



FINANCE [SALARIES] DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 91, dated 23rd March 2010
(Panguni 9, Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2041)

Abstract

Rules- Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000 — Supply of Tender Documents – Provision for downloading tender document free of cost – Amendment – Issued.

Read :

1. G.O.Ms.No.177 Finance (Salaries) Department, dated 22.05.2007.
2. G.O.Ms.No.392 Finance (Salaries) Department, dated 18.08.2009.

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, orders have been issued among others for Notification of clause (b) under sub-rule(3) of rule 16 of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000, to the effect that in respect of procurement where the estimate value is Rs.10 lakhs and above, the tender document shall be made available for downloading free of cost at the website designated for this purpose by the Government. At that time, the threshold level of **low value procurement** prescribed under rule 33 of the said rules was Rs.5 lakhs.

2. In the Government Order second read above, orders have been issued among others for Notification for amendment of the provisions of rule 33 of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000, to the effect that for the purpose of clause (d) of section 16 of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act,1998, **low value of procurement** will mean any procurement which is less than Rs.25 lakhs in value for construction and which is less than Rs.10 lakhs in value for other categories of procurement inclusive of consultancies for construction. Thus, the threshold level for **low value procurement** has been revised upwards from Rs.5 lakhs to two different limits viz., Rs.10 lakhs for procurement of goods and services and Rs.25 lakhs for procurement of works.

3. Consequent on the amendment to rule 33 of the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000, issued in the Government Order second read above, the Government have now decided that the value of procurement prescribed under

rule 16(3)(b) for uploading tender documents on the designated website be revised to be identical with limits prescribed in the Government Order second read above.

4. Accordingly, the following Notification will be published in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette Extraordinary, dated the 23rd March 2010.

NOTIFICATION.

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 hereby makes the following amendment to the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000: -

AMENDMENT.

In the said Rules, in rule 16, in sub-rule (3), for clause (b), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

"(b) In respect of procurement where the estimated value of procurement is Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs and above in value for construction and Rupees Ten Lakhs and above in value for all other categories of procurement inclusive of consultancies for construction, the tender document shall be made available for downloading free of cost at the website designated for this purpose by the Government. Tender documents may also be made available free of cost at such other web sites as may be indicated by the Tender Inviting Authority."

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