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No. MC/CB/AC/DD

Date-07,05 .2012

महाप्रबन्धक (इंजीनियरिंग)

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- 2. उत्तर पश्चिम रेलवे, जयपुर 302006

Sub: Speed Certificate for operation of a rake consisting of 13 nos. of BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3050 mm) fitted with pneumatic suspension at the secondary stage on Fiat bogies and 2 nos. of BG LHB Generator Van hauled by single WAP4/ WAP5/ WAP7/ WDP4/ WDP4B class of locomotive on Delhi Sarai Rohilla - Jaipur section of NR and NWR upto a maximum speed of 110 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard.

- 1. RCF has built BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3050 mm) fitted with pneumatic suspension at the secondary stage on Fiat bogies as per RCF's drawing no. LD90009. The BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker coaches are fitted with Fiat bogies with 16.25 t axle load and provided with disc brakes and CBCs. The speed potential of these coaches is 160 km/h on track maintained to C&M-I Vol.-I standard. The BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3050 mm) is similar to that of existing BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3135 mm) except for reduction in coach width by 85 mm only.
- Detailed oscillation trials & long confirmatory run of BG High Capacity AC EOG 1.1 Double Decker Chair Car coach (width 3135 mm) fitted with pneumatic suspension at the secondary stage on Fiat bogies have been carried out upto a maximum test speed of 180 km/h and results are contained in RDSO's Report no. RDSO/2010/TG/MT-1061/F Rev-0, Amendment-Nil dated 10.09.2010. On the basis of satisfactory results of oscillation trials, this BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coach (width 3135 mm) has been cleared for operation up to a maximum speed of 160 km/h on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard vide this office letter of even no. dated 14.10.2010. The oscillation trials of BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car (width 3135 mm) have also been done upto a maximum test speed of 130 kmph on 2 degree curve of BZL-DKAE section of Eastern Railway. The results are contained in RDSO Report No. RDSO/2011/TG/MT-1095/F, Rev-0, Amendment-Nil dated 23.03.2011. The riding characteristics have been found satisfactory upto maximum speed of 130 kmph over 2 degree curve. On the basis of satisfactory results, this coach has been cleared for operation upto a maximum speed of 160 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol. I standard vide this office speed certificate of even no. dated 24.3.2011 followed by amendment no. 1 dated 31.5.2011. On the basis of BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coach (width 3135mm), CCRS/Lucknow has accorded sanction for dispensation of oscillation trials for BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coach (width 3050mm) vide letter no.क्यू-17016/06/2011-.त्त0वि0 213 dated 13/15.09.2011. Based on above, a speed certificate for regular operation of BG High capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3050 mm) at a maximum speed of 160 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I. Vol.-I standard has been issued vide RDSO's letter no. MC/CB/AC/DD, dated 15.11.2011.

- 1.2 The LHB AC Generator Van has undergone detailed oscillation trials up to a test speed of 145 kmph on Palwal-Mathura section of Northern Railway & North-Central Railway and from 145 kmph upto 180 kmph on Ghaziabad-Tundla section of North-Central Railway on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard. The test results of trials as contained in RDSO Report no. MT-274 and MT-282 respectively. The test results of these trials exhibit satisfactory riding and stability behavior, upto a test speed of 180 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard.
- 1.3 RDSO has conducted route clearance trial of 13 nos. of BG AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car Coaches (width 3050 mm) with two BG LHB Generator Van rake on Delhi Sarai Rohilla Jaipur section of NR and NWR upto a maximum speed of 110 kmph in up & down direction on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard as desired by CCRS vide their letter no. क्यू-17016/06/2011—तिर्वि 213 dated 13/15.09.2011. The test results of route clearance trial are contained in RDSO report no. MT-1174/F (April. 2012) which has satisfactory. Railway board has already planned to operate the Double Decker Chair Car (width 3050 mm) services vide their letter no.77/M(C)/202/6 dated 14.10.2012 & 24.11.2012.
- 1.4 The WAP4 locomotive, previously known as WAP1 (5,000 hp) locomotive as shown in RDSO's sketch no. SK.DL-3031A Alt.1 has undergone detailed oscillation trials at a maximum speed of 160 kmph and the results are contained in RDSO report no. M-529 (Feb March 1994). Based on the results, WAP4 class of locomotive has been cleared up to a max. speed of 140 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I Vol.-I standard vide this office letter no. SD.WAP1.11 dated 27.9.1994. Railway Board vide their letter no. 93/Elect. (TRS) 440/3 dated 19.01.1995 has classified this class of locomotive as WAP4 and accordingly, the Zonal Railways have been advised vide this office letter no. SD.WAP1.11 dated 18.4.1996
- 1.5 WAP5 class of locomotives imported from M/s ABB, Switzerland have undergone detailed oscillation trials at a maximum speed of 180 kmph and the results are contained in RDSO's report no. MT-88 (June,1997). Based on the results, WAP5 class of locomotives have been cleared for operation up to a maximum speed of 160 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I Vol.-I standard vide this office letter no. SD.WAP5.11 dated 19.06.1997 followed by amendments dated 23.10.2006 and 20.01.2012.
- 1.6 WAP7 class of locomotives manufactured by Chitranjan Locomotive Works have undergone detailed oscillation trials at a maximum speed of 145 kmph and the results are contained in RDSO report no. MT-290 (March, 2001). Based on the results, WAP7 class of locomotives have been cleared for operation up to a maximum speed of 130 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I Vol.-I standard vide this office letter no. EL/3.1.35/4 dated 1.05.2001.
- 1.7 The WDP4 class of locomotive has undergone detailed oscillation trials up to a maximum test speed of 180 kmph on Ghaziabad-Kanpur and Tuglakabad-Agra Cantt section of North Central Railway, results of which are contained in RDSO report no. MT-326 (Jan.,2002). Based on the results of trial, WDP4 class of locomotive has been cleared for regular operation upto 160 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard vide this office amended speed certificate no. SD.WDP4.11 dated 29.12.2008
- 1.8 The WDP4B class of locomotive has undergone detailed oscillation trials up to a maximum test speed of 145 kmph on Palwal-Mathura-Agra Cantt section of North

Central Railway, results of which are contained in RDSO report no. MT-1056/F, Rev.0 dated 17.08.2010 amendment-nil. Based on the results of trial, WDP4B class of locomotive has been cleared for regular operation upto 130 kmph on track maintained to C&M-I Vol.-I standard vide this office letter no. SD.WDP4B.11 dated 14.10.2010.

