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

No. 2012/CE-I/SP/1 **New Delhi, Dated 18.05.2012**

The General Managers,
All Indian Railways.

विषय : **Non-recovery of Railway Dues pertaining to various siding owners on Indian Railways.**

While dealing with one of the Audit Para of a Zonal Railway, Audit have observed as under :

"As the recovery of maintenance charges from the siding owner was affected not in a regular manner (annually), arrears were allowed to accumulate for years together and adjusted against Railways claims against the party. Railway needs to streamline compliance mechanism of recovery of maintenance charges from the siding owners and in particular, in cases where Railway have a continuing mutual business/commercial relationship; so that the recoverable dues are efficiently realized without delay and on a regular basis."

It is being observed that the siding owners are not clearing the outstanding dues and in some of the cases desired results have not yielded due to non-serious efforts by the Zonal Railway.

It is, therefore, reiterated that all such cases should be reviewed on the Zonal Railway with proper follow up to the instructions/procedure on the subject and compliance mechanism be streamlined for recovery of maintenance & other applicable charges from the siding owners on a regular basis.

Receipt of the letter may please be acknowledged.

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Copy for information and necessary action to :

- The General Manager/East Central Railway with reference to Audit Para No. 5.1.4 with a request to intimate the latest updates on the matter.
- Principal Chief Engineers, Chief Administrative Officers (Const.), FA&CAOs, Chief Operations Managers and Chief Commercial Managers, all Indian Railways.