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VIGILANCE ADVISORY No. -03/2023

To
DRM/KUR, SBP, WAT

Sub: Proper entry in OHE Key register

1. A preventive check was conducted at KIS and DNM station on the aspect of placement timing of rake for loading / unloading operation. It is noticed that for safety reason, isolation of OHE is done at Goods Handling Line / Yard, before starting loading/unloading operation.
2. Accordingly, placement time for the purpose of Demurrage Charges is reckoned from the time of isolation of OHE at the Goods Handling Line / Yard.
3. However, no entry is made by the staff in the prescribed register for taking the OHE Key from the OHE Key Box for isolation of OHE at Goods Handling Line / Yard. As such, the actual time of isolation of OHE at the Goods Handling Line / yard is not recorded at station and it is difficult to cross check the actual placement time of rake for the purpose of calculation of Demurrage Charges.
4. This practice is in violation of the instruction issued in the SWR. Taking of OHE Key from OHE Key Box without proper entry in the prescribed register not only endanger the safety norms, as well possibility of manipulation in placement timing of rakes for the purpose of reckoning Demurrage Charges cannot be ruled out.

It is requested to issue necessary instruction to all concerned to make necessary entry in the prescribed register as and when OHE Key is taken from OHE Key Box for all purpose including for isolation of OHE at Yards / Goods Handling Lines. If the same is not incorporated in SWR, the same should be incorporated in SWR also.

This is issued with the approval of SDGM.


13/4/23

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Sr. DOM, Sr. DCM/KUR, SBP, WAT for kind information and
necessary action please.