2. Based on the above, it is certified that 13 nos. of High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3050 mm) fitted with pneumatic suspension at the secondary stage on Fiat bogies and 2 nos. of BG LHB Generator Van hauled by single WAP4/ WAP5/ WAP7/ WDP4/ WDP4B class of locomotive may be permitted to operate upto a maximum speed of 110 kmph on Delhi Sarai Rohilla - Jaipur section of NR and NWR on track maintained to C&M-I, Vol.-I standard subject to the following conditions:-

2.1 Track

- 2.1.1 The track shall be to a minimum standard of 52 Kg (72 UTS) rail on sleepers to M+7 density and minimum depth of ballast cushion below the sleepers to 250 mm which may consist of at least 100 mm clean cushion and the rest in caked up condition on compacted and stable formation.
- 2.1.2 For track maintained to lower standard than that mentioned above, the Chief Engineer shall decide the lower maximum permissible speed on the basis of maintenance condition. In this connection, Railway Board's letter No. 65/WDO/SR/26 dated 19/20.10.1966 may be seen. When the Chief Engineer considers that the road bed is not compacted or there is improper drainage, he may suitably restrict the maximum permissible speed, depending upon the local conditions.
- 2.1.3 The maximum permissible speed on curves shall be decided on the basis of the existing provisions of the Indian Railways Permanent Way Manual Second Reprint-2004 but should not exceeded 110kmph.
- 2.1.4 (i) Joggled fish plating of welds should be done as per provisions of para 6.4 and 6.6 of Chapter VI of USFD Manual and para 6.3 of AT welding manual and policy instructions of Railway Board. Fish plating of rail should also be ensured as per para 251 of IRPWM 2004regarding maintenance of rail joints
 - (ii) Zonal Railways may ensure further detailed examination of track as deemed fit based on age-cum-condition basis, overdue renewal and condition of formation etc. as per provisions of Chapter III of IRPWM-2004 regarding permanent way renewals.
- 2.1.5 The track maintenance shall be in accordance with the recommendations contained in RDSO report no. C&M-I, Vol.-I. In this connection, the instructions for the maintenance of track on high-speed routes circulated to the railways under RDSO's DO letter no. CRA/509 dated 07.7.1971 and approved by Railway Board vide their letters no. 71/W6/HS/8 dated 27.8.1971 and 71/W6/HS/1 dated 21.10.1971 should also be followed.
- 2.1.6 (i) Replacement of existing loose heel switches with fixed heel curved switches laid on PSC sleeper layout with CMS crossings with adequate arrangements to

ensure designed geometry of turnouts. Turnouts with TWS shall be preferred on such routes.

(ii) Preferably Improved SEJ should be provided on such routes.

(iii) The curves shall have to be suitably realigned and proper transition length to be provided.

2.2 Bridges

- 2.2.1 The clearance refers to bridges with standard design of girders, slabs, pipe culverts, piers and abutments etc. issued by RDSO for BGML, RBG and MBG-1987 standard loadings. However, the bearings of span 78.8 m (effective) designed for BGML standard loading as per RDSO's drawing no. BA-11154 should be strengthened by providing two additional anchor bolts.
- 2.2.2 Superstructures and bearings of non-standard spans including Arches and substructures of all bridges shall be examined under the directions of the Chief Bridge Engineer concern and certified safe by him in terms of current IRS Bridge Rules, Steel Bridge Code, Concrete Bridge Code, Arch Bridge Code, Bridge Sub Structures and Foundations code etc. read with upto-date correction slips.
- 2.2.3 The above clauses have been arrived considering bridges are in physically sound condition. Zonal Railway shall certify the adequacy of bridges for permitting rolling stocks based on physical condition of bridges..
- 2.2.4 Location of bridges on which speed restrictions have been imposed shall be notified by the Railways and incorporated in the working timetable.
- 2.2.5 This clearance is subject to the following parameters of locomotives, BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car coaches (width 3050 mm) and BG LHB Generator Van:
 - (A) For Locomotives:

S.N	Description	WAP4	WAP4 WAP5 WAP7 WDP4 WD						
1.	Max. axle load	19 t	19.5 t	20.5 +2% t	19.5 t	20.2 t			
2.	Max. tractive effort	30.8 t	26.3 t	32.9 t	27.52 t	39.2 t			
3.	Max. braking force at rail level	22.73 t	16.3 t	18.6 t	16.3 t	26.25 t			
4.	CG height above rail level	Not exceeding 1830 mm							

(B) For BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car Coach (width 3050 mm)

Maximum axle load

: 16.25 t

Maximum Braking Force at Rail Level

: 6.62 t

(at 3.8 kg/cm2 BC pressure)

CG height above rail level

: Not exceeding 1830 mm

(C) For BG LHB Generator van

Maximum Axle Load

: 16.5 t

Maximum Braking Force at Rail Level

: 6.62 t

(at 3.8 kg/cm2 BC pressure)

CG height above rail level

: Not exceeding 1830 mm

2.2.6 Specific restrictions are applicable as mentioned in the relevant speed certificates of hauling single/multiple locomotives issued by RDSO.

2.3 Signaling

- 2.3.1 Provision of GR, SR, SEM and all extant instructions issued from time to time shall be complied with.
- 2.3.2 On the sections where EBD of more than 1 Km is to be catered for, second distant signal or automatic signaling should be available failing which suitable speed restriction is to be imposed.

2.4 Traction Installation

- 2.4.1 In 25 KV AC OHE shall have swiveling type cantilever assembly having tension in the conductors regulated automatically with a presag. The presag of 50/100 mm is on the contact wire for a maximum span of 72 meters proportionately less for smaller spans
- 2.4.2 In case of locations where 25 KV AC porcelain section insulators are installed on the mainline and lies within first 1/10th and 1/3rd of the span, immediately after the OHE structure and the Runners are in trailing direction, the maximum speed shall be 120 kmph. At all other locations, where 25 KV AC porcelain section insulators are installed the speed shall be limited to 80 kmph.
- 2.4.3 It is recommended that the Cantilevers in the sections should have BFB Steady Arm (RI No. 2390) with 25 mm Drop Bracket Assembly (RI No. 2360) instead of Tubular Steady Arm (RI No. 2520). Bent Steady Arm at overlap locations shall continue.
- 2.4.4 The current collection shall be made through one number pantograph fit for high speed operation.
- 2.4.5 In 25 KV AC traction area, the CEE of the Railway shall have to ensure that the minimum height of Contract Wire and electrical clearances as stipulated in provision of Chapter V and V-A, Electric Traction 'Schedule of Dimensions of 1676 mm Gauge (BG) revised 2004, with latest Addendum & Corrigendum Slips is not violated and strictly followed to ensure its safe running.
- 2.4.6 In addition to above, the Chief Electrical Engineer of Concerned Railway may impose any temporary speed restriction on the basis of personal knowledge, experience of the sectional OHE and field conditions prevailing on the particular section.

2.5 Rolling Stock

- 2.5.1 Before starting the operation, CME/CEE of the concerned Railways shall certify the track worthiness and safety of the rolling stocks. He will also ensure proper maintenance of the stocks.
- 2.5.2 The Wheel Slide Protection (WSP) device of all the coaches in the rake shall be functional at the starting station. If the WSP of any coach becomes defective enroute, the brake system of that particular coach shall be isolated.

