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Ministerial Resolution No. (178) for the year 2017 on Rules and Procedures of Traffic Control

Item	Violation	Fine in	Black	Vehicle	Driving
		AED	traffic	Retention	License Block
			Points	period/ day	
	Speed Viola	tion	ľ		
28	Driving a vehicle below the minimum speed limit set for the road, if any	400	-	-	-
34	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by more than 80 km/hour	3000	23	60 days for light vehicles	-
35	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by more than 60 km/hour	2000	12	30 days for light vehicles	-
36	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by no more than 60 km/hour	1500	6	15 days for light vehicles	-
37	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by no more than 50 km/hour	1000	-	-	-
38	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by no more than 40 km/hour	700	-	-	-
39	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by no more than 30 km/hour	600	-	-	-
40	Exceeding the maximum speed limit by no more than 20 km/hour	300	-	-	-
	Plates Violat	tions			
4	Driving a vehicle without plates	3000	23	90 days for light vehicles	
27	a. Driving a vehicle with one single plateb. Un-clarity of the vehicle plate	400	-	-	-

103	Violating the rules of using the commercial plate numbers	500		7 days	
	The violations for Jeopar	dizing Roa	d Users		
1	 a. Driving a vehicle in a way that jeopardizes the driver or others' lives or their safety or security b. Driving a vehicle in a way that may cause damage to the public and private facilities 	2000	23	60 days for light vehicles	-
2	Driving under the influence of Alcohol	Decided by court	23	60 days for light vehicles	-
3	Driving under the influence of drugs or brain affecting substances or any other similar items	Decided by court	-	60 days for light vehicles	License to be suspended for one year from the date of punishment completion
5	 a. Driving a heavy vehicle in a way that jeopardizes his or other people's lives or their safety or security b. Driving a heavy vehicle in a way that may cause damages to public or private facilities. 	3000	-	-	License to be suspended for one year starting from the day of license withdrawal
6	Heavy vehicles that cross the red light	3000	-	-	License to be suspended for one year starting from the day of license withdrawal
7	The heavy vehicle driver causing any accident that result in his or any other vehicle overturn	3000	-	-	License to be suspended for one year starting from the day of license

					withdrawal
19	a. Driving the vehicle against the traffic	600	4	7 days for	-
	direction	1000	8	light	
	b. Entering the vehicle into a prohibited			vehicles	
	area				
29	Sudden deviation of the vehicle	1000	4		-
30	Reversing in a dangerous way	500	4		-
33	a. Crossing red light for light vehicles	1000	12	30 days	-
	b. Crossing red light for motorcycles				
43	Entering a road in a dangerous way	600	6	-	-
46	Causing someone's death	Decided	23	60 days for	-
		by		light	
		court		vehicles	
47	Causing a serious accident or injuries	Decided	23	30 days for	-
		by		light	
		court		vehicles	
48	Non-stop when causing a small accident	500 for	8 for	7 days for	-
		light	light	light	
		vehicles	vehicles	vehicles	
		1000	16 for		
		for	heavy		
		heavy	vehicle		
		vehicle			
52	Failure to leave safe distance when driving	400	4	-	-
	behind other vehicles				
53	Entering the road without ensuring a clear way	400	4	-	-
70	Non-compliance of vehicles drivers with the	500	-	-	-
	traffic signs and directions				
72	Putting signs on the road that may cause	500	-	-	-
	damage to it or may block the traffic				
74	Rubber neck (crowding) at the scenes of traffic	1000	-	-	-
	accidents				
80	Failure to take the necessary road safety	500	-	-	-
	measures upon the vehicle breakdown				
81	a. In case of not wearing the helmet by	500	4	-	-
	the driver when driving a motorcycle		-		
	b. In case of not wearing the helmet by				
	the passenger while being on a				

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	motorcycle.				
83	Failure to use signal light when changing the	400	-	-	-
	vehicle direction or making turns				
86	Non-compliance with the traffic compulsory	400	-	-	-
	lane for light vehicles				
92	Using a leisure bike with three or more wheels	3000	-	90 days	-
	on the road				
98	Causing disturbance to traffic in any way not	500	-	-	-
	set forth in this schedule				
99	a. Making U turn from undesignated areas	500	4	-	-
	b. Making wrong turn with the vehicle				
104	a. Driving at night without lights	500	4	-	-
	b. Driving in foggy weather without lights				
	c. Driving in foggy weather in violation of				
	the competent authority's instructions				

	Trucks and heavy vehic	cles violat	ions					
8	Non-compliance of heavy vehicle with the traffic compulsory lane	1500	12	-	-			
10	Heavy vehicle overtaking or entering prohibited roads or areas	1000	4	-	-			
12	Not placing reflective stickers on the backside of trucks and transport vehicles	500	-	-	-			
14	Not lifting the exhaust pipe of trucks	1500	-	-	-			
18	Driving heavy vehicles not complying with the safety and security measures	2000	6	-	-			
	violations related to non-compliance with traffic policeman instructions							
41	Not following the instructions of the traffic policeman	400	4	-	-			
45	Running away from the traffic policeman	800 for light vehicle 1000 fo heavy vehicle	or light heavy	30 days for light vehicle	-			
	Violationis related to I	Driving lice	ense					
23	Driving with a driving license issued by a foreign country except in permitted cases	400	-	-	-			

