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To

All Commissioners of Railway Safety
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Subject : Timber Top Culverts and Timber bed blocks.

While dealing with a case of an infringement on Central Railway, it was noticed that timber top culverts are being perpetuated.

2. The timber top culverts are obsolete and were given up long ago, since timbers are susceptible to decay quickly apart from catching fire. So is the case with the Timber bed blocks. These items should, therefore, be discouraged while according sanctions as well as during inspections.

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Chief Commissioner of Railway Safety.

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