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# SPECIAL MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTION NO. RDSO/2012/EL/SMI/ 0275 Rev '0' Dated 22.03.2012

1. Title: Special Maintenance Instruction for measurement of millivolt drop of Contractor no. 218 and 126.

#### 2. Brief History:

Modification sheet no. RDSO/2011/EL/MS/0399 (Rev.'0') dated 8.08.11 was issued earlier to reduce cases of life sign missing from different processor cards. In this connection ELS/AQ has now informed that they have found mV drop between wire no. 2095 and 2096 at the tip no. 1 and 2 of contactor 218; and between wire no. 2094 and 2095 at the tip no. 1 and 2 of contactor 126, in the range of 100 mV to 11 V in few locos which resulted in life sign missing messages from electronic cards. The matter was also discussed with other loco sheds holding 3-phase loco. Other sheds also have similar observations.

#### 3. Object:

To reduce the mV drop when it is found that mV drop between wire no. 2095 and 2096 at the tip no. 1 and 2 of contactor 218; and between wire no. 2094 and 2095 at the tip no. 1 and 2 of contactor 126, are more.

### 4. Maintenance Instructions:

Measure the mV drop between wire no. 2095 and 2096 at the tip no. 1 and 2 of contactor 218; and between wire no. 2094 and 2095 at the tip no. 1 and 2 of contactor 126. If it is more than 50mV, the tips of the contactors should be cleaned so that mV drop remains within 50 mV

# 5. Application to class of Locomotives:

WAG9/WAG9H/WAP7/WAP5.

## 6. Agency of Implementation:

All Loco Sheds holding 3-Phase Locomotives.

## 7. Periodicity of Implementation:

One cycle in all locos in first available schedule and then in IC schedule.

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