



**EAST COAST RAILWAY**

**BLOCK WORKING MANUAL**

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**FOR THE GUIDANCE OF  
RAILWAY SERVANTS**

## **PREFACE**

1. The Block Working Manual of East Coast Railway deals with the rules for working of Block Instruments which governs the movements of trains in Single line, Double line, Parallel Single line and multiple line sections under the guidance of General and Subsidiary Rules, 2010.

2. The Rules in this Manual do not cancel or amend any rules of General and Subsidiary Rules for the purpose of training any procedure of working of the Block Instruments either in Single line/Double line or multiple line.

3. This is the first edition of East Coast Railway which supercedes the Block Working Manual of SE Railway (1999). All the addenda and corrigenda issued to Block Working Manual of SE Railway (1999) have been incorporated in this book.

4. Procedure for working of trains in single line automatic signalling territory is mentioned in this book for the knowledge of staff though it is not in vogue in East Coast Railway.

5. Staff concerned possess a copy of this book and should be thoroughly acquainted with the rules and regulations incorporated in this book as also with the amendment subsequently issued and notified from time to time. This book is the property of the Railway Administration and shall be given up by the holder on leaving service by him/her.

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