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The Chief Mechanical Engineers
All Indian Railways

Sub:- Wagon Maintenance facilities at ICDs

Ref:- (i) Railway board’s letter No. 2006/M(N)/951/1 dated 17/20.8.2007

At present, Wagon Dte./RDSO is doing first time inspection of ICD before commissioning as per instructions issued vide Board’s letter mentioned above.

Since various CTO’s had started operations from 2007 onwards, multiple requests are being received by RDSO for inspection of proposed ICDs. RDSO vide letter under reference (ii) have requested Board to empower Zonal Railways to carry out inspection of ICD at the time of commissioning which is presently being carried out by Wagon Dte. of RDSO.

It has now been decided to empower Zonal Railways to carry out the inspection of ICD at the time of commissioning, which is presently being done by Wagon Dte. of RDSO in terms of Railways Board’s letter referred at (i) above, in the standard format as used by RDSO. The facilities should be inspected by Mechanical Officer nominated by CME and not below the level of JA Grade. This officer should inspect the facilities before commencement of train examination and the final approval may be given by the CME of the Railway. Thereafter, this inspection should be done at every two years interval by nominated officer.

However, RDSO may be informed of such inspections by Zonal Railways from time-to-time.

Copy to: (i) ED(W)/RDSO for information in reference to his letter No. MW.CONTR. Maint.Pvt. dated 21.11.2014.

(ii) EDTT(F)/Railway Board - for information.

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