

## Writing Task: Problem Solution Essay

### I. Use the words to complete the sentences below.

license	traffic	severe	re-construction	moreover	fix
safely	conclusion	attempts	injured	implemented	vehicles

### Problem-Solution Essay: Traffic Accidents

One current problem that Cambodia faces is 1. \_\_\_\_\_ accidents. This is mainly because many young people have not been properly taught how to ride their motorbikes; 2. \_\_\_\_\_, some people may lose control when driving. Because of this, people can get 3. \_\_\_\_\_ or lose their lives. I strongly believe that there are two possible solutions, which should be 4. \_\_\_\_\_ to deal with traffic accidents.

One way to tackle traffic accidents is to make young people get drivers' 5. \_\_\_\_\_ by going through serious training. They are allowed to drive only when they have proved they can do so 6. \_\_\_\_\_.

For example, to ensure the quality of driving, the United States makes the driving tests very difficult, which causes many people to make at least three 7. \_\_\_\_\_ to pass. By doing this, they make sure that young people can really drive safely.

Another method of dealing with traffic accidents is to 8. \_\_\_\_\_ the roads in Cambodia. We can fill in the potholes and broaden the roads, which makes it easier for 9. \_\_\_\_\_ to commute. For instance, countless accidents used to happen on national road number 2 in Phnom Penh; however, the number of accidents has been decreased after the 10. \_\_\_\_\_ of the road. As a result, if the roads are repaired, people will not have any more accidents from driving on bad roads.

In 11. \_\_\_\_\_, I personally believe that making young people get drivers' license and fixing the roads can effectively solve the 12. \_\_\_\_\_ problem of traffic accidents. If the government could implement these solutions, traffic accidents would soon drop.

### II. Read the essay again and complete the table.

Traffic Accidents	
Problem	
Cause of the problem	
Result of the problem	
The number of solution suggested	
Solution 1	
Evidence / Example to support	
Solution 2	
Evidence / Example to support	
Personal / Extra idea	

**III. Answer the following questions. Write full answers for each question, using your own words.**

1. Why are there traffic accidents in Cambodia?

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2. What is the bad result from the accidents?

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3. What is the first solution? What is the explanation for it?

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4. What is the second solution? What is the explanation for it?

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5. What is the suggestion at the end?

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