO and the Dy.SP having jurisdiction over the spot of the accident in which 3 or more human lives are lost. Thereafter, the Dy.SP concerned, will organise a combined visit under his leadership to the scene of accident with the representatives of the PWD and the Motor Vehicles Department for studying the spot and for suggesting remedial measures to ensure greater safety.

The Dy.SP will send a report on the findings of the above committee including its recommendations to the Inspector General of Police (Traffic) with a copy to the SP / CP concerned. IGP (Traffic), in turn, will forward a copy of the report to the Police Headquarters as well as the Road Safety Commissioner.

DIRECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE

To

All Officers in List 'B' for information and necessary action.

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