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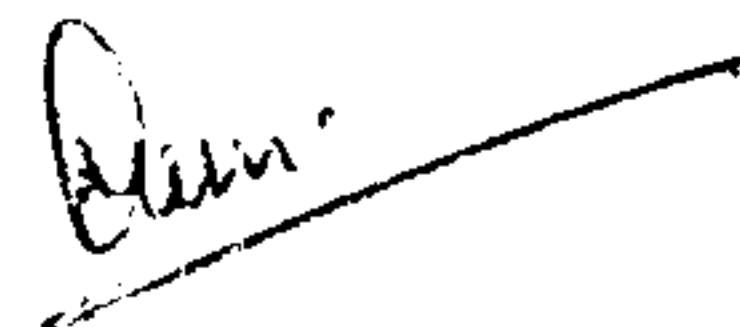
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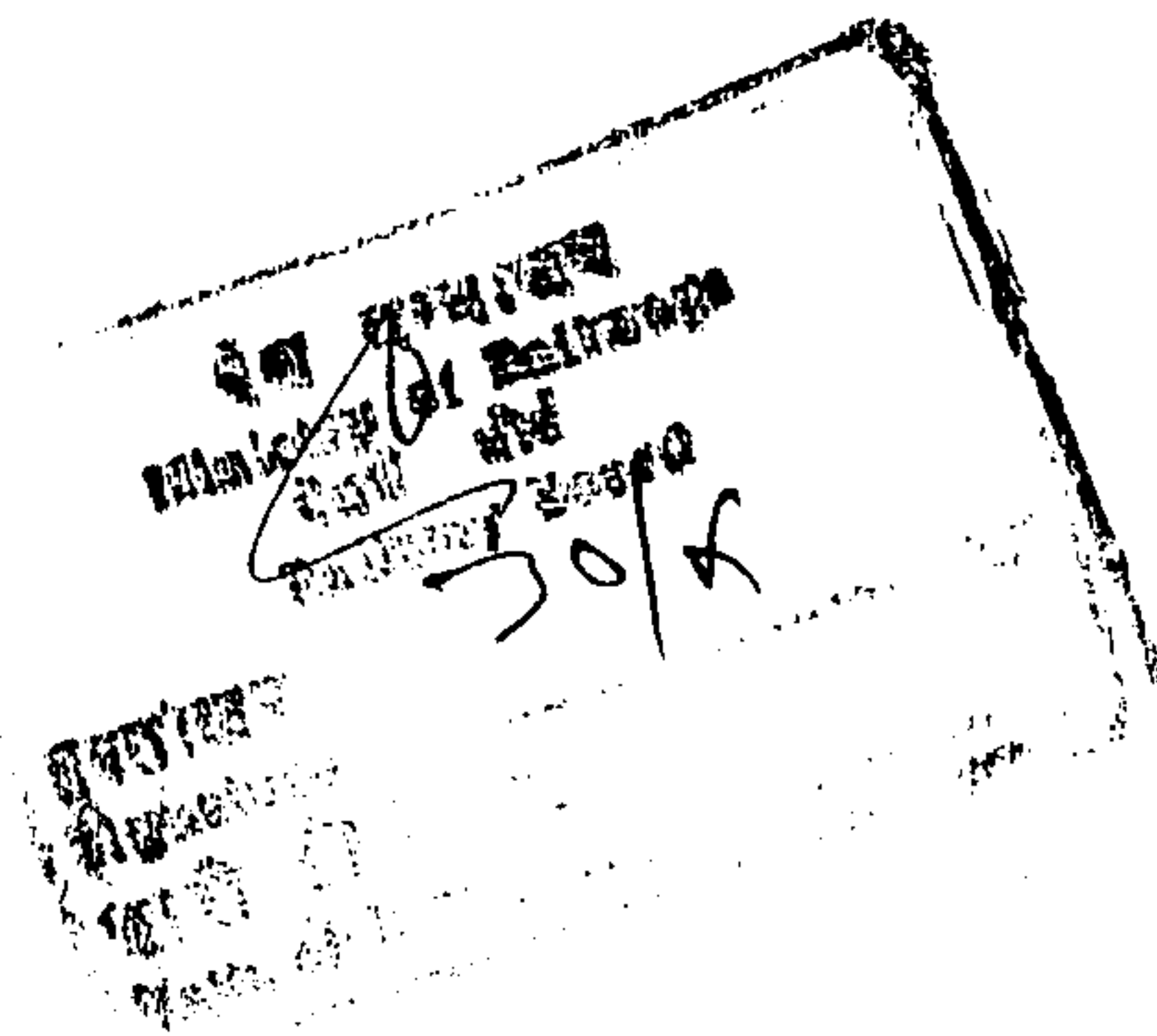
**Sub: Free time rules in cases where manual & mechanical both the means are used for loading/unloading of a rake**

Please refer to ECR's letter No. ECR/CRM/004/Renukoot/DHN/BG dt.9.10.2006 wherein a clarification has been sought regarding free time rules in cases where manual and mechanical both the means are used for loading/unloading of a rake.

- 2.0 The matter has been examined and it is clarified that in the case where both manual and mechanical type of operations are used for loading/unloading of a rake, the more restrictive free time i.e. free time for mechanized loading/unloading will be permitted.
- 3.0 This issues with the concurrence of the Finance and Traffic Transportation Directorates in the Ministry of Railways.



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