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New Delhi, Dated - 03.08.22

The Principal Chief Mechanical Engineer,
NR / New Delhi.

Sub: RSP work of 160 KN Air Spring Assembly for LHB Bogie ~ 1,000 LHB coaches [P.B. Item No. 692/22-23 (1293/21-22)].

Ref: Railway Board's letter No. 2021/M(C)/142/4 (4) Dated 15.04.21.

Vide Railway Board's letter under reference above, NR was nominated for the issue of centralized tender for procurement and supply to Zonal Railways for 160 KN Air Spring Assembly of LHB Bogies against RSP P.B. Item No. 692/22-23 (1293/21-22).

However, it is learnt that the supply of 160 KN Air Spring Assembly for LHB Bogies is yet to begin.

Accordingly, NR is advised to expedite the work and also submit a plan of action to Board with timelines for completion of the work.

Reply may kindly be sent to Board latest by 13.08.22. A copy of the reply may be sent at ddmcrb@gmail.com.

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C/-All PCMEs for kind information and necessary action please.

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The Principal Chief Mechanical Engineers,
NR & All other Zonal Railways.

Sub: Distribution and execution of the RSP work of provision for 160 KN Air Spring Assembly for LHB Bogie ~ 1,000 LHB coaches (P.B. Item No. 1293/21-22).

Ref: JD (VDG)/Carriage/RDSO's letter no. SV.FIAT.SC Dated 23.10.20.

In context of the decision taken during 17th CMG held on 22nd and 23rd June 2018, RDSO vide letter under reference has advised for provision of 160 KN air springs in LHB coaches. Subsequently a RSP work for 160 KN Air Spring Assembly for 1000 Nos. of LHB Bogie has also been sanctioned.

Accordingly, Zonal Railways are advised for retro fitment of 160 KN Air Spring Assembly in existing LHB non-AC GS coaches and LHB AC-3 Tier coaches as advised by RDSO during major schedule SS-II/III as per the following distribution against the RSP indicate under the subject:

Zonal Railway	No. of coaches	Zonal Railway	No. of coaches	Zonal Railway	No. of coaches	Zonal Railway	No. of coaches
CR	70	NWR	48	NR	128	SECR	24
ER	64	SR	80	NCR	26	SWR	60
ECR	100	SCR	46	NER	42	WR	100
ECOR	50	SER	66	NFR	76	WCR	20
Total				1000			

Zonal Railways are further advised to utilize the released air springs as spare.

Furthermore, Northern Railways is being nominated to execute the centralized contract for procurement and supply of 160 KN Air Spring Assembly to all Zonal Railways as per above distribution. Accordingly, PCME/NR is further advised to indicate fund requirement against the RSP work at appropriate budgetary stages (RE, FM).

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