A large number of requests have been received by the Ministry to provide a search application for ascertaining the genuineness of any Registration Certificate (RC) and Driving License (DL). Accordingly, the Ministry has developed search systems accessible through both SMS and Web for the use of Common Citizen to be provided free of cost.

To get the details using SMS a person will have to use.

**For RC Status Check:**  Type VAHAN <Registration No.>  and send the SMS to 7738299899

Example: VAHAN DL3CAP9473 → 7738299899

Details will come by return SMS

**For DL Status Check:**  Type SARDL <Driving License No.>  and send the SMS to 8790499899

Example: SARDL AP26 19860001659 → 8790499899

Details will come by return SMS

for detail by using web include Chasis No. and Engine of vehicle confirm the genueness of RC. The details are given in the website

**To get the limited status information related to any vehicle on the web:**

Open the parivahan portal: [http://parivahan.gov.in](http://parivahan.gov.in),

Click on the menu option: Online Services.

Under Vahan Tab, click on the option “Know your RC Status”

In the next screen, feed the Vehicle Registration No. in the given Box.

Registration Status will be shown immediately.

Alternatively,

Open the Vahan Portal: [https://vahan.nic.in](https://vahan.nic.in)

Click on the Menu Option: Vehicle Status”

In the next screen, feed the Vehicle Registration No. in the given Box.

Registration Status will be shown immediately.

**To get the limited status information related to any Driving License on the web:**

Open the parivahan portal: [http://parivahan.gov.in](http://parivahan.gov.in),

Click on the menu option: Online Services.

Under Sarathi Tab, click on the option “Know your DL Status”

In the next screen, feed the Driving License No. in the given Box.

License Status will be shown immediately.

Alternatively,

Open the Sarathi portal: [http://sarathi.nic.in](http://sarathi.nic.in),

Click on the menu option: Status of License.

These detail are being provided to ascertain existence in the RC/DL record in the Transport National Registry maintained by NIC on behalf of the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways. While the NIC has attempted to include all data from all the states, there may be some omissions and in such case citizen can contact concerned RTO for conclusive verification of genueness of the data.