

# Pledge for Road Safety



## Courtesy & Consideration Saves Lives



I pledge to seriously re-examine my driving habits. To adhere to the 12 Safe Driving Rules of Engagement while using our roads, because I know that by improving my driving habits, I will be making an important contribution to the safety of other road users and myself, thus displaying a positive example for other drivers in the process of making our roads safer, for all road users.

### The 12 Safe Driving Rules of Engagement

1. To obey all traffic rules and regulations
2. To always wear a seat belt and make sure all passengers are buckled up or are properly restrained
3. To always drive within the speed limit and at the appropriate speed for the existing conditions
4. Never- drink alcohol, use drugs and drive or drive when feeling tired.
5. Not to use cell/mobile phones whilst driving. Pull over safely or use voicemail.
6. Pay attention to pedestrians/cyclists
7. To keep the appropriate following distance by following the 2 sec rule
8. Not to overtake unless absolutely necessary and safe to do so
9. To give driving my full attention by avoiding distractions at all times.
10. To maintain my vehicle and check the tyres, fluids, lights, etc regularly
11. To use my indicators, mirrors and lights appropriately at all times
12. To always set good examples for other drivers by being considerate, courteous and not driving aggressively.

At the end of the day, safety is a part of everything we do at our Nation. Safety is more than just a goal; it's a way of life, both on the job and at home.