2.6 General

- 2.6.1 All the permanent and temporary speed restrictions in force and those that may be imposed from time to time due to track, bridges, curves, signaling and interlocking etc. shall be observed.
- 2.6.2 BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker Coaches (width 3050 mm) infringes clauses 9, 10 19(b), 20(b), 29 & 30 of Chapter-IV (A) and diagram No.1D of IR BG Schedule of Dimensions, Revised 2004. These infringements of BG High Capacity AC EOG Double Decker coaches (width 3050 mm) have been condoned by Railway Board vide their letter No. 2011/CEDO/SD/RS/03 dated 27/9/2011.
- 2.6.3 The minimum horizontal distance from centre of track to face of passengers or goods platform coping or face of platform wall shall be maintained as per IRSOD (BG) revised 2004.
- 2.6.4 LHB Generator Van with 23540 mm length over body and 12340 mm max. distance apart between any two adjacent axle infringes clause 13 (b), 16, 17,19(b),20(b), 21 (b), 22 and 32 (b) of Chapter IV (A) of BG Schedule of Dimensions, 1973 Reprint. These infringements of LHB AC Coaches were condoned by Railway Board vide their letter no. 97/CEDO/SR/3 dated 07.02.1997.
- 2.6.5 The design of WAP4 (previously WAP1 5000 hp) locomotive infringes clauses 9 (b), 12 and 13 of Chapter IV (C) of the BG Metric Schedule of Dimensions, 1973 Reprint. Railway Board have condoned these infringements vide their letter No. 96/CEDO/SR/10 dated 10.5.1996.
- 2.6.6 The pantograph of WAP5 locomotive in locked down condition and the surge arrestors infringe the Maximum Moving Dimensions of 1929 over non-electrified territory. After removing the pantograph pan assembly and two surge arrestors, the profile will infringe the Maximum Moving Dimensions of 1929 but will be within 'X' class loco profile. For movement of the loco in non-electrified territory, pantograph pan assembly and two surge arrestors shall be removed and the movement of the loco shall be cleared by the Railway concerned as per the extant rules applicable. In non-electrified sections where Maximum Moving Dimensions of existing 'X' class locos are not permissible, the movement shall be in accordance with the instructions issued by Railway Board and other additional instructions issued by the Zonal Railways for the movement of ODCs. Railway Board have condoned these infringements vide their letter No.95/CEDO/SR/18 dated 14.7.1995.
- 2.6.7 The pantograph of the WAP7 locomotives in locked down condition and the surge arresters infringe the maximum moving dimensions of 1929 over non-electrified sections. After removing pantograph pan assembly and two surge arresters, the

profile will infringe the maximum moving dimensions of 1929 but will be within 'X' class loco profile. For movement of the loco in non-electrified territory, pantograph pan assembly and two surge arresters shall be removed and the movement of the loco shall be cleared by the railway concerned as per the extant rules applicable. In non electrified sections where maximum moving dimensions of existing 'X' class locos are not permissible, the movement shall be in accordance with the instructions issued by the Railway Board and other additional instructions issued by Zonal railways for the movement of ODCs. Railway Board have condoned the infringements of WAP7 locomotive vide their letter no. 2000/CEDO/SR/2 dt. 17.02.2000.

- 2.6.8 The design of WDP4 locomotive infringes clauses 11 (ii), 12, 13 and 17 of Chapter IV (C) of the BG Metric Schedule of Dimensions, 1973 Reprint. Railway Board have condoned these infringements vide their letter No. 2001/CEDO/SR/18 dated 23.8.2001.
- 2.7.8 The profile of WDP4B class of locomotive does not infringe any clause of Chapter –IV-C of BG Schedule of Dimensions, Revised-2004.
- 2.7.9 In order to run these coaches, it is essential to provide certain clearances between kinematic profile and fixed structures. In view of this, Zonal Railways have been advised to undertake identification of existing infringements to the requirements mentioned in RDSO's letter no. MC/GR dated 13.08.2009 and MC/CB/AC/DD dated 02.12.2009 and 22.02.2010 (copy enclosed) to bring at par with Garib Rath coach and ensure their removal prior to operation / trial of AC EOG double decker chair car coaches. However, actual requirement of removal of infringements is shown in drg. no. CG-11032 (copy enclosed) and following clearances shall be ensured:-
 - Minimum clearance of 150 mm to 225 mm beyond kinematic profile for operation of these coaches up to 75 kmph
 - ii) Minimum clearance above 225 mm and beyond kinematic profile for operation of these coaches at speeds beyond 75 kmph

Zonal Railway must ensure removal of the existing infringements, due to the design of Double Decker Coaches before operation/ trial on routes.

- DA: 1. Rly. Bd.'s letter no. 2011/CEDO/SD/RS/03 dated 27.09.2011.
 - 2. RCF Drawing No.- LD90009
 - 3. CCRS letter no. क्यू-17016/06/2011-.त0वि0 213 dated 13/15.09.2011
 - CT/DHS/3/Coaches dated 01.09.2011

२००४---व्य (राजीव विश्नोई) वरिष्ठ कार्यकारी निदेशक मानक/चालन शक्ति

<u>प्रतिलिपिः</u>

- 1. सचिव (यांत्रिक / इलेक्ट्रिकल / इंजीनियरिंग जी), रेलवे वोर्ड, रेल भवन, नई दिल्ली-110 001.
- 2. मुख्य रेल संरक्षा आयुक्त, मण्डल रेल प्रबन्धक कार्यालय, पूर्वोत्तर रेलवे परिसर, अशोक मार्ग लखनऊ—226 001

- 3. महाप्रबन्धक (यांत्रिक/ इलेक्ट्रिकल /ओपरेटिंग/एस एण्ड टी)
 - i) उत्तर रेलवे, बड़ौदा हाउस, नई दिल्ली 110 001.
 - ii) उत्तर पश्चिम रेलवे, जयपुर 302 006.
- DA: 1. Rly. Bd.'s letter no. 2011/CEDO/SD/RS/03 dated 27.09.2011.
 - 2. RCF Drawing No.- LD90009
 - 3. CCRS letter no. क्यू-17016/06/2011-.त0वि0 213 dated 13/15.09.2011
 - 4. CT/DHS/3/Coaches dated 01.09.2011

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भारत सरकार Government Of India रेल मंत्रालय Ministry Of Railways रेलवे बोर्ड Railway Board

No. 2011/CEDO/6b/RS/03

New Delhi, Dated 87th September, 2011

The Director General, Research Designs & Standards Organisation, Manak Nagar, <u>Lucknow</u>.

Sub: Condonation of infringement to IRSOD for EOG Air Conditioned Double Decker coaches (width 3050mm).

Ref: Your office letter no. CT/DHS/3/Coaches, dated 01.09.2011.

In reference to above, senction of Ministry of Reliways, Reliway Board is hereby communicated for condonation of infringement to IRSOD for EOG Air Conditioned Double Decker coaches (width 3050mm).

The design of above EOG Air Conditioned Double Decker coaches (width 3050mm), infringes Clauses no. 9, 10, 19(b), 20(b), 29 & 30 of Chapter-IV(A) of Indian Railways Schedule of Dimensions (B.G.), Revised, 2004 as per Annexure-I, drawings & other details accompanying with your above referred letter.

