Scooter Accident Checklist

Steps to take after a scooter accident in Denver

Based on Denver Scooter Accident Lawyer by McCormick and Murphy

1. Immediate Actions After an Accident

Prioritize your safety and gather crucial information at the scene.

- ■ Ensure your safety and move out of traffic if possible.
- ■ Call 911 for medical attention and police report.
- ■ Seek medical attention, even for minor injuries.
- ■ Document the scene with photos/videos of the accident area.
- ■ Note the location, time, and weather conditions.
- ■ Identify and record contact information of any witnesses.

2. Information to Collect

Gather details about the other parties involved and the scooter.

- ■ Get the name and contact information of the other driver(s).
- ■ Record the license plate number of the other vehicle(s).
- ■ Note the scooter rental company and any identifying numbers.
- ■ Take photos of any damage to the scooter.
- ■ Obtain the police report number and investigating officer's details.

3. Documenting Your Injuries

Keep thorough records of your medical treatment and recovery.

- ■ Follow all doctor's recommendations for treatment.
- ■ Keep a log of all medical appointments and treatments.
- ■ Save all medical bills and receipts.
- ■ Note any pain, discomfort, or limitations experienced.
- ■ Document how injuries affect your daily life and work.

4. Understanding Liability

Identify potential causes and responsible parties for your accident.

- ■ Consider if another driver's negligence caused the accident.
- ■ Assess if a defective scooter contributed to the crash.
- ■ Evaluate if dangerous road conditions played a role.
- ■ Review the scooter rental agreement for liability clauses.
- ■ Understand that waivers may not absolve companies of all responsibility.

5. Gathering Evidence

Collect all documentation that supports your claim.

- ■ Keep copies of the police report.
- ■ Save all communication with the scooter rental company.
- ■ Collect repair estimates or invoices for scooter damage.
- ■ Gather any surveillance footage from nearby businesses.
- ■ Compile photos of road hazards or defects.

6. Consulting a Lawyer

Seek professional legal advice to understand your rights and options.

- ■ Research personal injury lawyers specializing in scooter accidents.
- ■ Schedule a consultation with a potential attorney.
- ■ Discuss the details of your accident and injuries.
- ■ Understand how the lawyer will review liability and insurance.
- ■ Ask about the lawyer's experience with similar cases.
- ■ Inquire about the fee structure and legal process.

Resources & Further Reading

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