

LHB COACHING STOCK ENROUTE TROUBLE SHOOTING

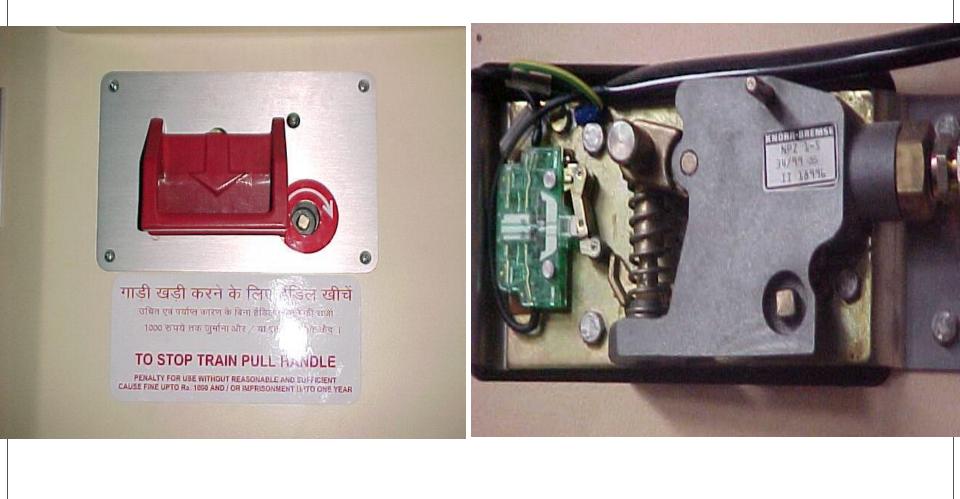
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ENROUTE PROBLEMS

- Alarm Chain Pulling- resetting method
- Brake Binding-Sequence of operations for attending
- By Passing of Coach if BP/FP metallic pipe broken or Cut Off Angle Cock leakage.
- Ensuring proper coupling of 'H' Type tight lock CBC
- Isolating procedure if Air Suspension spring burst or Leakage.

ACP resetting method

PEASD (Passenger Emergency Alarm Signal Device)



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To stop the train, pull the PEASD handle down wards inside the cabin. After ACP, red light (LED) glows and BP pressure starts venting through 19 mm choke of PEAV, Emergency Brake Accelerator also activates and cause emergency brake application.

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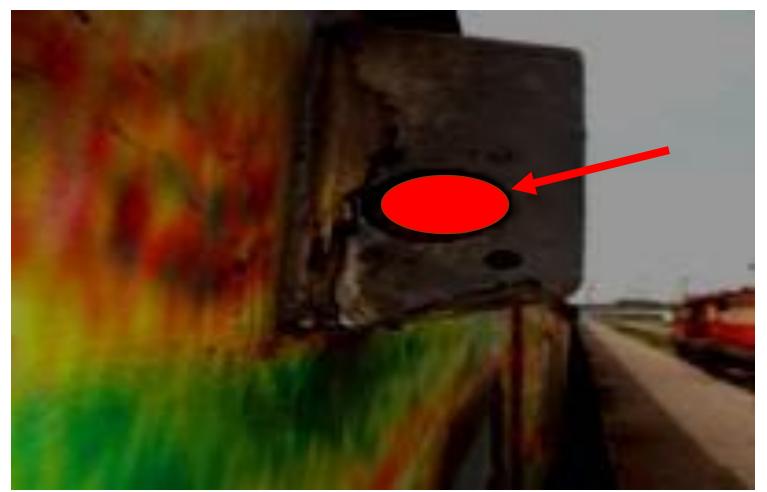


