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## [Kind Attention: - Sh. Rajesh Kumar Singh & Sh. Priyaranjan]

Sub: Six laning of Varanasi-Aurangabad Sanction of NH-2 from Km 786.00 to Km978.400 In the state of UP and Bihar on DBFOT (Toll) Basis under NHDP Phase-V- Unnecessary closure of lanes at Mohania Toll plaza at (Km.860.00) - reg.

Sir,

In the above subject, it is intimated that during surprise check on 22.01.2024 at 08:30 AM, it was noticed that toll collection was being carried out only through a single lane on LHS and there were huge traffic Jam happened at toll plaza at that time. The site photographs are enclosed herewith for ready reference.

There was a toll personnel present at toll plaza and he was asked about above incident why 04 nos. toll lanes out of total 05 nos. toll lanes are closed on LHS. Firstly, he misbehaved in talking and told that it is not possible for toll both operators to attend the duty in so early morning hours in ongoing foggy season. Further he said that you are free to complain anywhere in this regard.

The behavior of toll personnel was completely surprised and it attracts the penal action against Concessionaire 20 accordance to NHAI Policy circular no. 17.5.86/2023 dated 05.10.2023 and previous relevant circulars. It also attracts penal action against Concessionaire on account of lane closure under provisions of article 17.7 of Concession Agreement.

In view of above, please explain why not action be taken against the concession for the above mentioned event.

GM(Tech.)/Project Director

Copy to: - Regional Officer, NHAI, RO-Patna, Bihar.