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No.C.14/G.III/WP/2020-21/VOL.I

Dated 23/12/2020

**The Executive Director,  
Passenger Marketing,  
Railway Board.  
New Delhi.**

Sub:- Development of Goods Sheds – Allocation of funds under Plan  
Head 53- Passenger Amenities.

- Ref:- 1. Member Traffic's D.O. letter No.2020/TT-IV/2/1 dated  
17/07/2020.  
2. Railway Board's letter No.2020/F(X)II/PW/3 dated  
28/7/2020.

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South Central Railway has been striving to increase its freight business volumes as well as its modal share in freight transport. Meeting that objective would need augmentation of line capacity and terminal capacity. While line capacity issues are being addressed, steps need to be taken to augment terminal capacity as well. This proposal is aimed at augmenting terminal capacity on various Goods Shed over South Central Railway, in spirit of MT's DO letter under ref.1.

The list of 15 new proposals costing Rs. 68.82 Crores regarding Development of facilities at Goods Sheds approved by General Manager for inclusion in Umbrella sanctions for Pink Book Item No. 736 of 2020-21(Soft upgrades at stations) under Plan Head "**Passenger Amenities**" is sent herewith, in accordance with letter under ref.2.

**The summary of the works is as follows:-**

S.No	Division	No. of Proposals	Amount (Rs. in Crs)
1	BZA	3	8.19
2	SC	2	21.69
3	HYB	5	24.31
4	NED	1	2.43
5	GNT	2	8.92
6	GTL	2	3.26
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>68.82</b>

In this connection, Board is requested to approve the above 15 proposals for inclusion in Umbrella P.B. Item No. 736 of 2020-21(Soft upgrades at stations) under Plan Head "Passenger Amenities".

Encl: As above.

  
(Dr. R. Sudharsan)

Chief Commercial Manager/PS

Copy to: CE/P&D/SCR – for information and necessary action please.

**The statement showing the division-wise shortlisted proposals  
of Goods Sheds for the year 2020-21 under Plan Head  
"Passenger Amenities" over SCR**

S.No	Division	No. of Proposals	Amount (Rs. in Cr)
1	BZA	3	8.19
2	SC	2	21.70
3	HYB	5	24.32
4	NED	1	2.43
5	GNT	2	8.92
6	GTL	2	3.26
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>68.82</b>