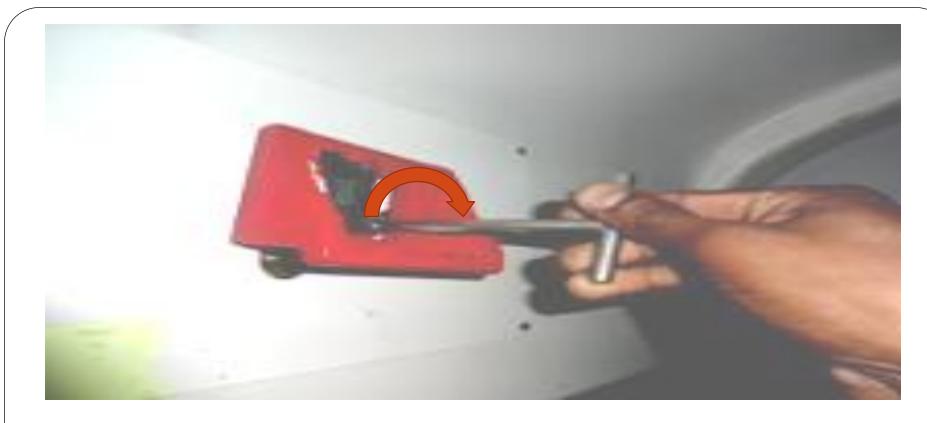


Normal Position

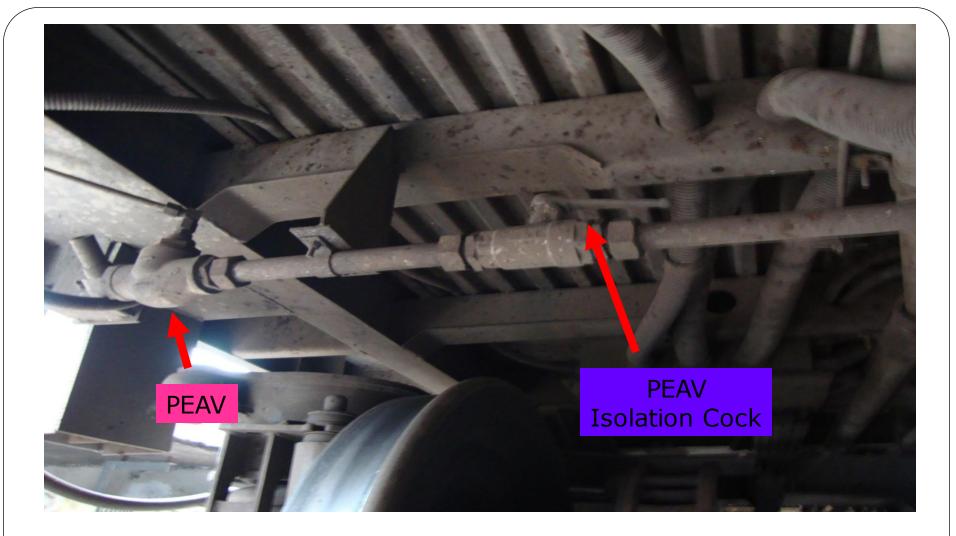
Pulled Position

Simultaneously the red light provided out side the coach also glows after ACP.





For re-setting the PEASD, insert resetting key in the PEASD and rotate in clock wise direction.



If BP air leakage does not stop even after resetting, then close the PEAV isolation cock provided under the coach.



