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Sub:- Open disclosure of the agreements between NHAI and Toll collecting agencies.

Sir,

I need to appraise you that , recently an RTI reply by NHAI to an advocate of Punjab revealed that no toll can be levied on a vehicle which had spent more than 03 minutes at a toll plaza. After few days NHAI had issued a circular which say that there is no such provision in the rules made for toll collection (2010).

However, the fact is that NHAI makes an agreement with each toll collecting agency or company and time limit and numbers of vehicles in a queue are also mentioned in every agreement for better performance.

My suggestion is that all agreements of NHAI and toll collection agencies must be put on NHAI's website and on a painted board at toll plaza, so that every citizen can know the facts and it will lead to proper and accountable functioning of the toll plazas.

Thanking you

Yours Sincerely


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