

CASE STUDIES CPI TRANSPORT OF PASSENGERS

You are employed as a driver for a road transport operator that carries out road transport of passengers for hire or reward through occasional services. The employer designates you, together with a colleague, to carry out an occasional transport, from Bucharest (RO) to Venice (IT) and back, with a group of 25 tourists.

1. Indicate **4 (four)** documents that you must have on board of the vehicle during the journey from Bucharest to Venice transport, **except of:** the identity card, the passport, the driving license, the certificates of registration for the vehicle, the tachograph diagrams, the tachograph card, the tachograph verification proof, the vignette and the RCA insurance.

2. Indicate **3 (three)** duties or obligations that you have when boarding the passengers and during the journey, except informing the passengers about the obligation to fasten their seat belts.

3. The departure from Venice to Bucharest is scheduled on Thursday, the bus being driven by you and your crewmate (multi-manning). The schedule is the following:

7.00 – 8.00 transport the group to Venice for a city tour;

8.00 – 15.00 waiting for the tourist group;

15.00 – 16.00 travel to the accommodation;

16.00 – departure to Bucharest.

How many hours can you and your crewmate drive before stopping for a rest period and at what time you must stop? Justify your answer.

4. After the Venice trip, you take a bus to carry out a transport of passengers through special regular service from Bucharest to Giurgiu. During a roadside check, the ISCTR inspectors identify dangerous defects at the bus's steering system. What are the penalties applicable in this case?

You are employed as a driver by a road transport operator that carries out road transport of passengers for hire or reward through occasional services.

5. The employer assigns you to carry out an occasional service from Bucharest (RO) to Belgrade (SRB) with a group of tourists. What is the necessary transport document for the service performed from Bucharest to Belgrade. How is sanctioned a passenger transport through occasional services for hire or reward, performed without having on board the transport document?

6. You are driving a bus equipped with an analogue tachograph. What information should you fill in the tachograph chart (diagram) before entering it into the equipment at the beginning of the work?

7. Indicate **3 (three)** types of behaviour/attitudes/factors that will create a good professional image for the driver.

8. You are designated to carry out an occasional transport from Bucharest to Câmpulung Moldovenesc (RO) with a group of tourists. The departure is scheduled for Monday at 7:00 a.m. after a weekly rest period. Along the route you take several breaks of at least one hour each, for visiting the tourist attractions. All these breaks add up to 8 hours. How many hours may you drive on Monday before stopping for your daily rest period? **Justify the answer.**

As a driver for a road transport operator, you will be transporting passengers for hire or reward through occasional services.

9. During the transport you are involved in a traffic accident. You are not injured and you apply the necessary measures. Indicate the first **4 (four)** actions you will take in the order they should be performed.

10. Approaching corners at an inappropriate speed may lead to skidding or even overturning due to the action of centrifugal force. Specify the relationship between the centrifugal force and the speed, as well as how much centrifugal force increases when the speed is doubled.

11. You know that not adapting your speed is one of the main causes of road accidents. Indicate **4 (four)** elements/factors according to which you should adapt your speed, excluding factors related to the driver and the technical condition of the vehicle or tyre wear.

You are employed as a driver by a road transport operator that carries out road transport of passengers for hire or reward through regular services in national traffic.

12. Fatigue is one of the main causes of road accidents. You know that driving in certain conditions/situations may induce fatigue more quickly. Indicate **3 (three)** such **driving conditions/situations** that may cause fatigue to set in more quickly. *The question is not related to fatigue, driving position, diet, alcohol consumption or substances that can alter behaviour (drugs).*

13. You know that you need to ensure the rational operation of the engine and transmission of the vehicle. Indicate **3 (three)** roles of the gearbox.

14. The transport manager has instructed you that speeding or the inappropriate speed is a major cause of traffic accidents. The manager has also instructed you that there are factors/situations in which a driver may be tempted to drive at an inappropriate speed or over the permitted limit. Indicate **3 (three)** such factors/situations.

15. In the spirit of eco-driving, you have learned that it is useful to capitalize on the inertia of the vehicle. To the extent that traffic conditions allow, list **2 (two)** situations (cases) in which inertia may be rationally capitalized.

16. The vehicle is equipped with a digital tachograph. Indicate what type of report represents the following combination of pictograms: **24h Print 24h card**

17. You know that while driving you must drive behave in such a way that you can stop safely. Indicate **5 (five)** factors on which the braking distance depends, **except for tyre wear/pressure and road/meteo conditions.**

18. You have been trained in eco-driving. List/Indicate **5 (five)** elements necessary for adopting a green driving.

19. As a driver, you must ensure the efficient operation of your vehicle's engine and transmission. List/Indicate **2 (two)** roles of the clutch?

