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**Director General** RDSO, Lucknow

> Sub: Introduction of Pressurised Flushing System/ Electro- Pneumatic Pressurised Flushing System in Vendor Directory.

Ref: RB letter no. 2021/M(C)/142/4(15) dated 25.07.2024.

Pressurised Flushing Systems (PFS)/ Electro- Pneumatic Pressurised Flushing Systems (EP-PFS) have been proliferated in coaches over IR to improve toilets for a better passenger experience.

During Review meeting with Zonal Railways and MCF on 15.07.2024 regarding PFS/EP-PFS (Minutes of meeting issued vide letter under reference), the issues regarding design, warranty claims, non-standardization of components and maintainability of PFS/EP-PFS have been highlighted by Zonal Railways. It was reported that due to nonstandardisation there are issues of reliability as well.

In view of the above, it has been decided that the vendor control and specification for PFS/EP-PFS should be transferred to RDSO.

Accordingly, RDSO is advised to include the above systems in its vendor directory and take over the specification for PFS/EP-PFS, and take necessary action for improving the design, reliability and maintenance of these systems.

The above issues with the approval of Board (MTRS).

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