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**GENERAL MANAGERS,
ALL ZONAL RAILWAYS,
INCLUDING KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION**


NO. 2018/SAFETY-1/3/2(.) IN THE WAKE OF SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT MANNED/UNMANNED LEVEL CROSSINGS, ALL RAILWAYS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY LAUNCH A 30 DAYS SAFETY DRIVE W.E.F 15TH MAY, 2018 SPECIALLY TARGETING SAFETY AT MANNED/UNMANNED LEVEL CROSSINGS (.)

- (i) TO CHECK KNOWLEDGE OF GATEMEN ABOUT THE GATE WORKING RULES.
- (ii) ENSURING AVAILABILITY OF FULL COMPLEMENT OF EQUIPMENTS, SPEED BREAKERS, WHISTLE BOARDS, SMOOTH APPROACH ROADS, ROAD SIGNS AND STOP BOARDS AS PER PROVISIONS LAID DOWN IN THE IRPWM, AVAILABILITY OF ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY AND ADEQUATE VISIBILITY BE THOROUGHLY SCRUTINISED.
- (iii) ENSURING ADEQUATE VISIBILITY FOR BOTH TRAIN DRIVERS AND ROAD USERS AT THE LEVEL CROSSINGS.
- (iv) ORGANIZING PUBLIC AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS TO EDUCATE/ COUNSEL ROAD USERS AND MAKE THEM AWARE OF THE PROVISIONS OF MOTOR VEHICLES ACT AND RAILWAY ACT BY DISTRIBUTING POSTERS, PAMPHLETS, HANDBILLS ETC. IN GRAM PANCHAYATS, MARKETS, PETROL PUMPS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES. SMS ALERTS FOR AWARENESS TO ROAD USERS.
CAMPAIGN THROUGH VARIOUS MEDIA INCLUDING NEWSPAPERS, TELEVISIONS, RADIO AND SLIDES IN CINEMA HALLS, ANY LOCAL VARIATIONS LIKE LOUDSPEAKERS MOUNTED ON RICKSHAWS WITH AN APPEAL TO ROAD USERS TO OBSERVE ALL PRECAUTIONS EMBODIED IN MOTOR VEHICLES ACT AND RAILWAY ACT.
- (v) ORGANIZING SAFETY SEMINARS, NUKKED NATAKS ETC. AT VARIOUS PLACES IN THE DIVISIONS INCLUDING ROAD TRANSPORT OFFICES AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.
- (vi) CHECKING THE WHISTLING HABITS OF DRIVERS WHILE APPROACHING AND PASSING THE LEVEL CROSSINGS.
- (vii) SIGNAL, ELECTRICAL, TRAFFIC, PUBLIC RELATION, SAFETY OFFICERS AND INSPECTORIAL STAFF ARE TO BE INVOLVED IN THE ABOVE ACTIVITIES.
- (viii) JOINT AMBUSH CHECKS INVOLVING RPF, GRP AND CIVIL AUTHORITIES AT THE LEVEL CROSSINGS AND APPREHENDING ERRANT ROAD USERS UNDER SECTIONS OF MOTOR VEHICLES ACT.

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