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Sub:- Minimum number of Gatekeepers at a level crossing

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The following copy of Board's letter No ■ 2012/E(LL)/HER/23 dated 28.06.2012 addressed to GM All India Railway and others is forwarded herewith for information guidance and necessary action.

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Asstt. Personnel officer / (S&T) & Ruling  
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DA: As above

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Attention is invited to the existing contradiction between Railway Servants ( Hours of Work and Period of Rest ) Rules, 2005 and provision in Indian Railway Permanent Way Manual, regarding posting of **minimum Number of Gatekeepers at a level crossing** . After examining both the provisions , Board has decided that the provision made in item No. 10 of Annexure 9/1, related to Para 904 of Indian Railway Permanent Way Manual, should be followed for the posting of minimum number of gatekeepers at a level crossing and the same is reproduced below :

Class of Level Crossing	Minimum Number of Gatekeepers
Special	Three
'A' Class	Two
'B' Class	Two
'C' Class	Two if manned ( one if the gate is closed and locked at night in accordance with the provision of GR. 16.03)
'D' Class	Two if manned ( one if the gate is closed and locked at night in accordance with the provision of GR. 16.03)

Railways are, therefore, **not** required to carryout any Factual **Job Analysis / Work Study** for deciding the minimum number of gatekeepers at a level crossing. This is being issued as a special case and applicable only for manpower at level crossing.

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