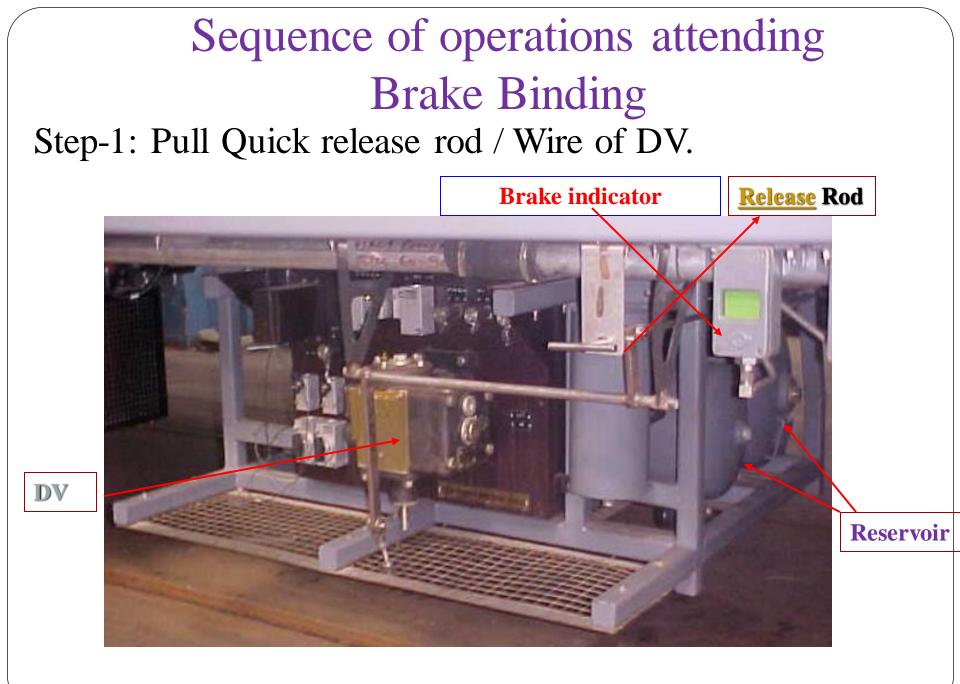
Attending brake binding of LHB Coaches

Check Brake Indicators provided on coach side body. If Brakes in binding, Indicators will show Red.

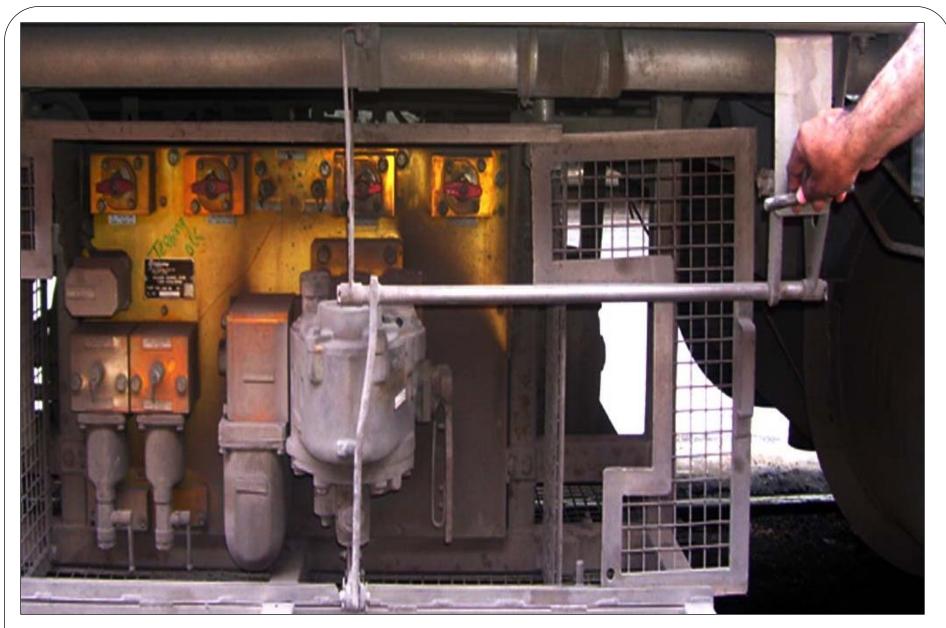


LHB COACH

LHB GUARD COACH DOUBLE DECKER COACH



KNORR BRAKE CONTROL PANEL AND INDICATOR UNIT



FAIVELY make BRAKE CONTROL PANEL

LHB Double Decker Coaches





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If Brakes are not released, follow Step-2

