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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

(Salaries)

AMENDMENTS TO THE TAMIL NADU TRANSPARENCY IN TENDERS RULES

[G.O. Ms. No. 270, Finance (Salaries), 19th September 2017, Purattasi 3, Hevilambi,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2048.]

No. SRO A-41(b-1)/2017.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 (Tamil Nadu Act 43 of 1998), the Governor of Tamil Nadu makes the following amendments to the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000.

The amendments hereby made shall come into force on the 19th day of September 2017.

AMDEDMENTS

In the said Rules,-

(1) in rule 14,-

(i) for sub-rule (1), excluding the proviso thereto, the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“(1) The tender documents shall require all tenderers without exception to pay an Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) ordinarily not exceeding one percent of the value of the procurement by means of electronic mode of payment or in the form of a demand draft or bankers cheque or specified small savings instruments or where the Procuring Entity deems fit, irrevocable bank guarantee in a prescribed form. The tender documents shall clearly state that any tender submitted without the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) in the approved form be summarily rejected.”;

(ii) in sub-rule (3), for clause (b), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

“(b) The deposit being made by means of electronic mode of payment or in the form of demand draft or banker’s cheque or specified small savings instruments or where the Procuring Entity deems fit, irrevocable bank guarantee in a approved form.”.

(2). for rule 33, the following rule shall be substituted, namely.-

“33. Low Value Procurement,- For the purposes of clause (d) of Section 16 of the Act, ‘low value procurement’ means any procurement, which is less than rupees twenty five lakhs in value for construction, which is less than rupees twenty lakhs in value for vehicles and which is less than rupees ten lakhs in value for all other categories of procurement inclusive of consultancies for construction.”.

K. SHANMUGAM,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

AMENDMENTS TO THE TAMIL NADU TRANSPARENCY IN TENDERS (PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP
PROCUREMENT) RULES

[G.O. Ms. No. 271, Finance (Salaries), 19th September 2017, Purattasi 3, Hevilambi,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2048.]

No. SRO A-41(b-2)/2017.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 (Tamil Nadu Act 43 of 1998), the Governor of Tamil Nadu makes the following amendment to the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders (Public Private Partnership Procurement) Rules, 2012.

2. The amendment hereby made shall come into force on the 19th day of September 2017.

AMENDMENT

In the said Rules, in rule 14,-

(i) for sub-rule (1), the excluding the proviso thereto following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“(1) The tenderers shall be required to provide an Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) ordinarily not exceeding two percent of the estimated total project cost, which shall be made by means of electronic mode of payment or in the form of a demand draft or banker’s cheque or specified small saving instrument or where the Procuring Entity deems fit, unconditional, irrevocable bank guarantee.”;

(2) for sub-rule (7), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

“(7) The Performance Security shall be made by means of electronic mode of payment or in the form of a demand draft or banker’s cheque or specified small saving instrument or unconditional and irrevocable bank guarantee or where the Procuring Entity deems fit, in form of an escrow account or a combination of the different forms”.

K. SHANMUGAM,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government.