

Department of Tourism

Corrigendum

N5/3(865)/2024-DT/278

Ref: Official Gazette of Government of Goa Series I No. 19 dated 11th August, 2022.

Summary of documents for registration for photographer registration/renewal at Sr. No. 5 may be read as under:

Sr. No.	Photographer Registration	Current		Revised under Ease of Doing Business	
		5		New	Renewal
1.	15 years Residence Certificate issued by Mamlatdar of the Taluka of Goa	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
2.	Character certificate issued by Deputy Collector & SDM Goa	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
3.	Certificate of Photography course undergone/ /experience certificate in Photograph	Yes	No	Yes	No
4.	Aadhar Card of Applicant/or any other ID proof	No	No	Yes	No
Summary of documents to be submitted		3	2	4	2

Other details remain the same.

Suneel Anchipaka, IAS, Director of Tourism & ex officio Addl. Secretary.

Panaji, 2nd February, 2024.

Department of Transport
Directorate of Transport

Notification

D.Tpt/Accts/TRANS/2023-2024/357

Sub.: Goa State Compensation to Road Accident Victims, 2023.

Read: Notification No. D.Tpt/Accts/TRANS/ /2021/54 dated 07-01-2021 published in the Official Gazette, Series I No. 42 dated 14-01-2021.

The Government of Goa is pleased to amend the above read notification regarding the Scheme titled "Goa State Compensation to Road Accident Victims, 2023", which was earlier titled as "The Goa State Interim Compensation to Road Accident Victims, 2020".

Preamble.— Increase in number of vehicles results in traffic congestion and

consequentially in road accidents. While Government does its best to minimize if not eliminate, some tragic accidents are inevitable. Every year an approximately 250-300 people lose their lives in road accidents. Sometimes the deceased happens to be the only bread earner of the family and is not covered by any life insurance. In the event of death of such persons, the entire family is disturbed emotionally, psychologically and financially.

And whereas Government has proposed to provide such families with financial assistance irrespective of insurance cover enjoyed by the victim.

And in order to fulfill the given assurance as well as for the purpose of simplification and speedy disbursement with Aadhar authentication, the Government was pleased to enact modified scheme as under:—

(1) *Title.*— The scheme shall be called “Goa State Interim Compensation to Road Accident Victims, 2023”.

(2) *Commencement.*— Amended scheme shall come into force from the date of publication in Official Gazette.

(3) *Definitions.*— In this scheme, unless there is anything repugnant to the subject or context—

(i) *Beneficiary.*— “Beneficiary” means the person entitled to receive the compensation/financial assistance paid under the scheme. For the purpose of this scheme entitlement of beneficiary to the sum of compensation shall be in order of priority as under:—

(i) On Death of the person/victim of road accident his/her:— (i) spouse (ii) son(s) and unmarried daughter(s) (divided equally) (iii) parents of the victim (iv) unmarried brother(s) and sister(s).

In case of any dispute with respect to the proportion of amount of compensation, the decision of the Director (Transport) shall be final.

(ii) *Death.*— “Death” means a death on account of an accident on the spot or within 12 months of accident on account of any injury suffered during the accident provided it be the sole and direct cause of the death as certified by Registered Medical Practitioner.

(iii) *Family.*— The term family shall include spouse of the victim, son(s), unmarried daughter(s), mother and father, unmarried brother(s) and sister(s).

(iv) *Victim.*— “Victim” means any person who dies in road accident having (15) fifteen years of permanent residence in the State of Goa.

(4) *Scope of the Scheme.*— The Scheme provides for financial assistance to the victims/families of victims against accidental

death caused by external, violent visible means in road accidents.

(5) *The Scheme shall provide.*— The reliefs of Rs. 2.00 lakhs in case of death shall be applicable to those, whose family income i.e. cumulative income of spouse/daughter(s)/son(s) after the accident is less than Rs. 10.00 lakhs.

(6) The scheme provides for disbursement of compensation to the families of Road Accident Victims by the Transport Department.

(7) The payment of compensation shall be made as under:—

(i) In case of death:

(a) Surviving spouse;

(b) In absence of (a) above, the amount of compensation to be divided equally amongst the son(s) and unmarried daughter(s).

(c) In absence of (a) and (b), parents;

(d) In case of absence of (a), (b), (c), unmarried brother(s)/sister(s).

(e) In case of absence of (a), (b), (c) and (d) then no compensation shall be paid.

(8) *Procedure for claiming the compensation.*— (a) Upon the happening of any event which may give rise to a claim under this scheme, an application on the prescribed proforma with full particulars must be submitted on the Department website goatransport.gov.in or www.goaonline.gov.in addressed to the Director, Directorate of Transport within time period as specified below:—

(i) 365 days of the happening of such event for Relief.

(ii) In case of earlier applications submitted on or after 19-06-2015 beyond the prescribed time period of 180 days but submitted upto 31-08-2023, claims are to be settled as one time relaxation manually as approved by the Government.

(b) Documentary/Satisfactory proof upon which a claim is based, shall be furnished to the Government along with the claim.

(c) No relaxation for payment to any person including legal heirs.

(d) No relaxation in time period for application.

(9) *Procedure for disbursement.*— Compensation under this scheme shall be sanctioned by the Director of Transport.

(10) *Applicability.*— (a) To any victim with 15 years of residence in the State of Goa.

(11) This compensation paid is not insurance but it is a compassionate payment by State Government to overcome plight faced by the victim and his family due to trauma

and expenses incurred. It is not right of any one and it is totally at the discretion of Government and subject to budgetary provision.

(12) The said compensation paid is not subject to any deductions by insurance company (Refer Clause 11).

This issue with the approval of Finance (Exp.) Department vide their U. No. 1723 dated 25-10-2023.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

P. Pravimal Abhishek, IAS, Director (Transport) & ex officio Addl. Secretary.

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