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MANAGING MOUNTAIN PASSES EXPOSED TO AVALANCHES

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Summary:

Managing mountain passes exposed to avalanches is a great concern both for the Norwegian Public Roads Administration (NPRA) and the contractors in mountainous areas. One of the important transport corridors in Norway along the trunk road E136 in Romsdalen is an example of a road exposed to road closures every winter due to avalanches that are already triggered or the risk for avalanches is considered to be too high to let the traffic pass through.

