OVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAY
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The General Managers,
All Indian Railways.

Sub:- Incurring of excess expenditure than the sanctioned amount by Railways.

While examining Revised Estimates for new lines, gauge conversion and doubling projects, it has been observed that in number of cases, Railways are spending much more than the amount sanctioned in the last estimate. There is a delay in preparation and submission of revised estimates to Railway Board for sanction. Railways are first spending extra amount and then seeking post facto sanction to regularize this expenditure. This has been viewed very seriously by the sanctioning authority.

Railways are therefore, advised to ensure strict adherence to Para 1136 of Engineering Code and restrict incurrence of expenditure within sanctioned amount. Railways must ensure timely preparation and submission of revised estimates to Railway Board for sanction by competent authority well in advance.

(Director/Works-II)

Copy to: Chief Administrative Officers/ Construction,
All Indian Railways.