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**ROAD TRAFFIC ACT
(CHAPTER 68)**

ROAD TRAFFIC (COLLECTION OF TOLLS) ORDER, 2000

In exercise of the power conferred by subsection (1) of section 79A of the Road Traffic Act, the Minister of Communications with the approval of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan hereby makes the following Order —

Citation and commencement.

1. This Order may be cited as the Road Traffic (Collection of Tolls) Order, 2000 and shall commence on the 1st. April, 2000.

Provision of toll-booths.

2. (1) Toll-booths shall be established on or near the roads or bridges specified in the first column of Schedule 1 at the places specified in the second column of that Schedule.

(2) The Minister shall, on such conditions as he may think fit, provide and maintain the buildings, equipment and facilities necessary for the proper functioning of toll-booths and the sale of coupons.

(3) Each toll-booth shall be conspicuously sign-posted.

Payment of tolls.

3. (1) The driver of a motor vehicle intending to pass through a toll-booth shall —

(a) stop where indicated; and

(b) pay the toll or produce a valid toll coupon, applicable to that vehicle.

(2) Tolls are not payable in respect of or by —

(a) motor vehicles owned by, or in the service of, the Government when on official business;

(b) fire-fighting vehicles, ambulances or any other motor vehicle being driven to or from emergencies;

(c) motor vehicles driven by persons covered by the Diplomatic Privileges (Vienna Convention) Act (*Chapter 117*), or the Diplomatic

Privileges (Extension) Act (*Chapter 85*), or exempted under the provisions of any similar law;

(d) residents of Kampong Sungai Teraban and Sungai Dua area;

(e) any person or motor vehicle or class of persons or motor vehicles exempted by the Minister from the provisions of this paragraph.

Rates of tolls.

4. (1) Tolls shall be levied, at the rates, and in respect of the categories of motor vehicles, set out in Schedule 2.

(2) The rates payable under this paragraph shall be conspicuously displayed at each toll-booth.

Coupons and records.

5. (1) A coupon, in a form approved by the Minister of Finance shall be issued on payment of a toll.

(2) A record of all payments received and coupons issued shall be kept at places selling the coupons.

Appointment and duties of toll-collectors.

6. The Minister shall authorise in writing the appointment of toll-collectors to collect tolls and to perform such other duties which the Minister may prescribe for the purposes of this Order.

Offences.

7. (1) A person is guilty of an offence who —

(a) drives a motor vehicle through a toll-booth except by a route designated for that vehicle;

(b) fails to stop, pay the toll or produce a valid coupon, at a toll-booth;

(c) falsely represents that he has paid, or is not liable to pay, a toll for the particular road or bridge; or

(d) obstructs a toll-collector in the performance of any duty under this Order.

(2) A toll-collector who issues a false or counterfeit coupon for the payment of a toll is guilty of an offence.

(3) The maximum penalty for —

(a) a first offence under sub-paragraphs (1) or (2) shall be one thousand dollars, imprisonment for three months or both;

(b) a second or subsequent offence shall be two thousand dollars, imprisonment for six months or both.

Police powers.

8. Part X of the Road Traffic Act shall apply and have effect with regard to persons suspected of having committed an offence under this Order.

Amendment of Schedules.

9. The Minister may amend Schedule 1 or Schedule 2, by order published in the *Gazette*.

SCHEDULE 1
(paragraph 2(1))

Road/bridge	Location of toll-booth
Rasau Bridge	Located at Km 1.5, Kuala Belait Bypass

SCHEDULE 2
(paragraph 4(1))

Motor vehicle category	Rates of toll per single journey
Motorcycle	\$1.00
Private car	\$3.00
Taxicab	\$5.00
Motor vehicle having gross weight between 3,000 kg and 5,000 kg	\$10.00
Motor vehicle having gross weight 5,000 kg and above, and motor omnibus having seating accommodation for 22 or more passengers	\$20.00
Oil tanker	\$20.00
Trailer	\$20.00

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Made this 26th. day of Muharam, 1421 Hijriah corresponding to the 1st. day of May, 2000.

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