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No. 2011/CEDO/SD/RS/03

New Delhi, Dated : 7th September, 2011

Copy forwarded for information to:

1. The Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety, Compound of DRM/NER, Ashok Marg. Lycknow w.r.t. his endorsement no. বৰ্ম, 17012/04/2011 - গানি, dated 07.09.2011.

Executive Director/Track-I, RDSO, Lucknow.

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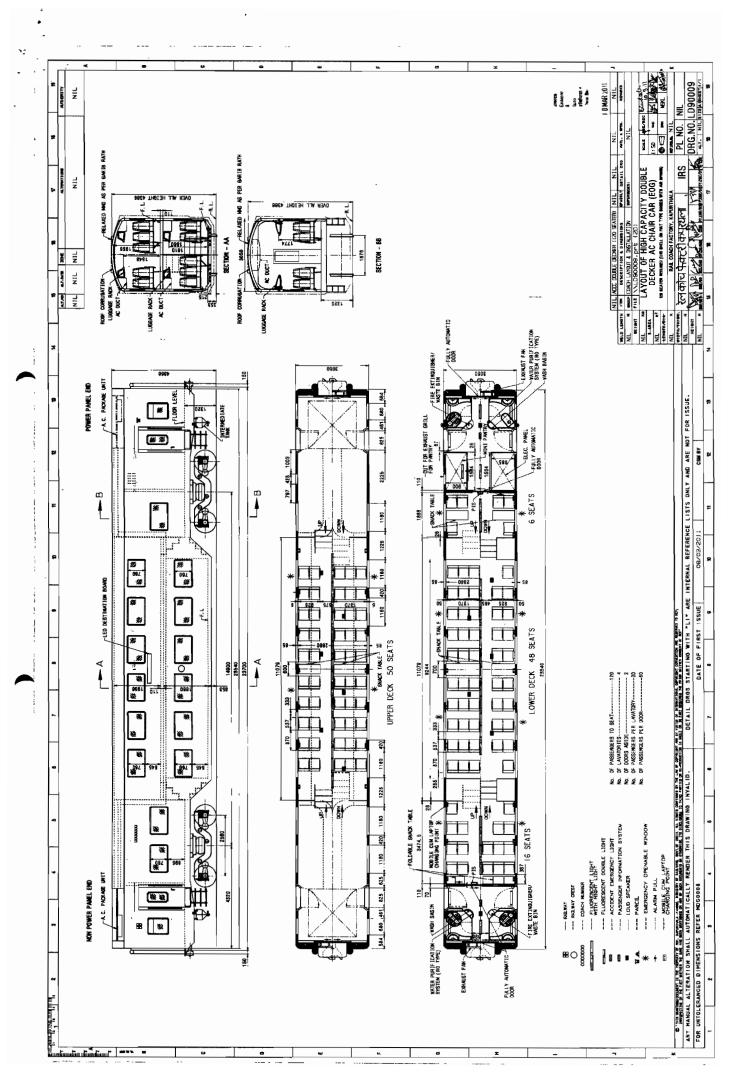
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विषय: Dispensation for conducting detailed oscillation trials for operation of BG AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car Coach (width 3050 mm) to RCF Drawing no.-L 2 90009 approved by Railway Board's letter no. 77/M(C)/202/6 Dated:23.03.11.

रांदर्भः अन्संधाम संख्या- MC/CB/AC/DD विवादा-02,09,111

The concurrence of Chief Commissioner of Railway Satety is hereby dispensation for conducting detailed oscillation trials for operation of BG AC EOG Double Decker Chair Car Coach (width 3050 mm) with the following remark:-

" Clearance studies for each route, where it will be proposed to be introduced, will be necessary."

यह पत्र मुख्य रेल संस्था आनुवस के अनुमोदमोपरामा जारी किया जा रहा है।

छप देख खंबका अध्यक्ष

Track Design Directorate

No. CT/DHS/3/Coaches

Dated: 01.09.11

Sub: i) Condonation of infringements to maximum moving dimensions of EOG air conditioned double decker coaches (width 3050 mm).

ii) Condonation of infringements to maximum moving dimensions of EOG air conditioned double decker coaches (Mark-II) coaches.

Ref: Carriage Directorate's notes no. MC/CB/AC/DD dated 18/8/11, 26/8/11 & 30/8/11.

- With reference to above, condonation proposals have been forwarded to 1.0 CCRS for sanction of Railway Board keeping in view the clarification given by carriage directorate vide notes referred above.
- A copy of condonation proposals duly signed is enclosed herewith. 2.0

DA: As above

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Government of India - Ministry of Railways Research Designs & Standards Organisation Lucknow - 226 011

Dated:

01.09.2011

No. CT/DHS/3/Coaches

Chief Commissioner Railway Safety, Ministry of Tourism & Civil Aviation, North Eastern Railway Office Compound, Ashok Marg, Lucknow - 226001

> Condonation of infringements to maximum dimensions of EOG Air Conditioned Sub: double decker coaches (width3050mm).

> Hon'ble MR announced in Railway Budget 2009 to introduce double decker trains in RDSO has developed a design of EOG AC double decker coaches Indian Railways. (width3050mm) fitted with pneumatic suspension at secondary stage on FIAT bogies. The coach is fitted with Centre Buffer Couplers and FIAT bogies with 16.25 t axle load capacity. The coaches have been designed to operate up to a maximum speed of 180 kmph.

- 2. The design features and layout of high capacity AC EOG double decker chair car (width3050mm) are shown in RCF Drg. No. LD90009 which has been approved by Railway Board vide their letter no. 77/M(C)/202/6 dated 22.03.2011. There are certain infringements in design of Double Decker Coach to BG schedule of dimensions (IRSOD) Revised - 2004 which are unavoidable because of specific needs like upper and lower decks.
- The infringement of AC EOG double decker coach (width3050mm) with respect to Schedule of Dimensions (IRSOD) Revised - 2004 are shown in RDSO Drg. no. CG-11031 and tabulated in Annexure-I.
- In terms of the Chapter V and V-A (Electric Traction) of IRSOD, Revised 2004, the minimum height of contact wire required for EOG AC double decker coaches (width3050mm) is as under:

(i) For 25KVA AC traction:

Minimum contact wire requirement will be 4656mm. The breakup of variou clearances required shall be as under.

- a. Coach height4366mm
- b. OHE errection allowance20mm
- c. Track raising allowance20mm
- d. Vertical electrical clearances between roof of coach and contact wire250mm

Minimum contact wire height required ...4656mm say 4.66 m

Thus proposed EOG Air Conditioned double decker coach (width3050mm) can safely run under 25 Kv AC traction where minimum contact wire is not less than 4.66 m.

ii) For DC Traction

- b. Minimum vertical clearance between live conductor wire and any structure. As per note 4 of Chapter V of IRSOD 2004 Revised ...130mm
- c. Temporary raising of tracks during
 Maintenance20mm (considered)
- d. OHE maintenance allowance20mm

Minimum contact wire height required4536mm

In DC area proposed EOG AC Double Decker coach (width3050mm) can run where contact wire height is more than or equal to 4536mm. In case contact wire height is less than 4536mm, structure and OHE will require modification, after identification, for raising of height of contact wire.

