Dear Parishioner

Advice for Provisional Drivers

The purpose of granting an applicant a Provisional Licence is to allow them to learn to drive a vehicle, with a view to passing a test. As your safety and that of other road users is my priority, I must draw your attention to the following warning on section (f) of the blue driving licence application form: "If applying for a Provisional Licence remember that you will normally be refused permission to obtain a second Provisional licence if you fail to attempt your driving test for that category within six months without good cause."

Under Article 11 of the Road Traffic (Jersey) Law 1956, the grant of a Provisional Licence to an applicant may be refused by the Connétable if it appears to them that the applicant does not intend to submit to the said tests within a reasonable time.

Following the grant of a Provisional Licence:

- **Mopeds & Motorbikes:** The first step is that you must take and pass a Compulsory Basic Training test (CBT) before you take the practical test for your bike licence. **You must within 6 months** attempt the relevant DVS Theory Test and Practical Test. You must not carry passengers on your bike.

- **Cars & Other Motor Vehicles:** **You must within 6 months** attempt the relevant DVS Theory Test and Practical Test. You must not drive unsupervised. The supervising driver must be at least 21 years old and have held a full licence for 3 years.

If you attempt but fail any of the tests, please keep your DVS slip. You will need to produce this if you have cause to apply for a second Provisional Licence. If you cannot prove that you have attempted any of the tests within six months, or cannot provide evidence of good cause for delay, as Connétable I will suspend your second application for six months before you can reapply.

A third provisional licence may be granted in exceptional circumstances but only after you have met with me to explain why you have been unable to attempt the tests.

If you have any questions on Provisional or Full driving licences, please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office in the first instance. Advice on CBT, Theory and Practical Tests can be found on the DVS website page [www.gov.je](http://www.gov.je) (select Travel & Transport), or telephone 448600.

Please remember that any person who fails to comply with any of the conditions of a Provisional Licence will be guilty of an offence.

Richard P Vibert
Connétable

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I have read and understood the above information: .......................... ..........................
(Signature of Applicant)  (Print Name)