

Accident Procedures for Drivers

If your driver is involved in an accident, especially if a person is injured or killed or if property damaged, it is a legal requirement for the driver to take certain actions.

What to do at the scene of an accident

- Stop vehicle immediately. Take action to prevent another accident.
- Help (if you can) any injured person. Keep them calm and comfortable.
- Call emergency services as soon as possible.
- Do not move vehicle if any person has been injured or killed – unless it is a hazard to traffic.
- Don't leave the scene of an accident before the police say you may proceed.
- Give your name and address and name and address of vehicle owner to any person who has a reason to ask for it.
- Do not drink any alcohol or take drugs unless under the instruction of a medical doctor.

Moving the Vehicle

- If a vehicle must be moved, mark its exact position on the road
- Move just enough to let other traffic pass
- If no person is injured or killed, the vehicle may be moved without a traffic officer or police being called.

Statements

You are required by law to only give your:

- Name and address and show your licence
- Give the name and address of your employer
- You are not required to give any further statements to the police and should not talk to any other person.

Before leaving the accident

- Get names and address of the injured, and how they were injured.
- Get details of damage to vehicles or property.
- Get name and address of witnesses
- If vehicle has tachograph remove report. Ask traffic officer / police to sign and date report.
- Take notes of vehicles position, surroundings and traffic signs so you can make a sensible accident report.



**An accident must be reported within 24 hours
If no traffic officer or police is at the scene of the accident.**



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