- Carriage Dte. of RDSO has carried out studies in order to define kinematic profile of these coaches. These studies took into account various factors such as maximum deflection of primary and secondary springs, bolster swing, wear on side bearers, wear in wheel flange, cross level and alignment defect in track etc. The calculations in this regard and Kinematic profile drawn by Carriage Directorate enclosed in Annexure-II and, Drg. No. CG-11032 respectively.
 - In order to run these coaches, it is essential to provide certain clearances between kinematic profile and fixed structures. Following clearances are proposed to be ensured:
 - (i) Minimum clearance of 150mm to 225mm beyond kinematic profile for operation of these coaches at speeds upto 75Kmph.
 - (iii) Minimum clearance above 225mm beyond kinematic profile for operation of these coaches at speeds beyond 75Kmph.
 - Zonal Railways have been advised to undertake identification of existing infringements to the requirements mentioned in Para 6 above vide RDSO's letter new MC/GR dtd. 13.08.2009 & MC/CB/AC/DD dated 02.12.09, 22.02.2010 (copy enclosed) to bring at par of Garib rath coaches and ensure their removal prior to operation of AC EOG double decker coaches (width3050mm). The actual requirement of removal of infringements for above-mentioned clearances is shown in Drg. No.CG-11032(copy enclosed)

A letter addressed to Railway Board along with necessary drawings and annexures are enclosed herewith in duplicate.

It is requested that the same may please be forwarded to Railway Board along with your recommendations.

(Sonvir Singh)
Executive Director/Track 1
For Director General (Track)

1. Annexure-I.

2. Railway Board's letter no.77/M(C)/202/6 dated 22.03.2011.

3 RDSO Drg.No.CG-11031.

4. RDSO Drg No.CG-11032

5. RCF Drg.No.LD90009

Statement Showing the Infringements of AC EOG Double Decker Coaches(width 3050mm) to BG Schedule of Dimensions 2004 as per RDSO Drg. No. CG-11031 and RCF Drg. No.LD90009

SLNo.	Clause No.	Description	Dimensions as	Proposed	Magnitude of	Renarks
	·		per SOD (mm)	Dimension (mm)	Infringement (mm)	
· 	29 of Chapter IV (A)	Maximum height above rail level for a width of 760 mm on either side of centre of unloaded vehicles	4265	4366		Coach height is essential for making available the minimum headroom required in both the lower and upper deck. Further Zonal Railways shall ensure adequate clearance between kinematic profile and fixed structure as per drawing no.CG-11032 before operation of AC EOG Double Decker Coaches (width3050mm).
2.	9 of Chapter IV (A)	Maximum height above rail 1345/1200 level for floor of any unloaded vehicle/ Minimum height above rail level for floor of fully loaded passengers vehicle.	1345/1200	353	992/847	This height is essential for the provision of lower deck to accommodate more passengers and this height does not infringe the any part of track. Further floor height at door location is 1320mm which is recreithan the height of passenger platform.



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	Maximum length over body has	higher passenger carrying	condoned by Railway Board vide their letter no.97/CEDO/SR.3	dated 7. 2.97 in case of LHB cococh.	As consequence of item 4 above.	Coach height is essential for making available the minimum	headroom required in both the lower and upper deck. Further Zong! Railways shall ensure	adequate clearance between kinematic profile and fixed	Structure as per drawing no. CG-11032 before operation of AC EOG Double Decker Coaches	(width3050mm).	the state of the s	
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Infringement Concerning Top Profile of Coach (Ref. RDSO Drg. no. CG-11031)

Remarks	Coach height is essential for making available the minimum.	headroom required in both the lower and upper deck. Further	Zonal Railways shall ensure adequate clearance between	kinematic profile and fixed structure as per drawing no. CG-	11032 before operation of AC EOG Double Decker Coaches	(width3050mm).	
Magnitude of Vertical Infringement over Diagram no. 1D of IRSOD – 2004 (mm)	88.8	99.9	65.8	19	272.4	243.2	185.5
I.No. Horizontal Distance from Centre of Track (mm)	239		551	760	1622	1063 55	1525
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Note

1. Certified that there are no other infringements to the BG Metric Schedule of Dimensions Revised 2004 except those given above.

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Calculation of End Throw and Middle Throw of AC EOG Double Decker Coach (width 3050mm)

For AC EOG DD coach, lateral displacements due to:

S.No.	Item	C&M I Vol.1 Std.	Other than C&M I Vol.1		
		maintained track	Std. maintained track		
1.	Bolster Swing	25 mm	25 mm		
2.	Primary suspension	07 mm.	07 mm .		
3.	Flange wear	07 mm	וניתו 12		
4.	Flange clearance	09 mm	09 mm		
5. 6.	Gauge tolerance	06 mm	10 mm		
6.	Alignment error due to laying	12 mm	12 mm		
7.	Alignment tolerance for	06 mm	06 mm		
!	maintenance				
8.	Other factors*	30 mm	21mm [%]		
	Total lateral shift	102mm	102mm		

^{*}Deflection of Bump stops in extreme lateral loading condition, failure of suspension system etc.

Nosing of coach = Total lateral shift x Length of coach / Bogie centres - Lateral shift

$$= 102 \times 21337 / 14783 - 102$$

$$= 59.146 =$$
say 60 mm

ofference between Nosing of AC EOG DD coach and a ref. ICF coach

:00-46 = 14mm

Middle Throw

 $17 = (a^2 \times 1000) / 8R$

here.

™ = Middle throw

Bogie centre distance

Radius of curve (m)

10° of curvature, Radius of curve R=175m. (Page 35 of SOD)

Middle throw of a ref. ICF coach within SOD

= 14783 mm = 14.783 m (clause 17 of Chapter IV (A)

 $= 175 \, \mathrm{m}$

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⁷Lower value has been taken because the speed is limited to 105KMPH on Other than C&M I Vol.1 Std. maintained track.

 $MT = (14.783 \times 14.783 \times 1000) / 8 \times 175 = 156.098 \text{ mm}$

3) Middle throw of an AC EOG DD coach

a = 14900 mm = 14.9 m

 $R = 175 \,\mathrm{m}$

 $MT = (14.9 \times 14.9 \times 1000) / 8 \times 175 = 158.578 \text{ mm}$

Middle throw difference between proposed AC EOG DD coach (width3050mm) and ref. ICF coach is 158.578 ~ 156.098 = 2.48 mm =say2.5mm.

End Throw

 $ET = (L^2 \times 1000) / 8R - MT$

Where,

ET = End throw

l. = Length of coach (m)R = Radius of curve (m)MT = Middle throw (mm)

At 10° of curvature, Radius of curve R=175m. (Page 35 of SOD)

A) End throw of a ref. ICF coach within SOD

= 21337 mm = 21.337 m (clause 19 (b) of Chapter IV (A)

 $R = 175 \,\mathrm{m}$

MT = 156.098 mm

ET = $(21.337 \times 21.337 \times 1000) / 8 \times 175 - 156.098$

= 325,191 - 156,098

= 169.093 mm

B) End throw of an AC EOG DD coach

= 23540 mm = 23.540 m

9 = 175 m

MT = 158.578 mm

 $ET = (23.54 \times 23.54 \times 1000) / 8 \times 175 - 158.578$

= 395.808 - 158.578

= 237.23 mm

End throw Difference between AC EOG DD coach and ref. ICF coach is 237.23 - 169.093

≈68.137 mm. approx.

say 70 mm.

