The Pr. Chief Mechanical Engineers
All Indian Railways

Sub: Retrofitment of twin pipe in wagons owned by private parties.
Ref: RDSO’s letters No.MW/APB dated 18.04.2018 & 03.05.2018.

Vide letters u/r reference, instruction were issued w.r.t. twin pipe conversion in wagons owned and operated under WLS, LWIS, SFTO, AFTO and other such policy of IR, where these wagons need to be converted under contract entered into by the concerned owners with the suitable agencies.

On some railways doubt has been raised whether these instructions are applicable on those cases also where the conversion work is taken up by the railway either departmentally or through outsourcing.

It is clarified that the process “as specified vide letters u/r” is applicable only in cases of private wagons that being converted under contract enter into by such private party.

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