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Sub: Construction and maintenance of Cover Over Platforms and FOBs.

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Keeping in mind the recent incident of COP/Platform Shelter collapsing at Surat Railway station, the following precautions are required to be ensured while constructing and maintaining of the COPs.

1. No seating arrangement/Pedestals should be planned/provided around the Stanchions of COPs and also under FOBs, so that the Primary members are clearly accessible for inspections and maintenance.
2. No Box section is to be adopted as Stanchions while planning for construction of COPs. Only IRS type shelters are to be provided for COPs. For Box sections, inside painting is not possible and is thus prone to corrosion.

These instructions may please be followed and ensured while planning/ construction of Cover Over Platforms and FOBs.

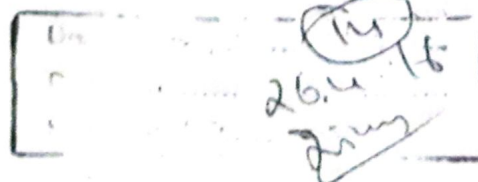
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