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Analysis on straight line

Width of reference ICF coach = 3245mm.

Maximum permissible width of AC EOG DD coach at end with respect to ref. ICF coach

- = 3245-2x (Nosing diff. Of AC EOG DD coach & ref. ICF coach)
- = 3245 (2x14)
- = 3217 mm

Width of proposed AC EOG DD coach is 3050mm which is less than 3217mm.

Analysis on outside of a curve

Width of reference ICF coach = 3245mm.

Maximum permissible width of AC EOG DD coach at end with respect to ref. ICF coach

- = 3245- 2x (Nosing diff. between AC EOG DD coach & ICF coach + End throw diff. between AC EOG DD coach & ref. ICF coach)
- = 3245-2x (14+70)
- = 3077mm.

Width of proposed AC EOG DD coach is 3050mm which is less than 3077mm.

Analysis on inside of a curve

#lidth of reference ICF coach - 3245mm.

Saximum permissible width of AC EOG DD coach at end with respect to ref. ICF coach 3245-2x (Middle throw difference between AC EOG DD coach &ref. ICF coach) 3245-(2x2.5)

:3240mm.

lidth of proposed AC EOG DD coach is 3050mm which is less than 3240mm.

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malysis on inside of a curve below & at platform level

slance from the centreline to extreme edges of foot step as per SOD 4570-152mm. (Para 2 of appendix, page 33)

wimum permissible width from centreline of AC EOG DD coach below platforms level in respect to ref. ICF coach

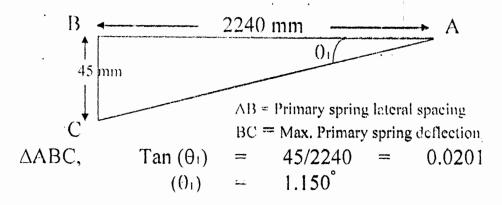
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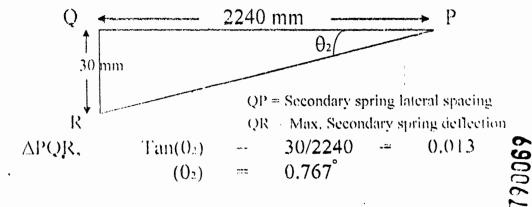
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Detailed Calculation for Rotation Of Proposed "EOG AC Double Decker Coache (width 3050)

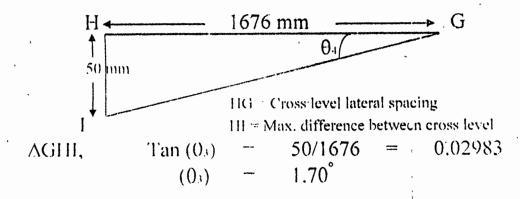
i) Due to maximum deflection of primary suspension spring on one side.



ii) Due to maximum deflection of secondary suspension spring on one side.



iii)Due to maximum difference of cross levels on one side.



TAL ROTATION OF CARBODY IN DEGREES = $\theta_1 + \theta_2 - \theta_3 = 3.617^\circ$



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No.77/M(C)/202/6

The General Manager, RCF, Kapurthala

The Executive Director/Carr 80SO, Lucknow

Sub: Body width & layout for AC double docker coaches.

Ruf: Board's letter of even No. dated 28.12.10

vising out of the review for the body width of AC Double Decker Chair Cars to be adopted in the body width shall be stricted to 3050mm (upto at least 1065 mm above rail level), as against a uniform body with of 3135mm in case of the prototype rake manufactured during 2010-11.

monsonance with the above, RDSO & RCF proposed separate layouts for high capacity HB-FIAT design EOG AC Double Decker Chair Cars with air springs in the secondary spension. While the exterior body width in the RCF layout No.LD90009 is 3050mm formly for all the decks, this has been kept as 3250mm in upper deck and 3050mm in the ser deck (with end tapered side walls in the middle deck) in the RDSO layout 650-11004. These layouts have been deliberated upon in Board's office.

ard's approval is hereby accorded for manufacture of AC Double Decker coaches to RCF wit No.LD90009, with a passenger seating capacity of 120. RCF may accordingly take up design development and manufacturing of such AC Double Decker coaches in earnest cadvise Board of the various milestones/target dates, particularly in light of the councement in the Bridget Speech 2011-12 for running of AC Double Decker Services or the size. Jaipur-Delhi and Ahmadabad — Mumbai.

to the design, development and manufacturing of a type AC Double Decker coach to the layout No.SD-11004 as proposed by RDSO. RCF also take up this exercise in parallel for development and manufacture of the prototype, table a comprehensive review of the layout/design for final adoption.

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(Arvind Nautiyal)
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Railway Board

for information to: The Chief Mechanical Engineers, NR, NWR & WR.

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No. MC.GR

Carriage Directorate 13.08.2009

General Managers, All Indian Railways

Sub: Introduction of double Decker over Indian Railways - announcement made by Hob' ble MR in the Railway Budget 2009.

Ref: 1. Railway Board's No. 2006/CEDO/SR/8 dated 05.09.2006.

2. ED/Track /RDSO' letter No. CT/DHS/3/coaches Dated 08.05.2007.

Hob' ble MR has announced that double decker trains are to be introduced over Indian Railway system shortly during this year's Railway Budget. The design of the double decker coaches is presently being developed with the plan of manufacturing these coaches at RCF. It may be recalled that the height of existing BG coaches was increased from 4265 :nm to 4381 mm by manufacturing two number of "Garib rath" coaches to the increased height in 2006-07. The double decker coaches now being planned shall utilize the profile that had been developed for the 'Garibrath' coaches with increased height carlier.

Railway Board had conveyed condonation to Indian Railways Schedule of Dimension (IRSOD 2004) vide their letter referred to at '1' above, with instructions to Zonal Railways for ensuring removal of existing infringements due to new design. These instructions were conveyed to Zonal Railways vide ED Track/RDSO's letter referred at 2' above.

Since the double decker coaches are being developed on the same Gard Rath polic, it is requested that necessary action to identify and remove infringement due to the existing fixed structures, if any, as per drawing No. VDG/Carriage/MMD9 (Rev. 1) and drawing No. VDG/Carriage /MMD 9A Rev. (copy enclosed) may be taken on prierity as conveyed vide RDSO letter referred at '2' and Boards letter at '1' above.

