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Abstract

Stores Purchase Department - Purchase of Steel Fabricated Hospital Furniture, Hospital Equipments and Laboratory Equipments from M/s Kerala Small Industries Development Corporation Ltd., (SIDCO) by Government Departments/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Local Bodies/ Autonomous Institutions etc., without Tender - Relaxation of Para 57(a)(ii) of Stores Purchase Manual - Period of validity - Extended - Orders Issued.

Stores Purchase (A) Department

GO(Rt)No. 56/11/SPD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 21/11/2011

- Read:- 1) G.O(Rt)No. 53/99/SPD dated, 07-12-1999  
2) G.O(Rt)No. 27/2000/SPD dated 31-03-2000  
3) G.O(Rt)No. 52/2010/SPD dated 18-11-2010  
4) Letter No. PD & M/HF- LE/2004 dated, 28-09-2011 from the Managing Director, SIDCO, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read as first paper above, orders were issued to permit all Government Departments/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Local Bodies/ Autonomous Institutions etc., to purchase their requirement of Steel Fabricated Hospital Furniture, Hospital Equipments and Laboratory Equipments [except on items covered under State Rate Contract and Director General of Supplies and Disposals Rate Contract] directly from M/s Kerala Small Industries Development Corporation Ltd., (SIDCO), without following tender formalities for a period of one year from 07-12-1999. Thereafter, Government have extended the period of validity of the said relaxation year after year. The period of validity extended by Government, vide the Government Order read as 3rd paper above will expire on 07-12-2011.

The Managing Director, SIDCO, as per the letter read as 4th paper above, has requested Government to extend the period of validity of relaxation of para 57(a)(ii) of Stores Purchase Manual for a further period of two more years from 08-12-2011, for enabling them to supply Hospital Furniture, Hospital Equipments

and Lab Equipments directly to all Government Departments/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Local Bodies/ Autonomous Institutions etc., without tender formalities.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to extend the period of validity of relaxation of para 57(a)(ii) of Stores Purchase Manual for a further period of one more year from 03-12-2011, so as to enable all Government Departments/ Public Sector Undertakings/ Local Bodies/ Autonomous Institutions etc., to purchase their requirement of Steel Fabricated Hospital Furniture, Hospital Equipments and Lab Equipments directly from SIDCO, without following tender formalities, subject to the following conditions:

- a) Prices of the Hospital Furniture, Hospital Equipments and Lab Equipments should be in accordance with the price fixed/ computed vide G.O(Rt) No.27/2000/S/PD dated 31-03-2000, that is enclosed as annexure to this Government Order.
- b) When such purchase is made, the purchasing officers should verify that the items are not covered under the State Rate Contract, if any, concluded by the Stores Officers Department of Government of Kerala or under the Rate Contract, if any, concluded by the Director General of Supplies & Disposals, New Delhi.
- c) When such supply is made, the Managing Director, SIDCO should ascertain that the items ( Steel Fabricated Hospital Furniture, Hospital Equipments and Laboratory Equipments) are manufactured locally by SIDCO or are manufactured by the SSI units of Kerala, registered with SIDCO.

By Order of the Governor,  
N. KUMAR  
Additional Secretary to Government

- 1/1. Heads of Departments/Offices/Public Sector Undertakings/  
Autonomous Bodies/Local Self Government Institutions etc.
- The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Commissioner of Rural Development (for informing  
Block Panchayats)