

MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 8th September, 2011

S.O. 2056(E).— Whereas, the Central Government, by notification of the Government of India in the erstwhile Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport and Highways (Department of Road Transport and Highways) number S.O. 977 (E), dated the 20th April, 2009, issued under section 11 of the National Highways Authority of India Act, 1988 (68 of 1988), (hereinafter referred to as said Act), has entrusted the stretch from Km 168.500 - Km 265.000 (Madhya Pradesh / Maharashtra Border- Dhule section) of national highway No. 3 in the State of Maharashtra to the National Highways Authority of India (hereinafter referred to as the Authority);

And whereas, pursuant to the provisions of section 14 of the said Act, the Authority has entered into an agreement with M/s Dhule Palesner Tollway Limited, having its registered office at Hincón House, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083 (hereinafter referred to as the Concessionaire) for the development, operation and maintenance of the section from Km 168.500 to Km 265.000 (Madhya Pradesh / Maharashtra Border- Dhule section) of the National Highway No. 3 in the State of Maharashtra (hereinafter referred to as the said section) to four lane divided carriageway on Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer (DBFOT) basis;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 8A of the National Highways Act, 1956, read with the National Highways Fee (Determination of Rates and Collection) Rules, 2008, the Central Government, hereby notifies that there shall be levied and collected fees on type of mechanical vehicles specified in Column (2) of the Table (I), for the use of said section at the base rate specified in Table I and Table II thereof and authorizes the said concessionaire to collect and retain the fee subject to and in accordance with the said rules and the provisions of the said concession agreement on and from the date of commercial operation or publication of this notification in the Official Gazette, whichever is later, till the termination date, namely:--

TABLE I

Base fee rates for the road section.

Sl No	Type of Vehicle	Base rate of fee per vehicle per one way trip per km (in rupees)
(1)	(2)	(3)
1.	Car, Jeep, Van or Light Motor Vehicle	0.65
2.	Light Commercial Vehicle, Light Goods Vehicle or Mini Bus	1.05
3.	Bus or Truck	2.20
4.	Heavy Construction Machinery (HCM) or Earth Moving Equipment (EME) or Multi Axle Vehicle (MAV) (three to six axles)	3.45
5.	Oversized Vehicles (seven or more axles)	4.20

TABLE II

Base fee rates for the bridge/ tunnel/ bypass costing more than Rs 50.00 crores (Rupees fifty Crores and forming part of the section)

Base rate of fee (rupees per vehicle per one way trip)					
Cost of permanent bridge; bypass or tunnel (rupees in crores)	Car, Jeep, Van or Light Motor Vehicle	Light Commercial Vehicle, Light Goods Vehicle or Mini Bus	Truck or Bus	HCM, EME or MAV	Oversized Vehicle
10 to 15	5	7.50	15	22	30
For every additional rupees five crores or part thereof, exceeding rupees fifteen crores and up to rupees one hundred crores.	1	1.50	3	4.50	6

Notes:-

1. For the purpose of this notification,-

(i) "actual fee" means the fees actually charged from the road users of the said section on the basis of-

(a) length of the project highway assigned at each toll plaza;

(b) base fee rates provided in the above Table duly indexed, and shall be rounded off to nearest Five rupee;

(ii) "date of commercial operation" means the date on which Completion Certificate or the Provisional Completion Certificate is issued in accordance with the said agreement;

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- (iii) "termination date" means the date on which the agreement entered into between the Authority and the Concessionaire expires pursuant to the provisions of the said agreement or is terminated by termination notice;
- (iv) words and expressions used in this notification and not defined but defined in the agreement entered into between the Authority and the Concessionaire in respect of the said section shall have the same meaning as assigned to them respectively in the said agreement.
2. The rate of monthly pass for local personal traffic is Rs. 150.00 (One Hundred fifty Rupees) for the year 2007-08 which is subject to revision every year as per the provisions of the National Highways Fee (Determination of Rates and Collection) Rules, 2008.
3. For multiple journey on the highway section, passes shall be issued at the following rates, namely.

Amount Payable	Maximum number of one way journeys allowed	Period of validity
One and half times of the fee for one way journey	Two	Twenty four hours from the time of payment
Two-third of amount of the fee payable for fifty or more single journeys	Fifty or more	One month from date of payment

4. No revision shall be effected within a period of six months from the date of the preceding revision of fee.
5. The fee shall be collected at the following location of Toll Plazas for the length specified:

S. No.	Location of Toll Plaza.	Length (in km) for which Fee payable.
1	At Km 205.000	For the section of 45.600 Km and Tapti River Bridge of approximately 0.600 kilometer long having estimated cost of rupees 51.40 crores and Wild Life Aner Dam Sancturay Bypass of approximately 5.80 kilometer long having estimated cost of 64.64 crores.
2	At Km 244.500	For the section of approximately 35.00 Km long and Naradana Bypass of approximately 2.00 kilometer long having estimated cost of rupees 56.00 crores.

6. Exemption from payment of fee , rates of fee for overloaded vehicles, discounts in rates etc shall be in accordance with the said rules.

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