



eTrans'22

EMPOWERING CITIZENS WITH
NEXTGEN TRANSPORT SERVICES

Two-day Zonal Workshop on eTransport Project

The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) and the National Informatics Centre (NIC) held a two-day zonal workshop titled eTrans'22 (29-30 August 2022) in Udaipur, Rajasthan. The workshop was attended by delegates from the Transportation and Police Departments of numerous state governments. NIC's eTransport project, a crucial national initiative, was the topic of discussions. Also, deliberations were made on the use of new technology and business processes to propel the project to a higher level.

Shri Amardeep Singh Rai, ADG Traffic (Punjab), Shri Vikas Garg, Transport Secretary (Punjab), Shri Piyush Patel, IGP (Gujarat), Smt. Anupam Kulshrestha, ADG Traffic (UP) and Shri V. K. Singh, ADG Traffic (Rajasthan) were among the dignitaries from the Transport and Police departments who took part in the workshop. Shri Pawan Joshi, DDG, Shri Joydeep Shome, DDG, Shri B. V. Reddy, STD, and Shri Rana Pratap, STD, were the organising officers from NIC. Over 125 delegates from 12 States and UTs participated in the workshop.

In the post-inaugural session, new services and enhancements in Vahan, Sarathi, eChallan and Pollution Under Control Certificate (PUC) were presented. A demo-presentation on the NextGen mParivahan mobile app showcased the additional citizen-centric services offered by the app and how it will help the citizens in availing services from the comfort of their homes. A detailed presentation was made on the Vehicle Location Tracking and Emergency Alert System (VLT&EAS) and how it can play a pivotal role in enhancing the security of Public Road transport in India.

An informative session on the Integrated Road Accident Database (iRAD) app provides accurate and uniform road accident database for facilitating easy forecasting and decision-making for the reduction of road accidents. This was followed by an open house session for brainstorming on innovative ideas and recording valuable feedback from participants.

The workshop ended with a panel discussion, Way Forward, eTransport applications, deliberating on standardisation of the eTransport applications and processes and making the standards uniform across the country.

