

**No.U1-17273/2012/PHQ**

Police Headquarters,  
Thiruvananthapuram  
Dated.17/11/2014.

**Circular No. 28/2014**

Sub : Prevention of Traffic Accidents-Instructions issued-Reg:

Ref : 1)PHQ Circular No. 06/2012 dated. 28/03/2012.  
2)PHQ Circular No. 11/2013 dated. 09/05/2013.  
3)PHQ Circular No. 17/2013 dated. 06/07/2013.  
4)PHQ Circular No. 11/2014 dated. 06/06/2014.

It is noticed that in certain issues there are doubts with regard to the instructions issued in the reference cited.

Traffic monitoring is the primary task of Police to ensure traffic rules and regulations. Certain restrictions are introduced in the circulars referred above in view of some accidents that occurred during Police traffic checking. However, a number of officers have represented the need for modifying some of these restrictions for effective traffic crimes prevention. Accordingly the following modifications are issued.

a)Circle Inspectors of Police shall designate Police Officers of Grade ASI/SI to conduct traffic checking.

b)If videography while traffic checking is not possible due to practical/emergency situations, traffic checking should be done in a transparent manner with the approval of the Circle Inspector.

Sd/- 17-11-2014

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To : All Officers in List B.

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