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To

Ms. Radha Raturi,
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Government of Uttarakhand,
Dehradun.
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Sub: Supreme Court Committee of Road Safety - Report on Road Accident which occurred at around 2.00 A.M. in the morning of 12.11.2024 ,killing 06 people and 1 other critical in Car - Truck collision in Dehradun, Uttarakhand State- regarding.

Madam,

Reference Accident Report received from the Government of Uttarakhand vide letter No. 139277/Pravartan/sadak Suraksha/1-8(240)/2024- dated 24.12.2024 on the subject mentioned above.

2. The above-mentioned report on the road Accident which occurred on 12.11.2024 when a Innova Car collided with a Truck in Uttarakhand's Dehradun district, killing 6 people and 1 other critically injured, has been examined by the Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety (SCCoRS) and it is observed that the report does not indicate whether any remedial action has been taken by the Administration on the accident site to avoid such accidents in future.

3. It appears that enforcement of road safety laws is not being done strictly by relevant Departments in the State. The State Government is directed to enforce the over-loading/over speeding laws strictly to prevent occurrence of such fatal road accidents in the State. The State must ensure that Speed Limit Devices are fixed in all commercial vehicles and provide compensation to the accident victims according to the new Motor Vehicle Act.

4. The State Government is also directed to rectify all engineering defects observed on the site of road accidents, provide adequate lighting, install required road signs and markings, install crash barriers and other traffic calming measures, strictly enforce the over speeding, transportation of passengers illegally, overloading laws to prevent the occurrence of such fatal road accidents in the State.

5. This issues with the approval of Chairman, SCCoRS.

Yours faithfully,


(Sanjay Mital)

Secretary

Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety

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