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**The “fastest” energy on the roads through through Turkey’s holiday**

**Uninterrupted journeys with**

**Zorlu Energy’s quick charging points**

**Zorlu Energy’s new-generation technology brand ZES (Zorlu Energy Solutions) offers free charging with its 9 fast charging points established on the most traveled Turkish highways throughout its launching period. Electric vehicle drivers will be able to charge their electric cars at the free charging points on the Istanbul-Izmir, Ankara-Izmir and Istanbul-Ankara highways during the Eid holiday.**

After the installment of its first facility at Istanbul Zorlu Center which is the Turkey’s fastest charging point, Zorlu Energy’s new-generation technology brand ZES (Zorlu Energy Solutions) has accelerated the installation of electric vehicle charging points which will contribute to the development of the electric vehicle ecosystem in Turkey.

ZES has installed charging units in the rest areas no. O3, O37 and O68 on the Istanbul-Izmir Highway. ZES electric car charging points have been in service at “Bozüyük-Sarar Outlet” and “Susurluk-Festiva” **since 15 August**. To add to the investments, the number of ZES car charging spots will reach 9 with the addition of three points located at “Afyon-Kolaylı Rest Area”, “Uşak-Festiva”, and “Bolu- Highway”.

Having introduced Turkey’s fastest charging unit at Zorlu Center, in its new installations ZES has increased the number of vehicles that can be charged at the same time to 40 via the same system. Electric vehicle owners now have the opportunity to travel as they please thanks to free charging on highways connecting Istanbul, Izmir, and Ankara throughout the course of the Eid holiday.

**Don’t forget to get your free ZES Card!**

As an electric car driver, you can now get recognized by the ZES system to receive better quality service. All you need to do is download the **ZES App** and fill out the request form. The card and membership are completely free and with the **ZES App**,users can buy subscriptions, view the location of charging units, and access navigation.

To receive a ZES Card, you can send a request form at **www.zes.net** or call the **ZES Call Center** at 0850 339 99 37.

Cards are personalized for ZES users and delivered within 2 working days after the request. ZES users can get information on the system and services or become a member via the website or the mobile app. They can also get live technical support from the call center when necessary.

**Smooth travel through holiday traffic with Turkey’s fastest charging units**

ZES has two types of charging stations: normal (AC-22kW) and fast (DC-100kW). In the fast units, depending on the vehicle type and model, it’s possible to charge in 30-60 minutes. These units can serve four vehicles at the same time.

The primary objective of ZES has been to cover the routes connecting Istanbul-Ankara-Izmir with fast charging points to provide convenience and speed to its users. But it also has 40 charging units of standard speed (22kW) in other provinces. Having introduced the first and the fastest charging unit at the Zorlu Center, ZES aims to increase the number of charging units to over 100 by the end of this year!