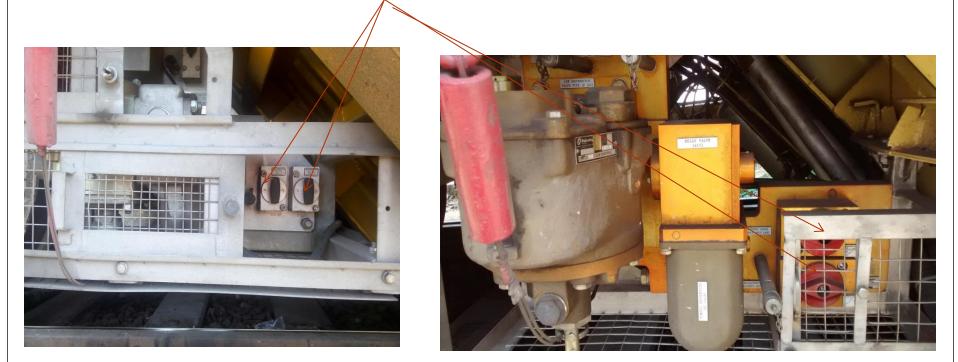
Step-2: Close the BC Isolation Cocks (switches) of one or both the trolleys having brake binding provided in the Brake control panel.
(Rotate anticlockwise to Horizontal position)
Orientation: Vertical – Working condition Horizontal – Isolation condition



FTRIL CONTROL PANEL

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For LHB Double Decker Coaches Step-2: Close the BC Isolation Cocks (switches) of one or both the trolleys having brake binding provided in the Brake control panel.



KNORR CONTROL PANELFTRIL CONTROL PANELIf brakes are not released with Step-2, follow Step-3.

Step-3: Open flexible pipes of BC lines of one / both the axles of one / both trolleys having brake binding. After this Brake Indicators turn to GREEN and Brakes will be released.

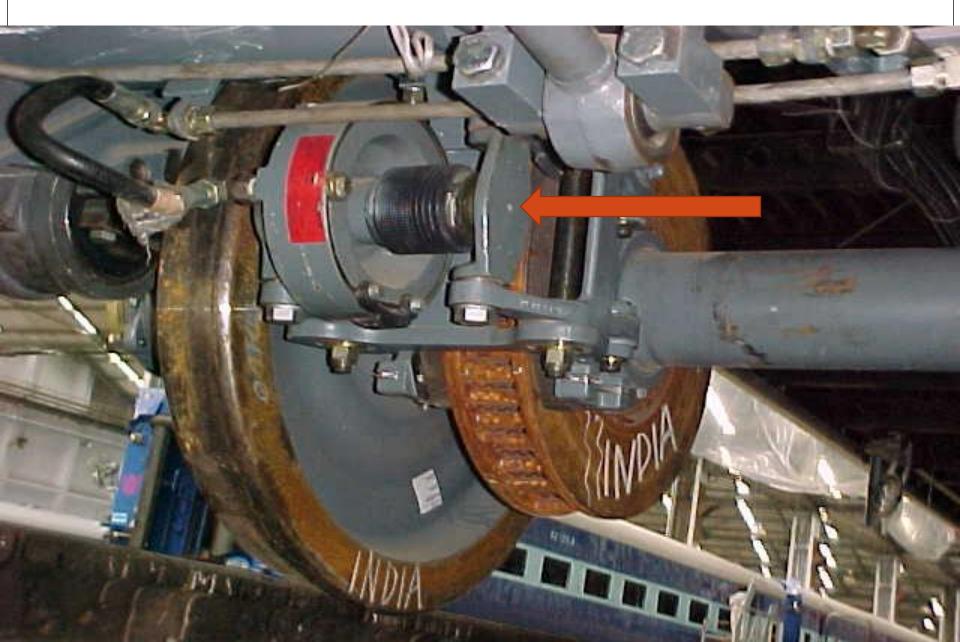
Suggestion: Remove flexible pipe nearer to BC. With this Brake Indicators turn to **GREEN**. Ensure physically release of Brake pads by shaking.

If not free, loosen the 27mm nut of BC to get Brake pad gap.





Rotate clockwise to slack Brake pads



After ensuring releasing brakes, that is after Ist step or 2nd step or 3rd step...

Isolate / Dummy the affected coach and empty Air Brake system as follows..

