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Removal of 48,000 Jhuggis in Delhi area as per Hon'ble Supreme Court Order.

The railways have been taking all the measures for complying Hon'ble Supreme Court's order in M.C. Mehta v/s Union of India dated 31.8.2020. The various measures taken by Railways are as under :

Railway officials are holding regular meeting with all stake holders i.e. Delhi Govt. ( with DUSIB on 5.9.2020) & Ministry of Urban Development (on 10.9.2020) to find means and ways to comply Hon'ble Supreme Court Order. Further, Railway will not dismantle any encroachment without proper decision alongwith MOUD and State Govt. The same stand has been taken by Ministry of Railways in hearing of Ajay Maken's Petition in Hon'ble Supreme Court listed today. Railways have also started the drive in large scale and has removed 5-6% garbage lying along the track till date. The garbage cleaning will be completed within 3 months as given in the order by Hon'ble Supreme Court.



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