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The current approaches in order to allow the investments for safety are either the authorization from EC for the extension of the Concession period allowed as a "State Aid" or as an instrument for the financial equilibrium

For instance this kind of approach was adopted by EC in February 2006 in order to cover additional costs for new standards of safety both for the Monte Bianco Tunnel and

for the Maurice Lemarie Tunnel

Currently, 140 Tunnel facilities are operated with a total length of about 324 km from ASFINAG. Because of this high proportion of tunnel on all routes, ensuring a maximum level of safety and efficiency in tunnel is a key goal for ASFINAG. Directive is applied on all motorways, not only in TERN.

According the experience of ASFINAG, tunnel safety could be greatly improved thank to technological developments and organizational measures in the event of an incident or accident. ASFINAG annually invests about €200 million in truction and rehabilitation of tunnels. In the Directive timeframe.

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