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INBrief

Toll-free travel over Songkran

FESTIVITIES: The transport ministry will waive the toll fee on some motorways during the upcoming Songkran festival.

Transport Minister Saksayam Chidchob said a 36km section of the new Bang Pa-in-Nakhon Ratchasima motorway from Pak Chong to Sikhiu in Nakhon Ratchasima would be toll-free from April 9-19.

Motorway route 7 from Bangkok to Pattaya and route 9 from Bang Pa In to Bang Khunthian will also be toll-free from April 9-16, said the directorgeneral of the Department of



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Highways, Sarawut Songsivilai.

He said his department would be working with Highway Police and other government agencies to jointly operate 421 service points 24/7 on roads all over the country.