



No. 26 of 1961.

THE ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE, 1961.

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(4) Where a person is convicted of abetting the commission of an offence under this section and it is proved that he was present in the motor vehicle at the time of the commission of the offence, the offence of which he is convicted shall, for the purpose of the provisions of this Part of this Ordinance relating to disqualification for holding or obtaining driving licences, be deemed to be an offence in connection with the driving of a motor vehicle. [24]

25.—(1) If any person drives a motor vehicle on a road without due care and attention or without reasonable consideration for other persons using the road, he shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months or to both such fine and imprisonment, and in the case of a second or subsequent conviction to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to both such fine and imprisonment.

Driving without due care or reasonable consideration.

(2) A first or second conviction for an offence under this section shall not render the offender liable to be disqualified for holding or obtaining a driving licence for a longer period than one month in the case of a first conviction, or three months in the case of a second conviction:

Provided that where within the three years next before the date on which he is convicted for an offence under this section the offender has been convicted for an offence under section 24 of this Ordinance that conviction shall be treated for the purposes of this subsection as if it had been a conviction for an offence under this section.

26.—(1) Any person who causes the death of another person by the driving of a motor vehicle on a road recklessly, or at a speed or in a manner which is dangerous to the public, having regard to all the circumstances of the case, including the nature, condition and use of the road, and the amount of traffic which is actually at the time, or which might reasonably be expected to be, on the road, shall be guilty of an offence under this Ordinance and shall be liable on conviction to imprisonment for a term not exceeding five years.

Causing death by reckless or dangerous driving.

(2) The provisions of section 323 of the Criminal Procedure Code shall apply to any offence under this section as it applies to the offence of causing death by a rash or negligent act.

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IN THE JUDICIAL COMMITTEE OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL

ON APPEAL

FROM THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA
HOLDEN AT SINGAPORE
(APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

EXTRACT [Section 25 (1) and (2)] OF THE
SINGAPORE ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE 1961

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