► Isolate FP to AR

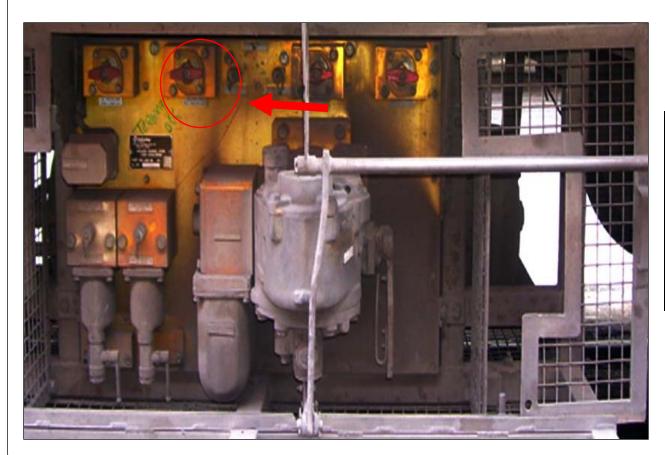
≻Isolate DV

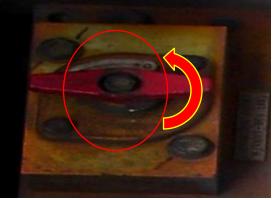
≻Isolate BCs

➢Drain AR

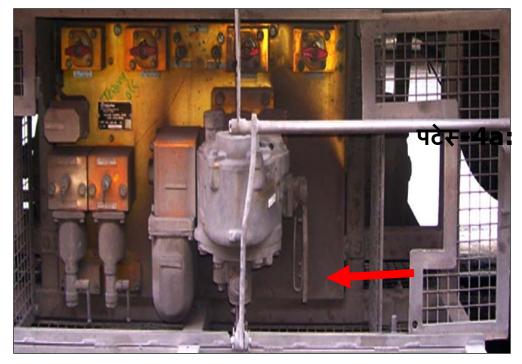
≻Pull QRV again to empty CR.

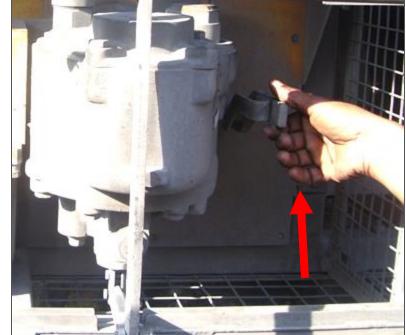
Step-4a: Isolate FP cock (switch) fitted in Brake panel. Rotate anticlockwise to **Horizontal position**.





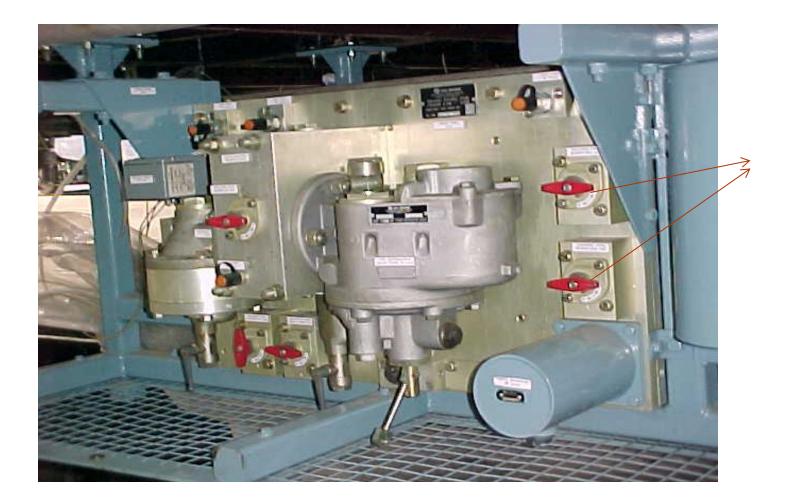
Step-4b: Isolate DV by lifting R-Charger Isolation handle from vertical to **Horizontal position**.



