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General Managers All Zonal Railways

Managing Director CRIS

Sub: Maintenance of NMG/NMGH/NMGHS coaches over IR Ref: i) RB letters no. 2010/M(C)/650/2NMG dt. 26.05.22, 15.09.22, 02.12.22

ii) RB letter no. 2020/M(C)/650/2NMG dt. 06.7.23 and 12.8.24

 Vide letters under reference, the maintenance pattern for NMG type coaches has been circulated to Zonal Railways with the approval of **Board** (MTRS and MOBD).

2. During interaction with field and upon analysis of unusuals pertaining to NMG

coaches, the following issues have been noticed:

a. Rakes are being formed by intermixing NMG coaches with NMGH/NMGHS coaches

- b. Some coaches with overdue maintenance schedules (IOH, POH) were permitted in rakes, both from nominated and non-nominated depots, beyond the limits prescribed (i.e. 7 days for nominated depots and one month from non-nominated depots). As on date, 205 overdue POH and 647 overdue IOH NMG type coaches are there over IR.
- c. Intermediate schedules (like A-schedule, B-schedule) were not attended and fed into CMM properly in some cases: as a result, the tracing of next schedule due-dates was not done accurately
- d. Maintenance of buffers was not done as per laid down instructions.
- In this regard, Zonal Railways are again advised to ensure strict compliance to Board policy under reference for NMG/NMGH/NMGHS type coaches in rakes.

4. Further, CRIS is advised to provide an interlock on CMM such that BPC with inter-mixed coaches is not issued.

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