## LIST OF WORKS SHORTLISTED FOR DEVELOPMENT OF GOODS SHED IN THE UMBRELLA SANCTIONS BY THE DIVISIONS

Cost in Rs '000

S.No	Railway	Budget Year	Division	Name Of Work	Allocation	Current Cost	Justification
1	SCR	2020-2021	BZA	KCC Goods siding:- 1) Strengthening of loading & unloading Platform, 2. Replacement of damaged AC sheets etc 3. Construction of rooms for hamal	CAP	27107	KCC is a Category "NS-G-6" class station on group "A" Rajadhani route between Gudur and Vijayawada. This shed deals with transportation of fertilizer, food grains, etc. Now the existing Kutch road is full of pot holes that hamper free movement of Lorries. And the shed has cracked AC sheet roof that has resulted in leaky roofs. Moreover the rooms for homilies are dilapidated. HQRS informed vide CCM/F/S/SC Lr. Nos. C.310/RG./I/Goods-Shed Facilities/Vol.III dated : 09-07-2020, 15-07-2020 & 27-07-2020 that Railway Board advised to improve the various facilities at Goods sheds such as high level platforms, lighting arrangements, approach roads, pavement of circulating area etc. The facilities, such as drinking water, rest rooms for hamals and merchants, toilets etc. have to be provided immediately, as directed by Hon'ble MR. In this regard during the Video conference conducted by GM and PCCM with all the DRMs, Divisions are advised to submit Goods sheds improvement work proposals to assess the requirement of funds for undertaking the works. In this regard during the Video conference conducted by GM and PCCM with all the DRMs, Divisions are advised to submit Goods sheds improvement work proposals to assess the requirement of funds for undertaking the works.
2	SCR	2020-2021	BZA	Ongole---Ongole---OGL--Raising the level of loading surface to Rail level, Provision of labour room etc. at Ongole goods shed area.	CAP	18121	HQRS informed vide CCM/F/S/SC Lr. Nos. C.310/RG./I/Goods-Shed Facilities/Vol.III dated : 09-07-2020, 15-07-2020 & 27-07-2020 that Railway Board advised to improve the various facilities at Goods sheds such as high level platforms, lighting arrangements, approach roads, pavement of circulating area etc. The facilities, such as drinking water, rest rooms for hamals and merchants, toilets etc. have to be provided immediately, as directed by Hon'ble MR. In this regard during the Video conference conducted by GM and PCCM with all the DRMs, Divisions are advised to submit Goods sheds improvement work proposals to assess the requirement of funds for undertaking the works.
3	SCR	2020-2021	BZA	Padugupadu---Padugupadu---PGU--Provision of drainage system from down goods siding raising the level of loading surface etc. at Padugupadu goods shed.	CAP	36668	HQRS informed vide CCM/F/S/SC Lr. Nos. C.310/RG./I/Goods-Shed Facilities/Vol.III dated : 09-07-2020, 15-07-2020 & 27-07-2020 that Railway Board advised to improve the various facilities at Goods sheds such as high level platforms, lighting arrangements, approach roads, pavement of circulating area etc. The facilities, such as drinking water, rest rooms for hamals and merchants, toilets etc. have to be provided immediately, as directed by Hon'ble MR. In this regard during the Video conference conducted by GM and PCCM with all the DRMs, Divisions are advised to submit Goods sheds improvement work proposals to assess the requirement of funds for undertaking the works.
4	SCR	2020-2021	GNT	Improvements to loading and unloading surface area and approach roads at Nandyal goods shed	CAP	77681	Vide DO.Lr.No.C.310/RG./I/GS/P/Facilities/Vol.III, dated 18.03.2016 informed the divisions General Manager has expressed his dissatisfaction at the situation prevailing at the goods sheds. In the light of the foregoing, there is a need to provide the basic facilities on an urgent basis. Some kind of prioritising has to be done, wherein terminals dealing with higher volumes have to be taken up first. There is also a need to scale the facilities as per the number of labour normally working at a particular terminal. As per the existing policy guidelines of Railway Board, goods terminals handling 10 or more rakes per month are notified for round the clock working. Other goods terminals are notified for 6.00 hrs to 22.00 hrs working. Hence all the goods sheds need to be provided with lighting facilities, irrespective of the volume of traffic handled. Nandyal goods shed is a most important goods terminals over Guntur division. During the year 2017-18 and 2018-19 on an average of Rs. 7.89 Crores and Rs. 36.13 crores respectively, was earned at Nandyal goods shed. The number of inward rakes dealt during 2017-18 & 2018-19 are 404 & 375 rakes respectively. In this connection, representations are received from goods customers for developments to goods sheds at the above stations as they faced so many difficulties for loading and unloading. Hence, it is proposed to improvements to loading and unloading surface area and approach roads at Nandyal goods shed. (Approach roads should be Heavy Duty Industrial Flooring Surface).

