

SENATE OF PAKISTAN
House of the Federation



REPORT NO. 3 of 2020

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNICATIONS

ON

**POINT OF PUBLIC IMPORTANCE REGARDING "CHARGING OF DUAL TOLL
TAX ON SUKKUR-MULTAN MOTORWAY" RAISED BY SENATOR MIAN
MUHAMAMD ATEEQ SHAIKH IN THE SENATE SITTING HELD ON 13TH
AUGUST, 2020**

PRESENTED BY

SENATOR HIDAYAT ULLAH
CHAIRMAN
STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNICATIONS

SENATE SECRETARIAT

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I, Senator Hidayat Ullah, Chairman Senate Standing Committee on Communications, have the honor to present the report of the Committee on the Point of Public Importance regarding "charging of dual toll tax on Sukkur-Multan Motorway" raised by Senator Mian Muhamamd Ateeq Shaikh in the Senate sitting held on 13th August, 2020. The matter was referred to the Standing Committee for consideration and report.

2. The composition of the Standing Committee is as follows:-

1.	Senator Hidayat Ullah	Chairman
2.	Senator Liaqat Khan Tarakai	Member
3.	Senator Ahmed Khan	Member
4.	Senator Dr. Jehanzeb Jamaldini	Member
5.	Senator Syed Muhammad Sabir Shah	Member
6.	Senator Agha Shahzaib Durrani	Member
7.	Senator Lt. Gen. (R) Salahuddin Tirmizi	Member
8.	Senator Bahramand Khan Tangi	Member
9.	Senator Fida Muhammad	Member
10.	Senator Gianchand	Member
11.	Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar	Member
12.	Senator Mir Muhammad Yousaf Badini	Member
13.	Senator Islamuddin Shaikh	Member

3. The Standing Committee on Communications considered the matter in its meeting held on 27.10.2020 under the Chairmanship of Senator Hidayat Ullah, which was attended by following hon'ble members:-

1.	Senator Hidayat Ullah	Chairman
2.	Senator Lt. Gen. (R) Salahuddin Tirmizi	Member
3.	Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar	Member
4.	Senator Mir Muhammad Yousaf Badini	Member
5.	Senator Mian Muhamamd Ateeq Shaikh	Mover


4. Secretary Communications and Chairman NHA briefed the committee about the Point of Public Importance raised by Senator Mian Muhamamd Ateeq Shaikh regarding, charging of dual toll tax on Sukkur-



Multan Motorway. Chairman NHA informed the committee that since toll collection on M-4 was being made by two different toll operators; therefore, segregation toll plaza was established at Shorkot interchange. He further apprised the committee that segregation toll plaza was established as a stopgap solution. The need for establishment of this toll plaza aroused because two sections of the Sukkur-Multan Motorway were completed in different times. Initially only one operator was taking toll as the other, section was still under construction. He further informed the committee that after 30th June 2020, same operator M/s Muhammad Ramzan & Co & Good Luck Enterprises (JV) was awarded contract for entire section i.e. Pindi Bhattian-Multan. He assured the committee that it will take another week to complete cordial formalities between toll operators and afterwards this issue will be resolved. Chairman Committee lauded the efforts of the mover and NHA for resolving this issue.

5. Senator Mian Muhamamd Ateeq Shaikh, Mover of the subject matter showed satisfaction on the response provided by the Ministry of Communications, therefore, the Committee disposed off the instant matter.


(MUDASSAR SHER ALI GONDAL)
Secretary Committee


(SENATOR HIDAYAT ULLAH)
Chairman Committee