भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेलवे बोर्ड RAILWAY BOARD)

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PCME's /All Zonal Railways & PU's. PCME/COFMOW

Sub: Retrofitment of CBC on ICF design coaches.

In suppression of previous instructions regarding provision of CBC on ICF design coaches, following instructions are issued for compliance of Zonal Railways:-

- 1. Work of Retrofitment of CBC in place of screw coupling will be carried on ICF coaches during Mid Life Rehabilitation (MLR) only.
- 2. COFMOW has recently awarded work of Retrofitment of CBCs on ICF coaches for 1600 numbers for various workshops of Indian Railways. The nominated workshops can undertake this work on coaches where both head stocks are required to be changed during POH. However, after completion of this work no further work orders will be issued for Retrofitment of CBC on ICF coaches during POH.
- 3. The available Head Stock and CBCs with BDG can be utilized during MLR of ICF coaches. CBCs with BDG can also be utilized for conversion of non-DBG CBCs of existing LHB and CBC-ICF coaches and charged to respective RSPs. Zonal Railways are instructed to cancel all the uncovered dues as well as reduce the quantity in already placed Purchase Orders for head stocks to the extent feasible, based on the requirement of the Zonal Railways.

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