20. Economic and eco-driving requires rational exploitation of the vehicle's transmission. Indicate **2 (two)** components of the transmission that multiply the engine torque transmitted to the driving wheels.

As a driver for a road transport operator in Bucharest, you carry out road transport of passengers for hire or reward through regular services from Bucharest to Zalău (RO) roundtrip with a bus that is used by the transport operator under a leasing contract.

21. When preparing for the transport, check that you have the necessary documents (for the transport). Indicate/list **4 (four)** documents, including the transport document that you must have on board of the bus, except of: the identity card, the passport, the driving license, the certificates of registration for the vehicle, the tachograph diagrams, the tachograph card, the tachograph verification proof, the vignette and the RCA insurance.

22. You are driving a vehicle equipped with an analogue tachograph. Specify what time should be set on the tachograph unit?

23. You leave for the roundtrip on Monday at 8:00 after a weekly rest period. What time do you arrive in Zalău, respecting the regulations regarding driving periods, rest periods and breaks for drivers? The distance from Bucharest to Zalău is 500 km and the average speed is 50 km/h.

24. The vehicle is equipped with a digital tachograph. Indicate what type of report represents the following combination of icons: **24h Print 24h UU**

You are employed as a driver by a road transport operator that carries out road transport of passengers for hire and reward through occasional services. The employer designates you to carry out an occasional transport of passengers from Bucharest to Venice (IT) with a group of tourists.

25. The coach is equipped with a digital tachograph. On what occasions does the driver enter the location using the digital tachograph's manual data entry function?

26. After the Venice trip, you are designated to drive in a crew with a colleague (multi-manning),

on the route from Bucharest to Berlin (DE) in a passenger transport service for hire and reward, through occasional services. The departure will take place on Thursday at 12:00. Specify in which day and at what time you must stop to take the first daily rest period with your colleague. Justify your answer.

27. The coach is equipped with a digital tachograph and is driven by a crew of two drivers. What type of activity is recorded on the card of the driver who is not driving during the period when the coach is driven by his colleague?

28. After the journey to Berlin, during a roadside check carried out by the ISCTR inspectors, it was found that you were transporting passengers with an unlicensed vehicle. Please indicate the penalties/sanctions applied.

You are driving a 4 x 2 bus.

29. How many axles does it have and what is their role?

30. The bus is equipped with a cruise control and on the highway, you decide to benefit from these advantages. You are aware that the use of cruise control combined with certain controls operated by the driver can cause shocks in the transmission. In what situations should you expect shocks in the transmission to occur when using the cruise control? List 3 (three) such situations.

31. During your professional training course and through the training within the company where you work, you were taught that as a driver your main responsibility is the safety and comfort of the passengers. Indicate/list 3 (three) cases/situations/actions of the driver that can lead to an increase risk of rollover incurs.

You are employed as a driver by a road transport operator that provides an occasional road transport of passengers. Your employer designates you to provide an occasional transport of passengers from Bucharest to Berlin roundtrip.

32. You are driving in heavy rain and immediately after the snow stops. Indicate/list 3 (three) reasons why you should keep a greater distance from the vehicles in front of you.

33. You know that while driving you must drive in such a way that you can safely stop. In this context, indicate/list 2 (two) components of the stopping distance between the moment of the perception of the danger until the effective stop of the vehicle.

34. You know that you need to ensure the rational operation of the engine and transmission of the vehicle. Indicate/list 3 (three) roles of the gearbox.

You are employed as a driver for a road transport operator that provides occasional road transport of passengers. The employer designates you to carry out an occasional transport of passengers from Bucharest to Venice roundtrip with a group of 40 people.

35. The transport operator imposes a demanding professional conduct for his drivers. What should you do regarding behaviour/lifestyle/diet, etc., to be in a good physical and mental shape before starting the journey? Indicate 5 (five) factors that contribute to ensure a good physical and mental shape.

36. During the Bucharest - Venice – Bucharest roundtrip, should you carry out security checks on your vehicle, to prevent the possible acts of cross-border crime? On what occasions do you carry out these checks?

37. While driving, a tyre situated on the front axle of the bus blew out (exploded). How do you stop the vehicle?

As a driver for a road transport operator, you provide road transport of passengers.

38. A bus has been assigned you for a transport. As part of your preparations for the journey, check the bus's minimum safety equipment. What does it contain? Indicate/list at least 5 (five) items.

39. While driving you notice smoke coming from the left rear wheel. What measures do you take? Indicate/list 5 (five) of them.

40. While transporting passengers, you are involved in a traffic accident. You are not injured and you are providing first aid to the victims. One of the injured persons has spinal injuries. What should you do in this case?

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