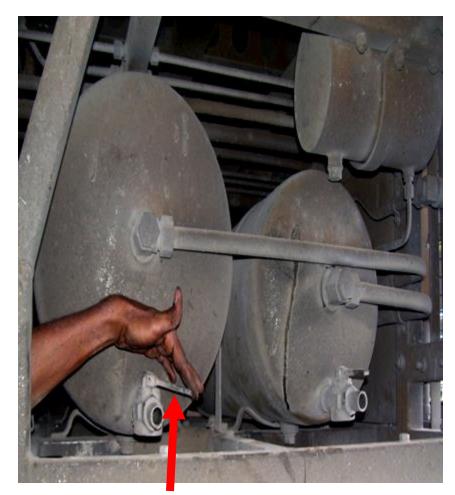


Isolation/Dummy

Step- 4c: Isolate BC cocks if not done earlier

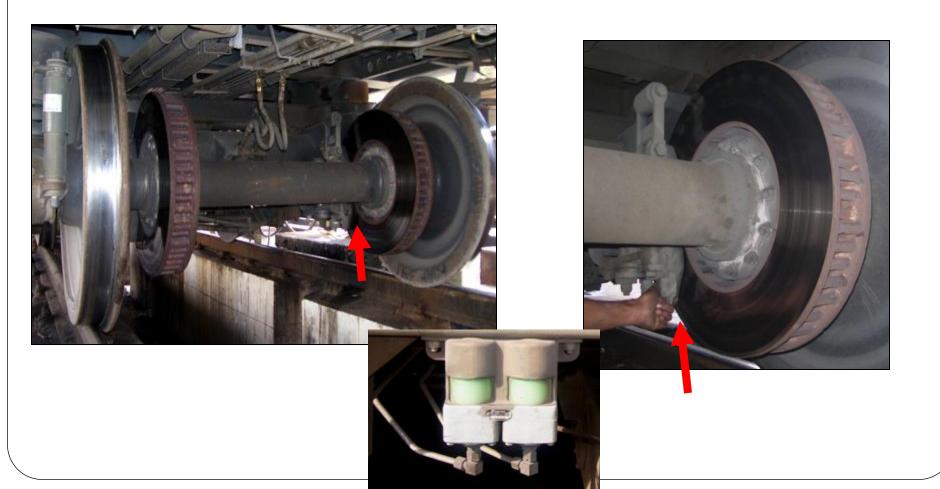


Step-4d:Drain out AR fully.Pull Quick release wire of DV to empty CR.





Step - 4e: Physically ensure the release of Brake Pads of all wheels by shaking & ensure Brake indicators in green colour.



Double Decker Coach



For C3W DV there is no DV isolating handle for isolation. The isolation cock above the DV to be turned vertical

For Double Decker Coach

Isolation/Dummy



FP SWITCH

C3W DV

FP SWITCH

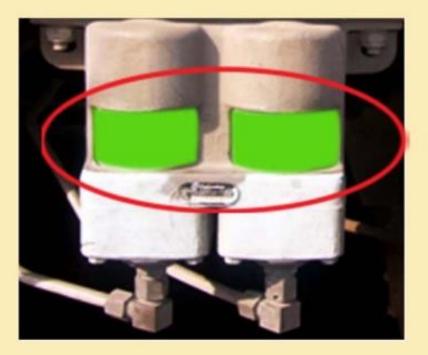
KNORR DV



For LHB DD - AR Drain Cock



The final position of Brake indicators will be in green position



Now you can work the train up to the destination

3. By-passing of BP/FP pipes of LHB Coaches



If BP/FP metallic pipe broken or Cut Off Angle Cock leakage.. Any Ferrule joint worked out.. By-pass the Air Brake system of that coach,



LHB coaches are not permitted to run with Single pipe Air Brake System because.

LHB coaches are provided with..

Pressurised Bio-Toilets
WSP system in Disc brake system and
Air Spring suspension in some coaches

For by-passing, use coach length flexible pipe (length approx. 28m) and for converting BP flexible pipe to FP or FP flexible pipe to BP.. use BP/FP palm end couplers.

