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The Chief Track Engineers,
All Indian Railways.

Sub: Adoption of Digital ultrasonic flaw detecting machines on IR

As per Hon'ble MR's Budget Speech 2009-10(Item No.27), Digital Ultrasonic flaw detecting machines are to be used for ultrasonic testing of rails and welds. During the next five years existing analogue SRT/DRT machines are planned to be phased out by Digital ultrasonic testing machines; SRT/DRT/weld tester. Existing population/status of the analogue SRT/DRTs, as collected from the zonal railways is enclosed.

It is requested that yearly planning for the phasing out of analogue SRT/DRTs by digital SRT/DRTs on the next 5 years may be advised to Board at an earliest.

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with Enclosure

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