

# **SRES - NFIR**

**FACILITIES OF TOILET, DRINKING WATER & ELECTRICITY**

## **ORDERS SECURED BY NFIR-SRES**

**SRES DEMANDS PCE & ALL DRMs TO TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION FOR ARRANGING TOILET FACILITIES, DRINKING WATER & ELECTRICITY FOR GATE KEEPERS**

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS  
(RAILWAY BOARD)**

**No. 2016/LMB-II/1/12**

**New Delhi, Dt : 24.09.2015**

**General Manager,  
All Indian Zonal Railways.**

**Subject : Non-availability of drinking water and poor condition of Gate Lodge  
Track maintainers put to severe hardships-reg.**

Secretary, **NFIR** have sent representation to Secretary (E) on the above cited subject and mentioned that Zonal Railways have not taken measures for ensuring supply of drinking water to the track maintainers at work places i.e. at Railway tracks well as at level crossing gates. The gate lodges wherever available in very bad shape due to leakage of roof and cracked walls causing safety hazards to those track maintainers who man the gates. At some gate lodges, no power supply is ensured. The solar power supply lasts for a few hours consequently the Gate Keepers are compelled to perform duties in total darkness.

Railways are requested to ensure that drinking water is supplied uninterruptedly to the Track Maintainners as well as to the Gate Keepers, Gate lodges which are in bad shape to be repaired. It has also been requested to ensure uninterrupted power supply to Gate Lodge since Solar Power lasts for few hours and the Gate Keepers are compelled to work in total darkness.

Railways are requested to take necessary action.



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**Date : 16.03.2017**

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