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NHAI/Policy Guidelines/ Delegation of powers to Regional Officers/2018 Policy No.1.1.27, Dated the 20th March 2018 (Decision taken in 337th meeting of the Executive Committee)

Sub: Provision of safe road crossing measures by construction of Foot Over Bridges (FoBs), Pedestrian Under Passes (PUPs), Pedestrian Sub Ways (PSWs), Cautionary/Informative Road Sign Boards/Road markings and other safety measures including solar lighting in places of large public movements e.g. Educational Institutions, Religious Places, Hospitals and Local Haat/Bazaars located on/near the National Highways- Delegation of powers to Regional Officers reg.

Lack of safe crossing facilities on the NHs has always posed safety hazard to the road users for which powers have been delegated to the ROs earlier vide technical policy no. 201/2016 for construction of Foot Over Bridges (FOBs). However, in order to provide for alternative crossing facilities viz. Pedestrian Under Passes (PUPs) & Pedestrian Sub Ways (PSWs) and other safety measures expeditiously, need has been felt to delegate additional powers to the ROs.

2. Considering the urgency of providing safety measures at busy intersections and improvement of black spots, etc. the Regional Officers have been authorized to decide on the following proposals:-

The Regional Officers shall finalize the crossing facility and other safety measures in consultation with the Road Safety Expertise available under the Regional Offices i.e. Road Safety Experts of Independent Engineers/ Authority Engineers/ Road Safety Consultants/ Road Safety Officers/ Project Directors and local authorities, prepare design & estimate, procure implementation agencies (Priority to be given to execute such works through Change of Scope in ongoing works in construction/O&M) and complete such works, which should be followed by a campaign to popularise its use by the road users.

3. For this purpose, the following powers are being delegated to the Regional Officers:-

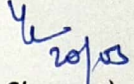
- Foot Over Bridge (FOB): Up to Rs.1.00 crore for 4-lane road and Rs.1.25 crores for 6-lane road
- Pedestrian Under Pass (PUP)/ Pedestrian Sub Way (PSW):-

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- (i) The Regional Officers, depending upon requirement, will decide the size of the facility. However, it should not be less than 12x4m.
 - (ii) To cater to increased size of the facility, the cost ceiling for PUP/PSW under this delegation is upto Rs. 25 crores.
- c. Cautionary/ Informative Sign Boards/Road markings and other safety measures including solar lighting:- Within the Powers already given to ROs for road maintenance works.

4. Accordingly, the Regional Officers are directed to take early action to provide safe road crossing facilities on all the NHs under their jurisdiction and submit an action taken report to the concerned technical division and the road safety cell at NHAI HQ.


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