## GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT: DISPUR

## ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF ASSAM

## **NOTIFICATION**

Dated Dispur the 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2021.

No. TMV.72/2020/42: In pursuance of Notification No. RT-11036/64/2017-MVL, dated 08-08-2018 issued by the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, Govt. of India, the Governor of Assam is pleased to issue the following directions under the Motor Vehicle Act, 1988 for strict compliance of the concerned enforcement authorities:-

- a) As per the provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and the Central Motor Vehicles Rules, 1989, the owner/driver has to produce the documents viz. license or certificate of registration etc. to the authority on demand. Such required documents are available on 'digiLocker' or 'mparivahan' app in electronic form and these are deemed to be legally recognized at par with the original documents/certificates issued by the Transport authorities, as par the provisions of the Information Technology Act, 2000.
- b) If the vehicle registration details on the mparivahan / eChallan app of the Ministry contain the details of the Insurance Policy, which is in force, then the requirement of a physical copy of the insurance certificate is also not to be enforced.
- c) In cases where there is an offence made out that there is requirement of the documents to be impounded, the enforcement agencies can have such impounding reflected in the VAHAN/SARATHI database electronically through the 'eChallan' system. There would be no requirement of physical seizure of such documents.

Sd/- P. R. Khaund, Secretary to the Govt. of Assam. Transport Department.

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Dated Dispur the 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2021.

- 1. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Home & Political Department for favour of kind information with a request to issue necessary Notifications directing the Police to accept the Driving License/Registration Certificate etc. in digital format through "DigiLocker".
- 2. The Commissioner of Transport, Assam, Jawaharnagar. khanapara. Guwahati-22 for information. He is requested to instruct all the DTOs and Enforcement Officials accordingly.

3. All Deputy Commissioners/ Superintendents of Police for information and necessary action.

A. All District Transport Officer & Secretary, RTA for information & necessary action.

5. P. S. to Hon'ble Minister of Transport for information.

6. P. S. to Commissioner & Secretary for information.

By order etc

Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of Assam Transport Department.

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