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To

- 1. Hon. Chief Minister of Maharashtra Mantralava, Mumbai – 400 021.
- 2. Hon. Home Minister of Maharashtra Mantralaya, Mumbai 400 021.
- 3. Hon. Guardian Minister for Thane District.
 - 4 The Police Commissioner, Navi Mumbai, CBD Belapur.
- 5. The Commissioner, Navi Mumbai Municipal Corpn.

Date: 09/12/2013

Sub: Regarding large scale accidents took place on the Palm Beach Road in Navi Mumbai.

Sir,

The length of Palm beach road in Navi Mumbai is just 7 kms. but death ratio of road accident is very high. On the other side length of Pune Express Highway is approximately 120 kms. but surprisingly the death ratio of road accident here is very low i.e. just 10 % of the accidents occurred on Palm Beach road. In order to minimize the mortality ratio on Palm Beach Road, our NGO has thoroughly study the reasons behind large scale of accidents being took place on this Road and searched following remedy which may kindly be perused and get it checked through the traffic experts and road expert body of State Government.

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Palm Beach Road is made up on the line of Express Type road. It is the imitation of Express Road. But the cuts road for crossing both side of road are obstacles in smooth driving and it is dangerous for human life. Cut roads should not be allowed to be constructed adjacent to Palm Beach Road. If the state Govt. administration and traffic department feel it proper to put cut roads, in that condition the Govt. should take care that cut road should be designed on driving direction of both side of Palm Beach Road.

Crossing on Palm Beach Road should be closed. No dividing cuts should be there on Palm Beach Road. Vehicles should not be allowed to cross the road from both the side.

Loss cause to human life, Insurance companies are also have to bear the huge loss due to high rate of mortality on Palm Beach Road accidents.

The concerned road authority may check that alignment of Palm Beach Road is not proper as per road designing criteria.

Service road is not at all utilized though there is a provision of service road. Govt. should take care of service road and service road must be brought in use. It will help to enroot the traffic on Palm Beach Road in proper shape and help for smooth driving. Builders are abruptly doing encroachment in existing service road.

Our NGO is having number of remedies to reduce the mortality ratio on Palm Beach Road for example Speed Radar can be installed at Palm Beach Road. The photograph of Dubai based Speed Radar is enclosed herewith for ready reference. If Traffic department invite ideas invented by this NGO to minimize the high rate of accidents on Palm Beach Road, this NGO shall cordially provide all study material on remedy invented by us to the Traffic Department.

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The Government, Guardian Minister and concerned authorities of Navi Mumbai are always pronouncing their ambition to convert Navi Mumbai into Shanghai, but instead of making the roads like Shanghai in Navi Mumbai, the concerned authority is making Palm Beach Road to be converted into Death Beach Road.

This NGO had already wrote a letter on the same subject to the Traffic department, Hon. Guardian Minister and Municipal Commissioner, NMMC ON 3RD dune 2013. But neither any action taken by Govt. nor any reply received to us. If no progress is seen within one month from the date of receipt of this letter, then this NGO shall not hesitate to file PIL on this issue in the Court of Law.

Hope to receive positive reply to this letter.

Thanking you,

Encl. - As above.

Yours Sincerely,



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Date: 22nd Sept. 2013

To
The Dy. Commissioner of Police/ RTO
Navi Mumbai at CBD Belapur.

Subject: Complaint against USING FANCY NUMBER PLATES.

Respected Sir,

Hon. Supreme Court of India has given directives to use the High Security Number Plates on vehicles in compulsory manner. But in Navi Mumbai lots of vehicle owner are not using High Security Number Plates on their vehicles. On the other hand the vehicle owners are using fancy number plates in attractive manner and prove themselves as a fashionable car owner. The car owners must use number plates as per the norms of RTO. In fact not using High Security Number Plates on vehicles is a act which contra vend the rules of traffic and RTO. The Traffic and RTO department of Navi Mumbai must have to take an action against the user of fancy number plates on the vehicle.

Now a days crime and rape incidences are increasing and the criminals/ terrorists can take advantage of fancy name plate and fly away safely from the site of crime. Remember the black goggle glass and black films on vehicle glass were removed few months back by virtue of orders received from Govt. as huge instances of crime were occurred behind the black glasses of vehicle. On the same line campaign against the vehicle owners who are not using High Security Number Plates on vehicles must have to be started efficiently by Navi Mumbai Traffic Police/ RTO. But no any initiative is being taken by the Navi Mumbai Traffic police since years together which is disgusting thing for Navi Mumbai Traffic police.

In this context, our NGO had sent RTI application to know what action Navi Mumbai traffic police taken against the vehicle owners who are not observing the norms of RTO department in respect of using High Security Number Plates on vehicles. But to my surprise the reply received from Navi Mumbai Sub-Regional RTO Traffic OFFICE, Vashi, Navi Mumbai was very discouraging and undesired as they have given NIL information. Copy of our RTI application dated 9/7/2013 and copy of reply from your department dated 17th July 2013 is enclosed herewith for ready reference. If you scrupulously go through this RTI reply you will realize that the said reply itself prove the inefficiency of Navi Mumbai Traffic Police. If this vogue reply put forth before your higher authority, it will prove inflammable.

In this connection, you are requested to please take serious action against the car owners and number plates manufacturers as this issue pertains to security and honour to law.

Hope for your comprehensive reply on this sensitive issue containing details of action taken against such car owners shall receive to us expeditiously.

Thanking you,

Encl. - Copy of RTI application.

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