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- [Legal Research Digest 81](#) - Legal Issues Concerning the Use of Transportation Facilities to Generate Revenue for State DOTs
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  o NCHRP 20-06/Topic 26-01 - Effects of Indian Treaties on Development and Operation of Transportation Facilities
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