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General Manager
All Zonal Railways

Sub: Transmission of weighment data from weighbridge to TMS by linking all weighbridges with FOIS

Ref: (i) Rates Master Circular/Provision of Weighbridge/2019/0
(ii) Rates Master Circular/Weighment/2019/0
(iii) Board’s letter No.TC-I/2019/108/1 dt.20.03.2020

In terms of extant guidelines, all in-motion weighbridges are to be linked to FOIS so that the weighment information is directly transmitted from weighbridge to the TMS.

Vide Board’s letter under reference (iii), Zonal Railways had been advised that in first phase, out of 688 weighbridges, integration with FOIS has been initiated in case of 249 weighbridges. Out of these 249 weighbridges, automatic transmission of weighment data to TMS was made online in only 79 cases. In remaining 170 cases, testing was either awaited or in progress. Railways had been asked to complete this process by 31st March 2020. Further, concerted efforts may be taken for providing linkage of all remaining railway owned as well as privately owned weighbridges with FOIS through approved vendor by 30th June 2020.

FOIS has informed that till date transmission of weighment data to TMS has been made online in 83 cases and in 187 cases, testing is either awaited or in progress. There are 418 weighbridges where the process of integration with FOIS has not yet been initiated.

It is advised that the progress of integration of weighbridges (Railway and private) with FOIS may be monitored with targeted completion by 22.08.2020.