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Sub: Addendum and Corrigendum Slip No.9 to IRS B1-2001.


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In reference to above, Addendum and Corrigendum Slip No. 9 dated 16.01.2015 to IRS B1-2001 regarding HSFG Bolts is being sent for your information and necessary action please.

Encl.: Copy of A&C Slip No. 9
To IRS B1-2001.

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SPECIFICATION FOR FABRICATION AND ERECTION OF STEEL
GIRDER BRIDGES AND LOCOMOTIVE TURN TABLES

Fabrication Specification (B1-2001)

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Replace clause 28.10.5 (ii) as follows

The members being joined shall be held in position by insertion of few HSFG bolts
(tightened to first stage (as defined in para 28.10.6 and 28.10.7) only. These bolts shall
not be tightened to second stage as defined in para 28.10.6 and 28.10.7 till all the bolts in
a joint are inserted and tightened to first stage.

Replace clause 28.10.7 i as follows

First Stage Tightening: In the first stage, a calibrated wrench with an accuracy of ±10%
shall be set to 75% of the torque computed for the complete tightening of the bolt. The
torque computed shall be as per bolt fabricator recommendations (subject to limits given
in IS: 1367 part 8, table C-1), duly certified to impart the bolt tension specified in para
7.12.6 of IRS Steel Bridge Code. All the bolts in the joint shall be tightened to this torque
in proper sequence for tightening. After checking all bolts after the first stage, permanent
marks shall be made with suitable marker on the bolt as well as nut steel member to
indicate the relative position of the two. The mark shall be such that the same shall be
visible for inspection upto 1 year after the date of installation.

Replace clause 28.10.7 ii a) as follows

The steel members that make up the plies of the joint with HSFG bolts shall be checked
for proper contact as specified in para 28.10.5 (iv).
Replace clause 28.10.7 ii b) as follows

10% bolts, subject to minimum 2 per joint shall be tried to be rotated with a separate calibrated torque wrench set at 75% of torque computed for the complete tightening of the bolt. Any bolt turning by more than 15° during the check shall be rejected. If the improperly tightened bolts thus found are more than 5 but less than 1% of the total, another 10% of the bolts shall be checked. If the total improperly tightened bolts thus found exceed 1% of the total, the tightening procedure and personnel involved shall be reviewed, the torque wrench used for tightening shall be calibrated afresh and the entire lot shall be checked for tightness.

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BY ORDER

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