VOICE RECOGNITION

IMPORTANT
Voice control enables you to activate important functions of your telephone system, without the need to operate the controls manually. This enables you to concentrate fully on driving the vehicle, you do not need to divert your eyes from the road ahead in order to check read-outs, and the voice control system feeds back information to you. A number of voice commands are available and, with a little experience, you will find them easy and convenient to use. Whenever you issue one of the defined commands with the system active, the voice control system converts your command into a control signal for the telephone system. Your inputs take the form of dialogues or commands. You are guided through these dialogues by announcements or questions. Please familiarise yourself with the functions of your telephone system, before using voice control.

WARNING:

Do not use the voice control for placing emergency calls. Your voice and tone could be affected by stressful situations as a result of which, the process of establishing the telephone connection could be unnecessarily delayed.

Making yourself clearly understood

The voice control system includes a special hands-free microphone mounted in the roof lining of your vehicle, at the front. This microphone filters out ambient noise. There are nevertheless a few points to observe in making sure you are properly understood:

- Speak continuously and at normal volume, avoiding unnatural emphasis and pauses between words.
- Do not speak while the voice control system itself is giving an output. The voice system emits a beep when it is waiting for a speech input.
- It is possible that noise interference from outside the vehicle could affect commands. To avoid any interference, keep the doors, windows and the sunroof closed when operating the system.
- If a command is not understood or your speech was not heard, the voice system responds with **'Sorry'**, **'Command not recognised'** or **'No speech detected'**. Please try again if this happens.
- Avoid causing background noise in the vehicle while you are speaking and ask your passengers not to talk while you are issuing voice commands.
- The hands-free microphone is positioned to pick up the driver's voice. Other occupants of the vehicle could be understood with less accuracy and are, therefore, advised to use the handset when making a telephone call.

Note: *The voice recognition directory is separate from your phone handset SIM card/ address book/phone book.*