Vision and Key Objectives:

Stores Deptt. Of CORE is headed by Principal Chief Material Manager who is assisted by officers & staff located at Headquarter Office and Projects.

Objectives, Functions, Vision and Key Objectives of Stores Department are as under:

a. To ascertain the needs of various departments in the matter of Stores and Materials.
b. To prepare a correct estimate of the quantities of stores to be purchased or manufactured in Railwayworkshops each year.
c. To obtain stores of the desired quality at competitive prices.
d. To ensure the supply of stores in the required quantity in the most most efficient, economical andexpeditious manner.
e. To maintain an economic level of investment in inventories.
f. Receipt, inspection, stocking and distribution of stores to the various consuming points as and whenrequired.
g. To Identify and arrange the disposal of scrap and other obsolete material within the shortest possible time to the best advantage of the Railway.
h. To develop ancillary industries and indigenous sources of supply to replace imports and Maintaining aconstant touch with the market to ensure steady flow of Material.

Head quarter office undertakes activities associated with Purchase of the stores on the centralized Procurement unit for Railways. In addition it also issues direction and monitors sales functions, Inventory Control and General administration.