# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAILWAY BOARD)

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Sub: Policy for allotment of wheelsets to Wagon Builders against NRC orders.

Ref: - This office letter of even no. dt. 5.7.2022.

Kindly find enclosed herewith policy for allotment of wheel sets to wagon builders against NRC orders duly approved by Board (M (T&RS) for further necessary action.

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### Policy for allotment of Wheelsets to Wagon builders against NRC orders

## 1. Main Principles of the Policy

- 1.1. Wagons of RSP to get first priority of supply of wheelsets.
- 1.2. Special requirement of supply of Wheelsets for NRCs like requirement: for meeting urgent need of Railway Workshops & Railway Public Sector Units (M/s Braithwaite); for new development in wagon designs; any other similar urgent need, shall be duly considered.
- 1.3. If special requirement is small in number, it can be fully covered. However, if special requirement is large, then it can only be partially considered, to meet any urgent need.
- 1.4. Considering limited supply, Wheelsets should not remain idle for more than a reasonable period. Wheels should be supplied "Just in Time".
- 1.5. Similarly, wagon bodies should not wait for wheels.
- 1.6. Supply of wheelsets to NRCs against their normal requirement can be considered from time to time depending upon the overall production capacity and requirement of wheelsets for RSP wagons.

#### 2. Methodology for allotment of Wheelsets for Special Requirement of NRCs:

- 2.1. Request of NRC for special requirement, which are of urgent nature and in line with the para 1.2 above of the policy, shall be processed by DME/PU, once in every month (in first week), duly bringing out special requirement and time line in which it is required.
- 2.2. Case shall be processed for approval of AM/PU, through EDME/Freight and PED/W&D.
- 2.3. RWF shall be advised of the approval, duly mentioning following:
  - 2.3.1. A certificate shall be taken from the NRC that none of the wheelsets which have been received against NRC requirement from RWF has been idling for than a month and wagons for which wheelsets are being given by RWF shall be turned out within one month of supply.
- 2.3.2. Compliance of this certification shall be got verified by concerned NRC from respective ED/QA(Mech.)/RDSO and submitted to RWF before supply is made/further supply is made, in case balance.

#### 3. Normal Requirement of NRCs:

- 3.1. As and when supply of wheelsets to NRCs against their normal requirement is allowed, guiding principles as mentioned in para 1.1 and 1.4 shall be kept in view and stipulation mentioned in para 2.3.1 & 2.3.2 shall be applicable.
- 3.2. RWF shall frame its' own local policy on the basis of guiding principle and stipulation mentioned in para 3.1 above.

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