भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेलवे बोर्ड) (RAILWAY BOARD)

2023/E(LL)/NPWE/1

New Delhi, 27th February,2023

The General Manager All Zonal Railways and Production Units Metro Railway, Kolkata CORE/Prayagraj, RWP/Bela, WPO/Patna The Director General, RDSO, Lucknow The Director General, NAIR, Vadodara

Sub:- Celebration of 8th March, 2023 as International Women's Day (IWD)

Ref:- Board's Letter of Even No. dated 27.01.2023

As the Zonal Railways are aware, 'International Women's Day (IWD) is celebrated globally on 8th March each year to celebrate achievements of women and mark a call to action for gender equality. International Women's Day also aims to draw attention to issues faced by women and advocate for women emancipation.

- 2. It is requested to ensure that impactful events/programmes are organized at the Zonal/Divisions level in the week beginning from 1" March, 2023 and culminating on IWD on 8th March, 2023 to promote and celebrate women empowerment in all its dimension.
 - · Seminar on Women's Health & Wellbeing
 - Workshop on Stress free life, Meditation & Mindfulness
 - Debate on new Challenges for Women Officials at Work Place
 - Musical event for Women employees
 - Self Defense Workshop
 - Nukkad Natak
 - A Walkathon
 - Drama on Gender Equality
 - Poetry/Shayari Recitation
 - Exhibition on Handicrafts/Paintings by Women Employees
 - Felicitation of Best Women's Employees
- The expenditure for the proposed events/programmes may be met from the unspent amount of the SBF (2021-22) on women empowerment keeping in view the instructions on economy measures issued by Government of India from time to time.
- This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Railway Board.

(Deepak Peter Gabriel)

Principal Executive Director (I.R.)

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