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All Indian Railways.

Sub: Construction of formation for Doubling on DFC feeder routes.

The issue of loading standards to be considered for construction of formation for doubling work on DFC feeder routes has been under consideration. As per extant instructions (GE:G-0014 of Nov '09), formation specification for New Lines/Doubling/GC works to be carried out on IR have to be kept for 25 T loading standards. However, the instructions are not explicit about loading standards to be considered for formation specification on the DFC feeder routes.

Now Board (ME) has approved that construction of formation for Doubling on DFC feeder routes should be for DFC loading standard (32.5 T Axle Load). These instructions will apply for all new doubling works on DFC feeder routes wherever detailed estimates is yet to be sanctioned.

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