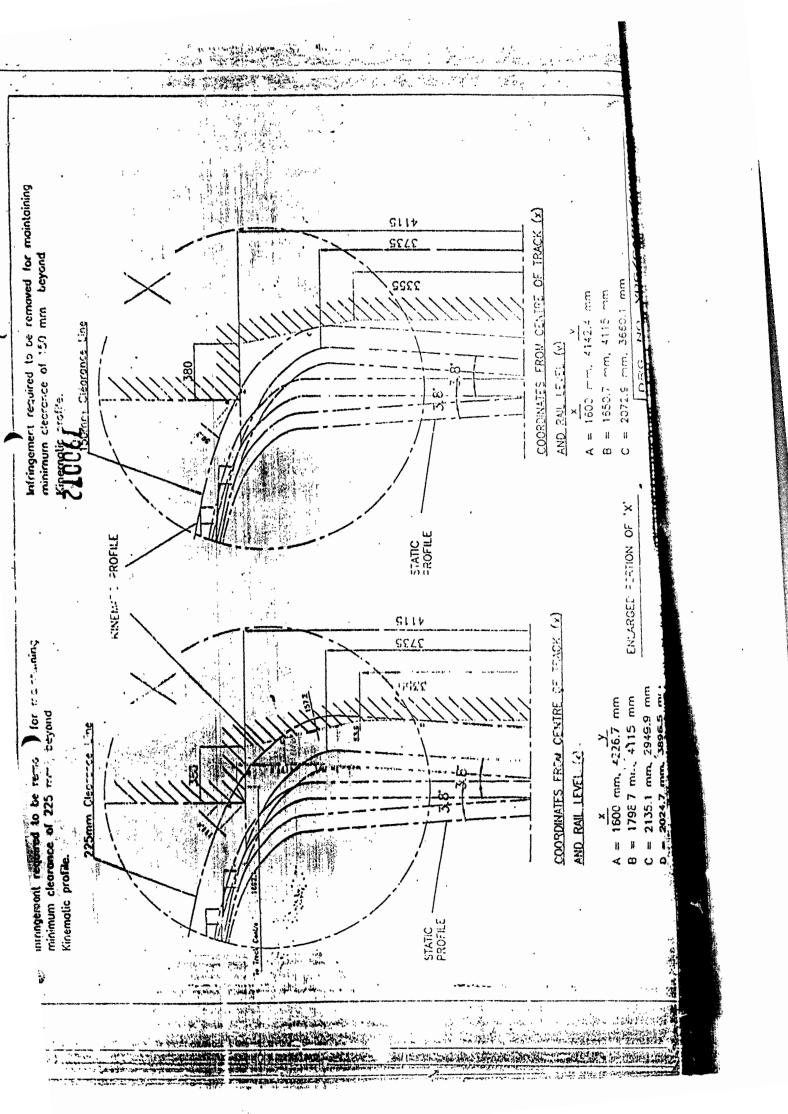
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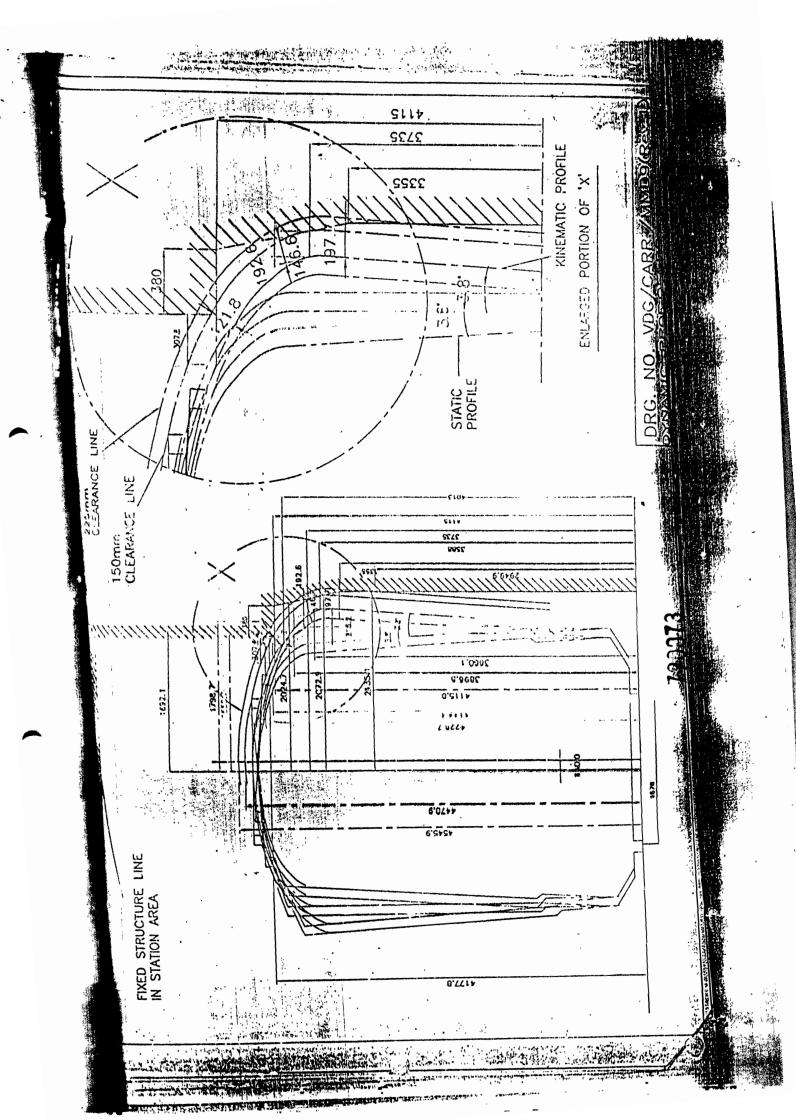
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i) Railway Board's letter no. 2006/CEDO/SR/8 dt. 05.09.2006

ii) ED/Track/RDSO's letter no. CT/DHS/3/Coached dated 08.06.07

iii) This office letter no. MC/GR dated 13.08.2009.

In compliance to Hon'ble MR's announcement of introducing double decker train while presenting Railway Budget of 2009, prototype coach is likely to be ready by Jan. 2010. Railways were requested vide letter at reference iii) above to remove infringements on existing structures to enable operation of these double decker trains.

It may be mentioned that double dricker coaches will have same profile as of Garib Rath coaches of 4381mm height.

Removal of infringements by Railways may be expedited.

For Director General (Carriage)

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Oscillation trials of double decker coach - Announcement made by Sub:

Hon'ble MR for introducing double decker trains in the Railway Budget 2009.

Ref: i) Railway Board's letter no. 2006/CEDC/SR/8 dt. 05.09.2006.

ii) ED/Track/RDSO's letter no. CT/DHS/3/Coached dated 08.06.07.

iii) This office letters no. MC/GR dated 13.08.2009, 02.12.09 and MC/CB/AC/DD dated 04.01.2010.

In compliance to Hon'ble MR's announcement of introducing double decker train while presenting: Railway Budget of 2009, RDSO along with Rail Coach Factory is working on developing double decker coach dealur. Its frictity personal shall be ready by much track 2010 for obcillation Irials.

The couch has maximum moving dimension similar to that of Garib Rath coach of enhanced height of 4381mm. Railways were earlier requested vide letters at reference iii) above to remove infringements on existing structures to enable operation of these double decker trains. Railways should have taken necessary action in this regard.

