

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

(TRANSPORT-II BRANCH)

The 27th September, 2007

No. 10/52/2006-2T2/7062.—Whereas the Governor of Punjab is satisfied that it is necessary to restrict the speed of motor vehicles on the National Highways and State Highways, within and outside of the Municipal Area in the interest of public safety and convenience.

Now, therefore, in supersession of all the notifications issued in this behalf by the District Magistrates from time to time in the State of Punjab and in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 112 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act No. 59 of 1988), and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of Punjab is pleased to fix the maximum speed limit on the National Highways and State Highways within and outside Municipal Limits in all the cities in the State of Punjab, for the classes of motor vehicles as specified in the Schedule given below, namely :—

SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Classes of vehicle	Maximum speed limit per hour in Kilometers		
		National Highways	State Highways	National Highways/ State Highways within Municipal Area
1	2	3	4	5
(1)	If all the wheels of the vehicle are fitted with pneumatic tyres and the vehicle is not drawing a trailer :—			
	(a) if the vehicle is a light motor vehicle other than a transport vehicle ;	80 (median road) 70 (without a median road)	70 (median road) 60 (without a median road)	50
	(b) if the vehicle is a light motor vehicle and a transport vehicle ;	65	50	45
	(c) if the vehicle is a motor cycle/ scooter;	50	50	35

1	2	3	4	5
	(d) if the vehicle is a medium or heavy passenger; and	65	55	40
	(e) if the vehicle is a medium or heavy goods vehicle ;	65	55	40
(2)	If the vehicle is an articulated vehicle, all the wheels of which are fitted with pneumatic tyres, which is a heavy goods vehicle or heavy passenger motor vehicle	50	40	30
(3)	If the vehicle is drawing not more than one trailer, or in the case of artillery equipment, not more than two trailers and all the wheels of that vehicle and the trailer are fitted with pneumatic tyres:—			
	(a) if the vehicle is a light motor vehicle and the trailer being wheeled has a gross vehicle weight not exceeding 800 kilograms;	60	50	35
	(b) if the vehicle is a light motor vehicle and the trailer has more than two wheels or a gross vehicle weight not exceeding 800 kilograms;	50	45	30
	(c) if the vehicle is a medium goods vehicle or medium passenger motor vehicle ;	40	40	30
	(d) if the vehicle is a heavy goods vehicle or heavy passenger motor vehicle ; and	50	50	30
	(e) if the vehicle is a heavy goods vehicle or heavy passenger motor vehicle used by the fire brigade	60	50	40
(4)	Any other case not covered by entry in Serial No. (1), (2) or (3) above	30	30	30

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