Odisha Motor Vehicle Department signed an MOU (Memorandum of Understanding) with HDFC Bank for e-collection of motor vehicle related revenues. The citizens now can pay all kind of Motor Vehicles related taxes, fees and fines through digital payment in the offices of State Transport Authority, Regional Transport Offices and during checking by enforcement officials at the spot.

This is a way forward and outreach to the common citizens in consistent with the commitment of Hon’ble Chief Minister, Odisha enabling delivery of citizen centric services though Technology, Transparency and Team Work.

HDFC Bank will install 162 PoS machines in the offices of State Transport Authority, Regional Transport Offices throughout the state. HDFC Bank will also provide 195 mobile E-challan devices to all the enforcement officers. The Mobile E-challan device has been integrated with SARATHI & VAHAN database to generate the Vehicle Checking Report (VCR) on the spot. All the enforcement officials like Road Transport Officers, Motor Vehicle Inspectors, Traffic Inspectors, Junior MVIs, Traffic Sub Inspectors will be able to generate the VCR on the spot and collect the compounding fees then and there through digital payment. The citizens now can pay the dues at the offices and pay the compounding fees at the spot through credit card/debit card without any additional payment of convenience fee.

The issue of VCR in manual form will be stopped wef 1st November, 2018 and all the enforcement officers will generate VCR through the e-challan device only. Through this device, the officer can verify the details of the driver and the vehicle including the history of offences. The repeat offenders can be imposed higher fines as per the rule.

The MoU was signed at the Office of State Transport Authority in Cuttack, between Mr. Sanjeeb Panda, IPS Transport Commissioner, State Transport Authority and Mr. Debashis Senapati, Regional Head, Odisha, HDFC Bank on 15.10.2018.