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भारत सरकार Government Of India
रेल मंत्रालय Ministry Of Railways
(रेलवे बोर्ड) (Railway Board)

No. 2014/CE-I/CT/0/21 New Delhi, Dated 15th July 2014

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways including PUs.

विषय : Execution of Railway works under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA).

संदर्भ : 1. Hon'ble MR's letter no. MR/VIP/81/2013, dated 05.02.13.
2. Hon'ble MoRD's letter no. 9970/13-M(RD), dated 12.02.13.
3. Hon'ble MR's letter no. 2014/W-II/NR/Misc./10, dated 19.6.14.

Vide letter under Ref-1, Hon'ble MR had requested Hon'ble Minister of Rural Development to take up the Railway's works for execution through MGNREGA fund for ensuring more jobs for rural areas alongwith reduction in financial liability of Railways towards maintenance.

Hon'ble Minister of Rural Development vide letter under Ref-2 has accepted this request and advised Railways to take up in the 1st phase, the following works which are consistent with the objective of MGNERGA :

1. Developing waterways/trenches, —
2. Construction of pathways, —
3. Afforestation and —
4. Construction of kutcha approach roads.—

Further, Hon'ble MR (letter at Ref-3) has requested Minister of Road Transport & Highways, Shipping and Rural Development to make suitable amendments in the rules of MGNREGA in order to include few more works in the ambit of MGNREGA, such as construction & maintenance of embankments/cutting, clearing vegetation growth, construction & maintenance of approach roads to station, level crossing etc. In this context, Zonal Railways are advised :

(a) to coordinate with nodal authorities of MGNREGA (District Programme Coordinator and Gram Panchayat), take up the works falling in the category of works agreed to in 1st phase and send feedback of the progress / difficulties to Board,

(b) to discuss with the local authorities of MGNREGA regarding modifications in the rules to take up additional works under the scheme and send feedback,

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(c) to suggest necessary mechanism & coordination system, based on experience gained for implementing this inter-ministerial scheme.

The suggestions / feedbacks in this regard may be sent to Railway Board by 15th August 2014 for further examination and inter-ministerial coordination.

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- Copy to The Secretary, Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Shipping, Rural Development with the request to issue suitable instructions in this regard.