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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(RAILWAY BOARD)

No.2007/CE-I/BRO/3 (NREGA)

New Delhi, Dt.29 .09.2010

General Manager,  
All Zonal Railways.

**Sub: Construction of Road Under Bridges through funds provided under National Rural Employment Guarantee Act / Scheme (NREGA/NREGS)**

Government of India has enacted National Rural Employment Guarantee Act / Scheme, generally called NREGA/NREGS, to provide rural employment. It has been extended on most of States and UT. The Ministry of Rural Development (MRD) is monitoring its implementation. **Construction of roads and culverts, is one of the many works, which can carried out through this scheme.** While making rural roads, District Administrations have terminated the same on either side of railway track. Due to this, at places, **tress-passing** is causing unsafe situation for train operation.

In order to sort-out the problem of tress passing and avoid unsafe / law & order situation, NWR approached **District Administration** construct road under bridge at such places through NREGA as well as Board for necessary waivers of leviable charges. Board has approved the same vide letter no. No.2007/CE-I/BRO/3 (NREGA) dated 30.09.2010 (copy enclosed), **which is presently applicable in case of the State Govt. of Rajasthan.**

Other railways may like to discuss the matter with respective State Govt. officials for construction of RUB through NREGA/NRGES, wherever road has been terminated upto railway track causing tress passing. Above scheme may be extended on their railways and state Govt. accordingly.

Please acknowledge receipt.



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