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THE EFFECT OF THE E-TOLL ON THE SUGAR BEET LOGISTICS

ABSTRACT

The toll system which was introduced in 2013 has had a significant impact on the logistics process of the sugar beet in the production area of Magyar Cukor Zrt. since then. The e-toll increased the logistics costs of the road transport by 8% in average. The calculations have shown that the burden of the toll could be higher than the average, in some cases even by 30%. In case of sugar beet road transport option for the return load is minimal, and according to the regulation the toll has to be paid not only in case of loaded vehicles but for empty vehicles too, and this results in a further significant increase in the cost of the raw material logistics.