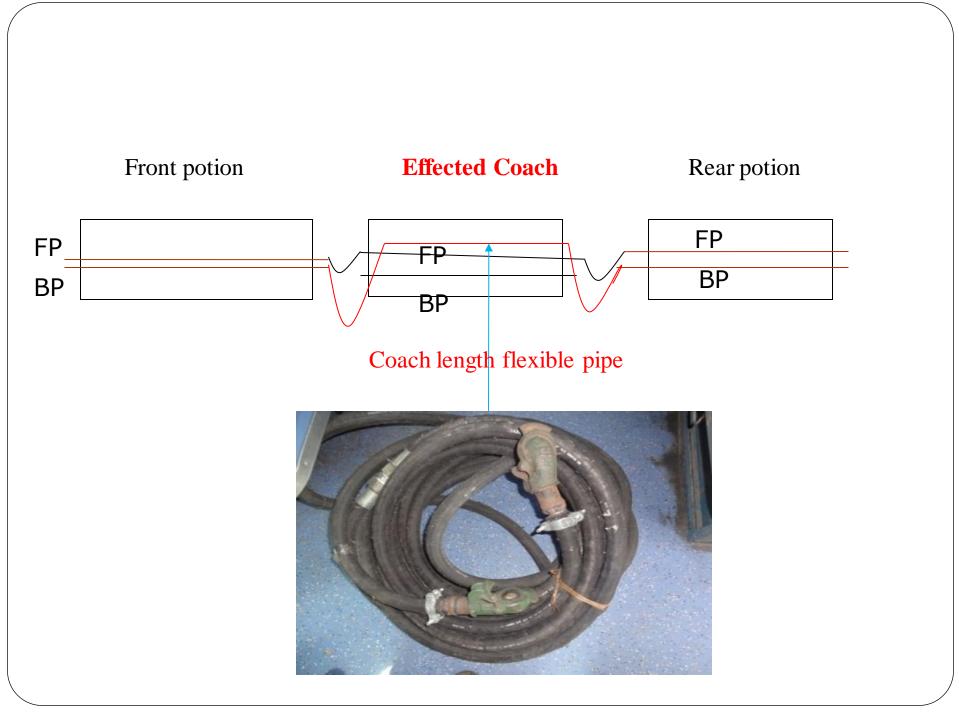
Coach Length BP, FP By-Pass Flexible pipes and BP/FP By-Pass converter couplers







BP by-pass Pipe (Coach length) FP by-pass Pipe (Coach length) BP/FP palm end Coupler



Procedure of by-passing of BP/FP in LHB Coaches

- Close BP/FP cut off angle cocks on both ends of the affected coach.
- Close BP/FP cut off angle cocks of both the adjacent coaches.
- Un couple BP/FP air hoses between affected coach and adjacent coaches.
- Run coach length BP / FP by-pass flexible pipe inside the affected coach and tied properly.
- Connect coach length BP / FP by-pass flexible pipe to both the adjacent coaches and open BP/FP cut off angle cocks.

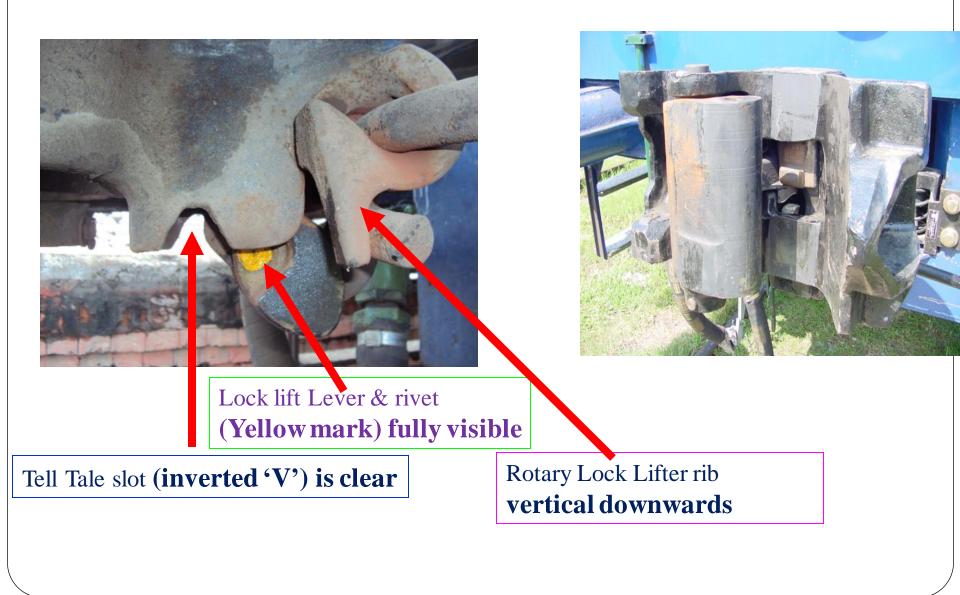
Procedure of by-passing of BP/FP in LHB Coaches