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5	SCR	2020-2021	GNT	NARASARAOPET--Improvements at Narasaraopet (NRT) Goods Shed	CAP	11552	Narasaraopet is Group-III Category Goods shed. In the last FY-2019-20 total 89 Rakes were unloaded with an Avg of 7 rakes per month. It is one of the important unloading point and some improvements to be done like provision of drinking water facility in merchant room, and to provide water sprinkling system to suppress the dust etc.
6	SCR	2020-2021	HYB	a. Provision of CC goods platform and Merchant room at MBNR b. BT surface goods platform, merchant Room and hamals rest room at FM	CAP	61497	During video conference with GMS and DRMs on 07-07-20, Hon'ble MR insisted that all shorts term measures like loading/unloading, lighting arrangements, approach roads need to be improved so as to facilitate faster loading /unloading and movement of trucks.
7	SCR	2020-2021	HYB	Dhone--Nizamabad--Kurnool town--Provision of BT surface goods platform at NZB, KMC & KRNT	CAP	35993	During video conference with GMS and DRMs on 07-07-20, Hon'ble MR insisted that all shorts term measures like loading/unloading, lighting arrangements, approach roads need to be improved so as to facilitate faster loading /unloading and movement of trucks.
8	SCR	2020-2021	HYB	Improvements to Goods shed works related to Hyderabad Division	CAP	24980	General Manager has sanctioned an amount of 2.5 cr for goods shed improvements works at KMC, JCL and NZB stations. In the meeting, DRM had requested General Manager that the stations where the work is required would be reviewed for which GM had agreed in principle. At Nizamabad and KMC stations, improvement to goods shed facilities have been identified and proposed in umbrella funds. At JCL, RVNL is executing doubling work between FM-MBNR, and goods shed improvement works will be executed by them. Hence the work which includes facilities required at various goods loading and unloading points over the Division has been proposed.
9	SCR	2020-2021	HYB	Provision of CC goods platform and approach road repairs at Gadwal and Bochan	CAP	96309	During video conference with GMS and DRMs on 07-07-20, Hon'ble MR insisted that all shorts term measures like loading/unloading, lighting arrangements, approach roads need to be improved so as to facilitate faster loading /unloading and movement of trucks.
10	SCR	2020-2021	HYB	Shifting of goods shed from Nizamabad to Jankampet with Industrial concrete flooring	CAP	24400	Work for additional lines at JKM station has been sanctioned in plan head 1600. To complement the work, shifting of goods shed to JKM would facilitate Nizamabad station to deal coaching trains as desired by GMS. C Rly during course of inspection.
11	SCR	2020-2021	NED	Improvements to Goods sheds platform, approach road, drinking water and Hamal room at Jalna, Parbhani & Washim.	CAP	24300	Hon'ble MR along with chairman, Railway Board and member Traffic, Railway Board during the video conference held with GMS/PCOMs and DRMs on 07-07-2020 advised to provide various amenities like provision of drinking water, rest rooms, toilets, surfacing of circulating area, laying of CC approach roads etc.
12	SCR	2020-2021	SC	Improvements to Roads and Platform surface to Goods-sheds at Sanathnagar and Uppal.	CAP	46995	CCM(FS)/SC advised to upload the works proposed under umbrella works. (Ir. No. C.473/RG/EOL/Goods-Sheds dated: 18-08-20, copy enclosed)  At Sanathnagar, the existing approach roads are not up to the standard for movement of trucks/lorries which are used for movement of goods from/to goods sheds. The approach roads, internal roads to loading platforms and also conversion of earthen platforms surface to concrete surface is required for easy movement of vehicles. During rainy season, it is becoming difficult for movement of vehicles due to stagnation of water. At Uppal the existing goods platform are earthen platforms which needs to be converted into concrete surface. There is no proper approach road for movement of vehicles due to rainy season, it is becoming difficult for movement of vehicles due to stagnation of water and getting struck in the loading/unloading area. Hence it is essential for provision of cement concrete surface and good quality of approach roads.

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13	SCR	2020-2021	SC	Provision of New Sheds on Goods Platform at Sanathnagar, Karim Nagar and Uppal.	CAP	169983	Goods sheds are major business / commercial center for railway earnings. At present cover shed is not available for full length of goods platforms. Due to this wagons are not able to place at these locations. During monsoon seasons and inclement weather conditions, parties are not able to unload the wagons, thereby causing detentions of rakes and losing earning capacity of rakes. By providing these sheds rakes will be released at faster pace. With this provision, the detention of rakes will be reduced and in turn increases the mobility of trains. Hence this work is very much essential	
14	SCR	2020-2021	GTL	Chittoor goods shed development by providing all weather approach road, merchant and hamali rooms with toilets and 2 nos high mast lights	CAP	12626	The proposed work of Goods shed at CTO station have been reviewed and revised as under in view of present financial condition of Railway and the estimated cost of Rs. 1.2625 crores was worked out as per new USSR rates. The above said work is proposed under PA-5300 for the year 2020-21. Earlier, CTO goods shed was proposed to act as an alternative goods shed in case of congestion at RU and the same work was dropped because JOWY, Yerpedu Pvt. Siding was explored as alternative Goods for Renigunta, but due to operational constraints and JOWY authorities have not shown interest once again CTO Goods shed development work is proposed.	
15	SCR	2020-2021	GTL	YG:Development / Improvement of facilities like Merchant & Hamalis room with toilets, approach road , High mast lights & other Elec. work.	CAP	20013	As advised by General Manager during Safety review meeting held on 23.11.2020, a separate proposal is being submitted duly including the cost of circulating area, Goods shed, Hamalis rest room, merchant room, high mast light and other electrical works under Plan head-5300 with the estimated cost of Rs.2.00 crores.	
<b>Total</b>						<b>688225</b>		