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MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

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F. No. RW/NH- 33044/35/2015/S&R (R)

Dated: the 15th March, 2016

To,

1. All Engineers-in-Chief and Chief Engineers of Public Works Department of States/ UTs dealing with National Highways, other centrally sponsored schemes.
2. The Director General (Border Roads), Seema Sadak Bhawan, Ring Road, New Delhi-110 010.
3. The Chairman, National Highways Authority of India, G-5 & 6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110 075.
4. The Managing Director, NHIDCL, PTI Building, New Delhi-110001

Subject: The issue of applying tack coat over prime coat - Reminder

Please refer to the Ministry's circular of even no. dated 23-02-2016 on the subject mentioned above. As stated in the circular, Ministry has received a reference from Prof. Prithvi Singh Kandhal regarding deletion of Tack Coat over the Prime Coat mentioning that it is fundamentally unnecessary and causes sheer wastage of public money. Hence, the Ministry is deliberating over the issue to come out with amended guidelines/circular in the matter at the earliest. In this regard, the Ministry had requested feedback/comments/inputs of the implementing agencies for taking a decision at the earliest. However, no response from the implementing agencies has been received yet.

2. Now, it is again requested that relevant feedback/inputs in the matter may be submitted to the Ministry on the email address: ami.yanshu@nic.in at the earliest.

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For Director General (Road Development) & SS

Copy to the following for providing the feedback at the earliest:

1. CE(P-1)/ CE(P-2)/ CE(P-3)/ CE(P-4)/ CE(P-5)/ CE(P-6)/ CE(P-7)/ CE(NER)/ CE(NHDP-IV)/ CE(LWE)
2. All ROs and ELOs of the Ministry
3. Technical circular file of S&R (R) Section
4. NIC-for uploading on Ministry's website under "What's new"
