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To General Manager Western Railway

Sub: Implementation of Rest Rules for the staff of Track Machine Organization.

Ref: 1) Railway Board letter No.2021/Track-III/TK/8 dated 02-07-2024 2) Our letter No.BVP/26/2024 dated 29-10-2024

We solicit your valuable attention on Railway Board's letter dated 02-07-2024 cited under reference and seek remedial action for implementation of Rest Rules as per HOER in TMC organization on Western Railway and compliance of Railway Board directives issued in this regard vide RBE No.65/2016 dated 16-06-2016.

The Railway Board letter dated 02-07-2024 reveals that Rest Rules for the staff of Track Machine Organization have been implemented in 10 Zones, partially implemented in 3 Zones and not implemented in 3 Zones in which one is Western Railway.

We have brought out the difficulties faced by the employees working in TMC organization to the notice of PCE and GM(E)-CCG for corrective action vide our letter dated 29-10-2024. But we have not yet received any fruitful result.

Apart from the above, grievances of TMC staff and improper working condition of TMC staff and Depot have been brought out in the PNM Forum vide GM PNM Item No.67/2024 and 83/2024, despite assurance from the concerned authority and the PHOD no further progress yielded so far which may give little bit relief to the staff working in Track Machine Organization. Besides we have requested for holding periodical meetings with union at ADEN(TMC) level so as to address the problems faced by the staff at the initial stages as far as possible. This was also agreed by the PCE but instructions in this regard have not yet issued.

In view of the above circumstances, you are requested to examine the above issues and do the needful to advise PCE and all DRMs to implement 21/7 Duty Roster as per HOER in Track Machine Organization as per Railway Board Directives vide RBE No.65/2016.

**General Secretary**