GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAILWAY BOARD)

2023/F(X)II/PW/9

New Delhi, dated 09/08/2023

The General Managers
All Indian Railways

Sub: Provision for sports infrastructure development in sanctioned estimates.

Ref: i) Part-A "Works Matters" - item no 2 (D) of Model SOP-2018.

- ii) Board's letter No. 2019/E(Sports)/4(3)/5 dated 24-07-2019
- iii) Board's letter No. 2022/E&R/3(2)/1 dated 28-12-2022

The matter of utilizing relevant provisions in sanctioned estimates for sports infrastructure development was under consideration in Board.

- 2. It has now been decided by Board (MF) to authorize DRMs for sanction of sports related works upto Rs 1 Cr. Beyond Rs 1 Cr and upto Rs 2.5 cr, these works will be sanctioned by General Managers.
- 3. Accordingly a new Para 2(E) has been inserted for sports development works in Part-A "Works Matters" of Model SOP as mentioned below:

Nature of change		Nature of Powers	DRM/ ADRM/ SAG	Remarks
	"Works Matters " Para-2 (E)	Sanction of estimate and administrative approval for sports related works using prescribed sports provisions of sanctioned estimates. GMs – Full powers upto Rs 2.5 Crores	1 Cr	Authority: 1. Board's letter No. 2019/E(Sports)/4(3)/5 dated 24-07-2019 2. 2018/E&R/3(2)/1 dated - 4.3.2020. 3. 2022/E&R/3(2)/1 dated 28.12.2022 4. Railways should have the
				procedure order for sanction of these works.

- 4. Other instructions on the matter will remain unchanged.
- 5. Please acknowledge receipt.

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