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Sub: Budget Speech 2013-14 – Items pertaining to Stores Department.

In the Railway Budget speech 2013-14, Hon’ble MR has announced following two items pertaining to stores Department:

1. **Scrap Disposal**

   Railways have been annually disposing of scrap which not only generates revenue but also helps in decluttering the work space. I intend to institute a special drive during the year to take up disposal of scrap lying in Stores Depots, workshops, along the track at construction sites. A target of Rs. 4,500 crores has been set for 2013-14

2. **Green Energy Initiatives**

   Railway remain firmly committed to protecting the environment and promoting sustainable development and use of energy efficient technologies. One of the steps proposed is –

   “Encourage more usage of agro-based and recycled paper and ban use of plastic in catering”.

   Necessary steps may be taken to implement the above announcements.

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