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While addressing the Nation during 73rd Independence Day, Hon'ble Prime Minister urged to eliminate the use of "Single-Use Plastics" to prevent environmental degradations. Hon'ble Prime Minister also stressed to use indigenous products and make the policy of "Make in India" successful.

2. Hon'ble Minister of RT&H has directed that necessary instructions be issued to avoid use of harmful plastics at all levels in the office premises and also promote locally produced environment-friendly products such as kulhads, clay glasses/plates in place of harmful plastic products.

3. Therefore, all offices of Ministry of Road Transport EI Highways, NHAI, NHIDCL, IAHE, IRC and Regional Offices shall stop use of "Single-Use Plastic" with immediate effect and avoid using harmful plastics in office premises. Also, locally produced environment-friendly products such as kulhads, clay glasses/plates etc. be used in place of harmful plastic products.