



## Using Vehicles

### and Roads Safely

- **Always wear a standard helmet:** Adjust the chin strap to fit snugly whenever riding or sitting on a motorcycle.
- **Buckle up your seatbelt:** Both the driver and passengers should buckle up when traveling in a car. For public transportation such as taxis, vans, and buses, seat belts must be always fastened during the journey.
- **Walking:** Whenever possible, walk on sidewalks. If there are no sidewalks, walk on the right side of the road or against the direction of traffic.
- **Crossing the Street:** Observe pedestrian traffic signals or traffic lights controlling vehicles before crossing. Look to the right before looking to the left and ensure the way is clear. Be cautious of lanes that you have not yet crossed, as vehicles may be approaching at high speed, and do not run across the street.
- **Respect Traffic Laws:** Adhere to speed limits set by law and be prepared to brake and stop safely when necessary or when pedestrians are crossing the street.



## What to Do If You Have an Accident

### While Driving?

- 1 **Assist the Injured:** Help those who are injured and attempt to provide first aid as much as you can. Do not move the injured person. Call for Help: Dial 1669 for emergency medical assistance.
- 2 **Move Your Vehicle:** If possible, move your vehicle to a safe location to prevent further accidents.
- 3 **Contact the Police:** Call 191 to report the incident and wait at the scene to identify yourself. If you flee the scene, you will be presumed to be at fault.
- 4 **Contact Your Insurance Company:** Reach out to your insurance provider or car rental company. It is also advisable to write down the name, contact number, and license plate number of the other party involved, so the insurance representative can follow up on the matter.



## Emergency Contact Numbers

☎ 1584

Complaints about Public Transportation.

☎ 1356

Inquiries, Complaints, and Reporting Incidents.

☎ 1348

Inquire about BMTA bus routes.

☎ 191

Police Emergency. Report urgent incidents or crimes.

☎ 1137

Accident Reporting.

☎ 1669

Emergency Medical Assistance Nationwide.



# DRIVING IN THAILAND



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