

Road use charge, goods transport Belarus

As of 1 July 2013, an electronic toll collection system, BelToll has been introduced in the republic Belarus.

The BelToll system consists of two components visible to the driver: the toll gantries and the on-board units (OBU), which drivers are obliged to install in their vehicle. It ensures proper toll collection from inside the vehicle. When the vehicle that is subject to tolling passes underneath the gantry, the small unit mounted on the inside of the windscreen communicates with the toll gantries using microwave technology based on DSRC (Dedicated Short Range Communication).

The gantries (tolling stations) are located on toll roads segments. All toll road segments are marked with "Toll Road" signs, installed along the roads.

Toll payment through the BelToll system applies to the following vehicle categories:

- motor vehicles with a maximum laden weight exceeding 3.5 tons;
- motor vehicles with a maximum laden weight not exceeding 3.5 tons registered outside the Eurasian Economic Union.

From 1 May, toll road users will be able to use a <u>new function</u> which allows them to pay a one-time fee for violations within two hours from the moment of violation, to avoid being charged a subsequent fee increase later. In addition, users will be able to subscribe for free SMS notifications of violations recorded by the BelToll system.

These features will be available through your Personal Account on the site www.beltoll.by. BelToll recommends creating an account in advance using the login to the Personal Account – Register now.

More information is available on the official website: http://beltoll.by/index.php/en/beltoll-system.

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