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Sub: Beautification of tracks & cleaning of mud and trash along the tracks

Para 155 of Indian Railways Permanent Manual stipulates the provisions for tidiness of section which is as under:

**Para 155. Tidiness of Section** - The Mate shall see that the whole of his Gang length is kept neat and tidy and that all loose materials are collected and brought to stations, gangs quarters or gate lodges.

It is often noticed that debris, muck, trash/garbage are lying along the track, which spoils the look of the track and creates unhygienic condition besides causing difficulty in maintenance of track. A drive may please be launched to clear all the muck, debris, trash/garbage lying along the track, particularly in block sections where responsibility of cleanliness is with Engineering Department, and good cleanliness standard may be ensured on the railway track formation. The drive should be followed by regular cleaning so that the accumulation of muck, trash/garbage does not take place along the track. All the loose P-Way material lying along the track should be stacked properly at one location.

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