

on the Motor Vehicle Act and Highway Act and Regulations thereunder; also to produce proof of his ability to drive, and to pass a medical examination. Non-resident chauffeurs who have complied with the laws of their place of residence are exempt from taking out chauffeurs' licences while driving foreign-registered motor vehicles for which a touring permit has been issued and is in effect and, in the case of United States owned cars, for which a permit is not necessary, while carrying the customs permit. No chauffeur under 21 years of age shall operate a motor vehicle carrying passengers for hire unless he is the holder of a special permit.

No person shall drive or operate any motor vehicle on any highway unless he is the holder of a driver's licence. No person under 17 years of age may drive a motor vehicle on any highway, except that a person between 15 and 17 years of age may obtain a special permit upon application of the parent or guardian and after passing an examination. The parent or guardian is civilly liable for loss or damage caused through the negligence or improper conduct of such minor, in operating any motor vehicle entrusted to the minor by the parent or guardian. Permit to minor is confined to the use of one particular car. A learner-driver's licence, good for 30 days, may be issued to a learner free of charge to be used only while such learner is accompanied by an adult holder of a driver's licence who occupies the seat beside the applicant. (In the case of a motor cycle, it is not necessary to be accompanied by an adult holder of a driver's licence.) At the expiration of 30 days, the learner-driver's licence is to be surrendered and a regular driver's licence taken out.

A motor-vehicle dealer requires a dealer's licence to sell motor vehicles and to operate the same for purposes of demonstration. Motor-vehicle salesmen require licences to operate motor vehicles bearing demonstration plates. Prospective purchasers can only operate motor vehicles bearing demonstration plates upon written consent from the dealer, good for 48 hours and for not more than two such periods in any year. Mechanics in the employ of the dealer may operate motor vehicles bearing demonstration plates for conditioning or testing without obtaining licences or written consent.

Motor vehicles are to be driven in a careful and prudent manner at all times. The onus is on the driver for driving to the common danger if driving at a greater speed than 20 miles per hour in any city, town or village; or 30 miles per hour outside cities, towns or villages; or greater than the maximum rate of speed stated on signs erected on certain portions of the highway. A motor vehicle may not pass a standing street car at more than 5 miles per hour, if such street car is not taking on or discharging passengers; and must stop at least 10 feet from and in the rear of the passenger exit if such street car is taking on or discharging passengers (in cities where safety zones are provided, motor vehicles are allowed to pass between safety zone and curb at a rate as set by by-law). A motor vehicle must not exceed a speed of 15 miles per hour when passing schoolhouses between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. of any day on which school is regularly held, or public playgrounds for children between dawn and dusk. Accidents in which death or personal injury has occurred or in which loss or injury apparently exceeding \$25 is sustained must be reported. All chiefs of police to whom such accident reports are furnished must forward copies within 24 hours to the Commissioner of Provincial Police.