24	Driving a vehicle with a driving license other that the granted one	t 400	12	-	-
25	 a. Driving a vehicle with expired driving license b. Driving a vehicle with an expired registration 		4	7 days for light vehicles 7 days if registratio expired more thar 3 months ago	n
106	a. Not carrying the vehicle registration cardb. Not carrying the driving license	400	-	-	-
	Failure to hand over a driving license when the maximum black points are accrued in the first traffic violation		_	-	-
111	Failure to hand over a driving license when the maximum black points are accrued in the second traffic violation		-	-	-
112	Failure to hand over a driving license when the maximum black points are accrued in the third traffic violation		-	-	-
47	Wrong parking and				<u> </u>
17	overtaking from a prohibited place by trucks drivers	3000	-	-	Suspension of DL for 1 years from the date of withdrawal
31	Wrong overtaking	600	6	-	-
42	Overtaking from the road shoulder	1000	6	-	-
44	Overtaking from a prohibited place	600	-	-	-
55	 a. Parking in front of fire hydrant places b. Parking in the spaces allocated for people with special needs 	1000	6	-	-
56	Stopping in the middle of the road without a justified reason	1000	6	-	-
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Stopping in the yellow box junction

	Stopping the vehicle in in prohibited areas on	1000	-	_	-
	the left road shoulder in public roads				
59	Stopping the vehicle on the pedestrian crossings	500	-	-	-
60	Park behind vehicles and blocking their movement	500	-	-	-
61	Stopping in undesignated places by Taxis which have designated pick up areas.	500	4	-	-
62	Stopping the vehicle without keeping the safe distance specified by the law from a curve or junction or turns	500	-	-	-
63	Parking without securing the vehicle	500	-	-	-
64	Improper Parking	500	-	-	-
65	a. Stopping a vehicle in a way that expose danger on pedestriansb. Stopping a vehicle in a way that blocks	400	-	-	-
	the pedestrians movement	400			
66	Parking vehicles on the pavements	400		-	-
4.2	Vehicles registeration and tr	-	violations		
13	Operating industrial, construction and mechanical vehicles and tractors without permission from the competent authority	1500	-	-	-
22	 a. Driving a vehicle without insurance b. Driving unlicensed vehicle from the traffic department 	500	4	7 days	-
75	Using vehicles for purposes other than the designated ones.	300	4	-	-
76	Using the vehicle in carrying and transporting passengers without permission	3000	24	30 days	-
77	Using the vehicle in carrying inflammable or hazardous materials without permission	3000	24	60 days	-
94	Using the vehicles in marches without permission or in unauthorized situations.	500	4	15 days for the light vehicle	-
	Buses violations and				
90	School bus driver failing to activate the stop sign or in case of non-compliance with traffic	500	6	-	-

91	The driver fails to stop when the school bus	1000	10	_	-
	driver activates the stop sign				
93	Driving on lanes designated for buses or taxis	400	-	-	-
	in other than the authorized situations.				

	Violations related to Pede	strians and p	priority		
54	Not giving way or priority to emergency vehicles, ambulances, police cars or official conveys	1000	6	-	-
69	Not giving priority to pedestrians in pedestrians' crossings	500	6	-	-
84	Not giving priority to vehicles coming from the back or the left side of the road	400	-	-	-
89	Pedestrian's failure to abide by signals or crossing from the undesignated areas	400	-	-	-
	Horn violati	ons			
105	 a. Using the horn or the vehicle radio in a disturbing way b. Driving the vehicle in residential areas or around the educational institutions or the hospitals in way that endangers others 	400	4	-	-
	Violations inside t	he vehicle			
32	Violations inside t a. Using mobile while driving b. Being distracted by anything while driving	he vehicle 800	4	-	-
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	vehicle's tenting				
	b. Tenting unpermitted vehicle				
73	Modifying the vehicle's engine or the Chassis	1000	12	30 days	_
	without permission				
82	Driving with expired tyres	500	4	7 days	_
85	a. Not examining the vehicle after making	400	-	-	_
	core adjustments on its engine				
	b. Not examining the vehicle after making				
	core adjustments on its body				
87	If the lights of the vehicle are not working	400	6	-	_
88	a. In case the changing lane light signs	400	2	-	_
	are not working				
	b. The rear sign lights of the vehicle are				
	not working				
95	Changing vehicle's color without permission	800	-	-	-
97	a. The rear or side lights of trailer	500	4	-	-
	container are broken				
	b. The absence of back and sidelights of				
	trailer container				
	Load Violati	ons			
9	a. Loading the heavy vehicles in a way	2000	6	-	-
	that endangers others				
	b. Loading the heavy vehicles in a way				
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78	Transport passengers in vehicle not designated for	1000	4	-	-
79	Overloading a transport vehicle	500	4	7 days	-
	Training vehicles	Violations			
107	Using training vehicles in timings other than specified by licensing authority or in undesignated areas	400	-	-	-
108	 a. Provide training on a training vehicle that is not labeled as training vehicle b. Provide training in a vehicle that is designated for training without the competent authority permission c. Training on driving without permission 	500	_	_	-
109	Not holding training permit while training	300	-	-	-
	Environment Vi	olations			
11	Load leakage or spelling from the heavy vehicles	3000	12	-	-
20	Driving a noisy vehicle	2000	12	-	-
21	Driving a vehicle that causes pollution	1000	6	-	-
71	Throwing wastes from vehicles onto the roads	1000	6	-	_
102	Leak or falling of parts of the loads from a light vehicle.	500	-	-	-