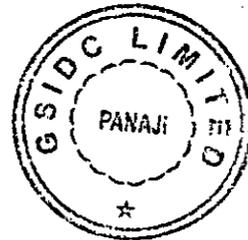


**COST BENEFIT ANALYSIS**

The Project of “**Design & Construction of Bridge across river Mandovi at Panaji including approaches on NH-17 between Pundalik Nagar junction (Porvorim) to Mercedes Junction**” will decongest the traffic at the various junctions in the city. This will also aid in reducing the time and fuel cost of the travelers utilizing the new bridge. The bridge will curb the air pollution and noise pollution which is generated during the peak hours traffic jams. Further, the iconic bridge is expected to draw the tourist as the said bridge will be a major tourist attraction, thus boosting the economy of the State.



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