

**OFFICE OF THE TRANSPORT COMMISSIONER-CUM-CHAIRMAN
STATE TRANSPORT AUTHORITY, ODISHA. CUTTACK.**

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NOTICE

Sub: Information to the applicants of Driving License.

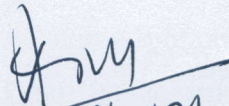
In view of the then prevailing situation due to SARS COV-2 pandemic, Driving License and Learner's License services were suspended vide this office order No. 4829 dated 20.04.2021.

It is to bring to the notice of all applicants of DL that:

1. The LL expiring from 18.03.2020 to 30.09.2021 will remain valid till 30.09.2021.
2. The slots booked for DL test & LL test have been cancelled w.e.f. 22.04.2021.
3. The fees already paid for the DL/LL test will remain valid.
4. The DL skill test will be resumed in following 10 'B' category districts:
Balasore, Bhadrak, Cuttack, Jagatsinghpur, Jajpur, Khorda, Kendrapada, Mayurbhanj, Nayagarh and Puri.
5. The DL skill test slot booking for the regions of 'B' category except Puri will be available w.e.f. 11 AM on **10.07.2021**. DL skill test slot booking for other 20 'A' category districts were already resumed from 21.06.2021 & 05.07.2021 vide this office order No. 6031 dated 17.06.2021 & order No. 6621 dated 01.07.2021 respectively. The DL skill test slot booking for Puri district will available w.e.f. 11 AM on 13.07.2021.
6. Thereafter test slots will be opened for booking from 7 AM to 10 PM every day. The applicants have better chance to book their favourite slot at 7 AM every day.
7. Only existing DL applicants can book slots for DL skill test.
8. DL renewal with retest will be allowed.
9. DL skill test for the region of 'B' category except Puri will commence w.e.f. **13.07.2021**. DL skill test for Puri will commence w.e.f. 14.07.2021. DL skill test slot booking for other 20 'A' category districts were already resumed from 22.06.2021 & 06.07.2021.
10. The applicants must wear masks and follow the social distancing norms at the testing centre/office.
11. **The applicants from containment zone** will not be allowed for any test. In case, any such applicant tries to enter in DL test centre or office, the matter will be informed to the local Police.
12. Applicants are advised not to bring their friends and relatives with them to the test Centre/office.

13. Applicants with symptomatic sign of COVID-19 are not allowed for the test.
14. The resumption of LL test and booking of slots for LL test will be notified later on in respect of all the districts.
15. The application for new LL, new DL will be notified later on in respect of all the districts.
16. In case of emergent situation due to Covid pandemic leading to shutdown of the office, the test may be cancelled at short notice.
17. **Applicants are advised not to visit RTO office for any enquiry regarding LL & DL.**

The VAHAN services, DL services, Fitness test for the regions of 'B' category shall be resumed from 13.07.2021. The VAHAN services, DL services, Fitness test has already been resumed in other 20 districts of 'A' category.


Transport Commissioner, Odisha

Memo No. 6962/TC

Dated 9/7/21

Copy to All DCTs/RTOs/Addl. RTO for information and necessary action. They are directed to resume VAHAN services, DL services, Fitness test & DL skill test as per the guidelines in Annexure-A.


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