

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(RAILWAY BOARD)

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Chief Mechanical Engineers,
All Indian Railways.

ED/Carraige, RDSO, Lucknow.

Sub: Automatic hygiene and odour control system.

There have been complaints from various quarters about the poor condition of cleanliness and hygiene in trains including the stinking toilets. Improving cleanliness and hygiene in trains have been taken as a mission area by Ministry of Railways. In order to improve the standards of hygiene in toilets of all coaches and to provide a pleasant odour in AC coaches, Railways are advised to fit Automatic Hygiene and Odour Control System to RDSO Specification No.RDSO/2008/CG-11 and Automatic Odour Control System to RDSO Specification No.RDSO/2008/CG-12 in all the AC coaches of Rajdhani, Duronto, Shatabdi, Jan Shatabdi and Mail/Express trains with the following stipulations:

- (i) There are no approved sources for these items and will be procured as per RDSO's specification Nos. RDSO/2008/CG-11 and RDSO/2008/CG-12 from open market through stores tenders.
- (ii) Railways shall keep sufficient consumable spares like batteries and refills for smooth functioning of the products.

This issues with the approval of Board (MM).

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