Oscillation trials of the coach have been planned in TKD-AGC section on C&M-I 1 standard track and MB-BE section on other than C&M-I Vol.I standard track. Also, there are be movement of this coach from Rail Coach Factory, Kapurchale to New Delhi, New Delhino Meradabad and Moradabad to Tuglakabad.

It is requested to ensure removal of infringements, if any existing, as per schedule suggested below:

RCF, Kapurthala to New Dolhi by 15.03.2010. New Delhi to MB by 31.03.2010 MB to TKD by 10.04.2010.

In case there are no infringements, it may be confirmed at the earliest.

(D.K.Agarwal)

For Director General (Carr.age)

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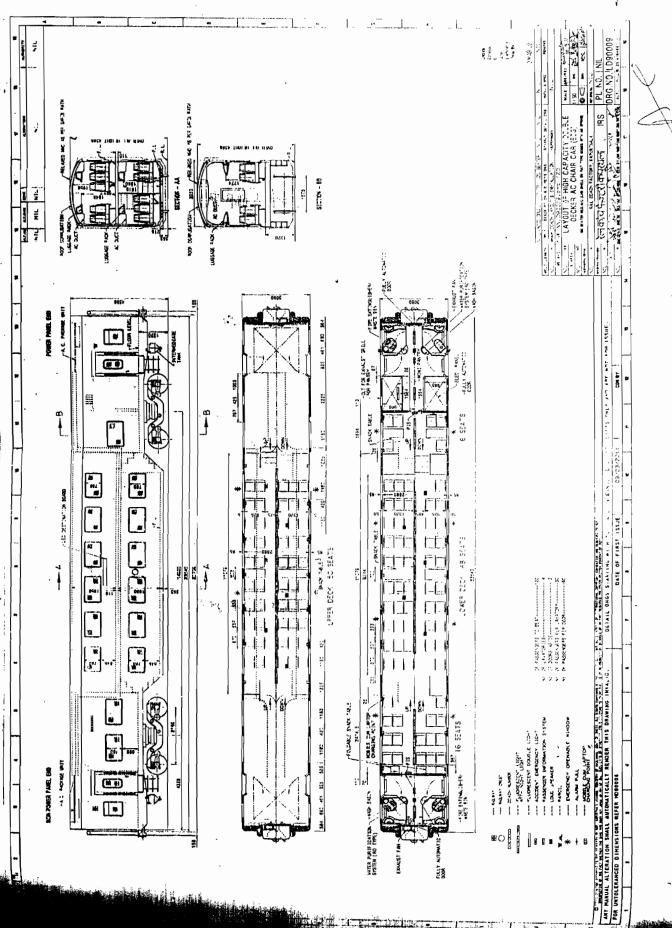
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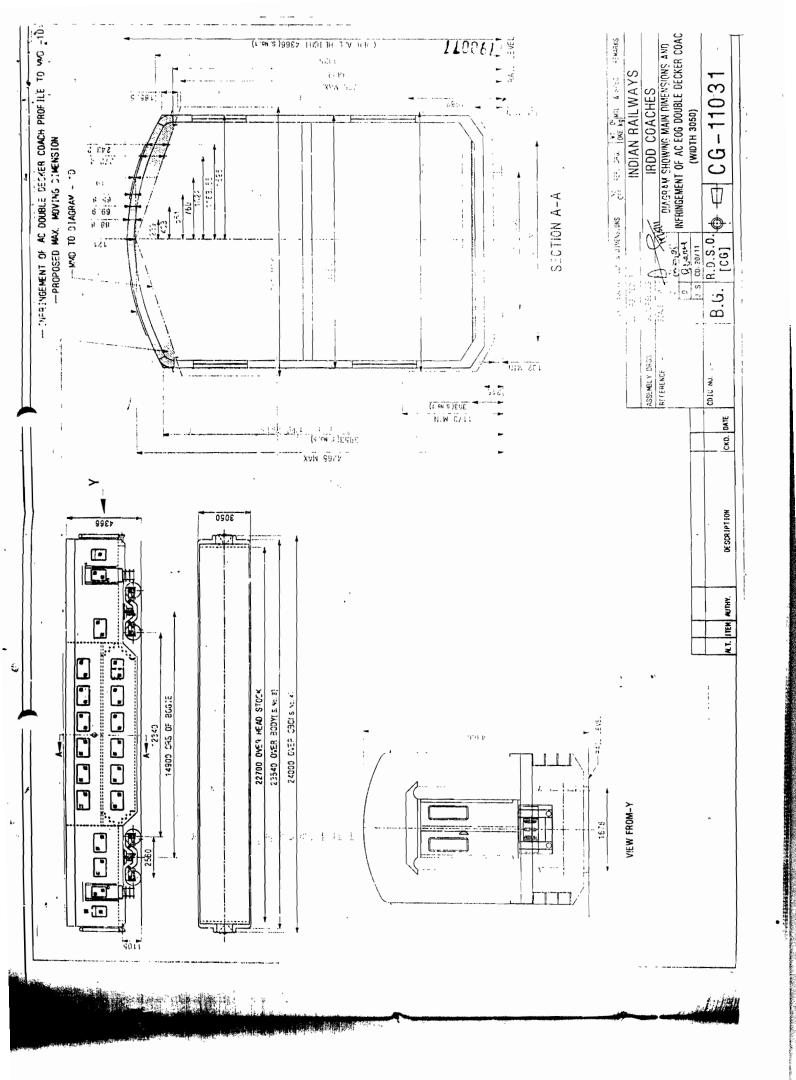
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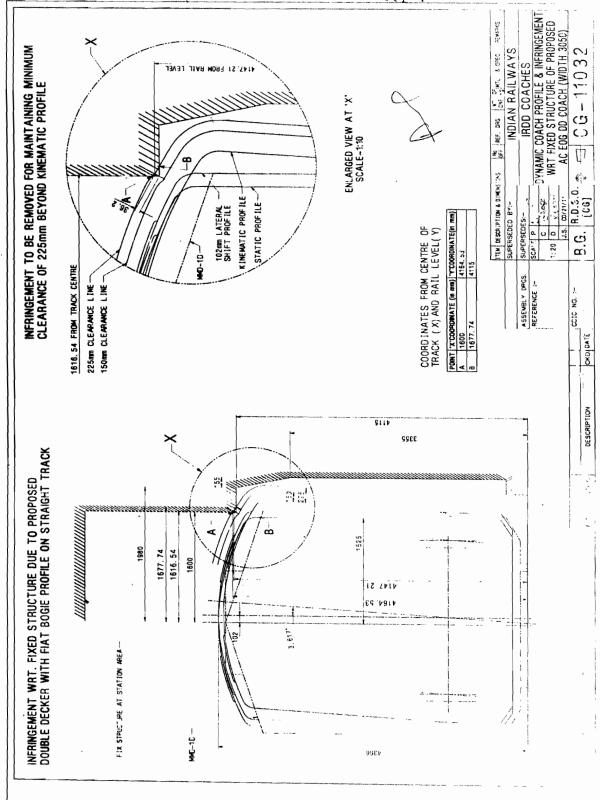
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