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House Resolution No. 428



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**Introduced by Representative Sol Aragon**

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**A RESOLUTION URGING THE SOUTH LUZON EXPRESSWAY (SLEX)  
OPERATORS TO SUSPEND THE PAYMENT OF, OR LOWER THE RATES OF  
THE TOLL FEES**

**WHEREAS**, the South Luzon Expressway (SLEX) is the primary gateway of motorists and commuters to the provinces located in Southern Luzon;

**WHEREAS**, it is estimated to serve an average of around 370,000 motorists and commuters daily;

**WHEREAS**, there is an on-going construction of the Skyway extension;

**WHEREAS**, the construction of the Skyway extension required the closure of some lanes of the the South Luzon Expressway (SLEX);


**WHEREAS**, the lane closure in the South Luzon Expressway (SLEX) is causing severe inconvenience to the motorists and commuters plying the expressway because of the gridlock caused by the traffic;

**WHEREAS**, the motorists and commuters pay for the use of the expressway precisely because it makes their travel time faster;

**WHEREAS**, the motorists and commuters should be provided relief from the inconvenience caused by the worsening traffic conditions in the expressway;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED,** that the House of Representatives, urge the operators of the South Luzon Expressway (SLEX) to suspend the collection of payment of toll fees, or lower the rates collected from the motorists and the commuters, for a period of six (6) months.

Adopted,

  
**Rep. Sol Aragon**  
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