- Ensure manual release of affected coach and the adjacent coaches.
- Ensure brake indicators of all the coaches in Green colour.
- > Check the BP/FP pressures in front and rear power cars.
- > Ensure the air continuity and allow the train.

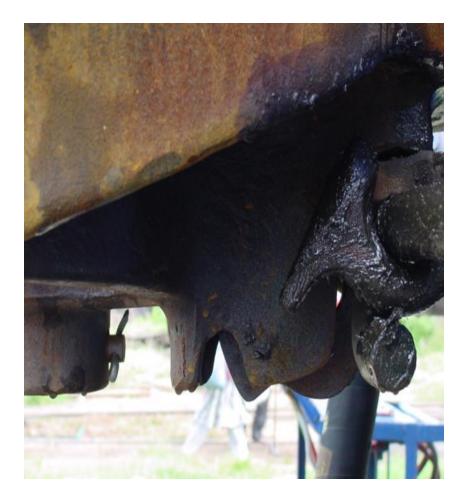
NOTE: Incase FP pipe by-passing and if coach is of Air suspension, isolate Air Bellows and run the train with SR 60 KMPH.

In case BP By-Passed, Brake system and ACP of that coach will not work.

Ensuring proper coupling / locking of 'H' type tight lock CBC



Partially Locked Lock Condition



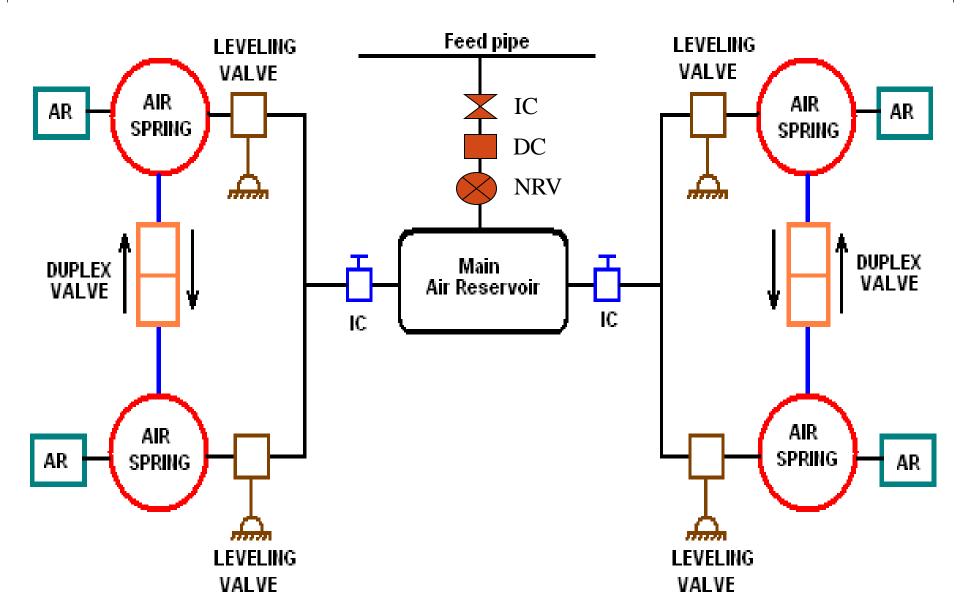


Double Rotary Lock Lifter Rib Position





Isolation of Air Spring suspension in case any air spring burst or heavy leakage





FIAT BOGIE WITH AIR SPRING





Lever should be in horizontal position

Protective Shield

Thank you