

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Finance Department- Delegation of Financial Powers to Chief Engineers/ Superintending Engineers and Executive Engineers of Public Works/Irrigation /Harbour Engineering Departments and other Engineering Departments - Acceptance of tender excess and sanction of revised estimate - Modification - Orders issued.

FINANCE (IND &PW. B) DEPARTMENT.

G.O.(P) No. 2/2010/Fin.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 04/01/2010.

Read: - 1) G.O (P) No. 303/07/Fin dtd. 11/7/2007

ORDER

In partial modification of the Government Order read above, Government are pleased to modify the existing powers to sanction tender excess as specified in the table in Para 2 therein as follows;

Sl. No.	Categories	Chief Engineer.	Superintending Engineer	Executive Engineer
i	Works costing up to Rs. 25 lakh (Technical Sanction)			Up to 5%
ii	Works costing between Rs. 25 lakh and Rs. 75 lakh (Technical sanction)		Up to 5%	
iii	All works costing up to Rs. 300 lakhs (Technical Sanction)	Up to 10% .		

The tenders shall be accepted subject to the guidelines in the appendix.

2. Government are also pleased to delegate the power of sanctioning revised estimate to the officers of Public Works Department in partial modification of Para 3: in the Government Order above.

All works costing beyond Rs. 300 lakhs (TS) where tender excess is beyond the delegation in table above may be placed before a Government Tender Committee

chaired by Principal Secretary of Administrative Department who may accept works in excess of 10% tender over the PAC based on the latest Schedule of Rates in only deserving cases subject to guideline (iv) in the appendix.

By Order of the Governor,

Dr. P. Prabakaran
Additional Chief Secretary (Finance).

To

The Principal Accountant General (Audit) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Accountant General (A&E) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
All Heads of Departments and Offices
All Departments of Secretariat
All Private Secretaries to Minister
The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister
The Private Secretaries to the Leader of Opposition
All Secretaries to Government
The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission, Thiruvananthapuram
(With C.L.)
The Registrar, University of Kerala/Cochin/Kozhikode/Kottayam (with C.L.)
The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur (with C.L.)
The Registrar, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam
The Secretary, Kerala Human Rights Commission, Thiruvananthapuram
The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam (with C.L.)
The Managing Director, Kerala State Road Transport Corporation,
Thiruvananthapuram (with C.L.)
The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram (with C.L.)
The Secretary to Governor.
The Nodal Officer, WWW. Finance Kerala. gov.in.
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(Appendix to G.O(P).No. 2/2010/Fin. dtd. 4/01/2010

Guidelines for acceptance of tenders.

- i). Technical Sanction for the subject work should be issued for the full scope of the work in the Administrative Sanction. The awarded amount should not exceed 15% of the corresponding provision for the work available in Administrative Sanction.
- ii). The subject work should not be split up into components of an Administrative Sanction. Splitting up of works should be resorted to only with the prior approval of the authority who has accorded Administrative Sanction.
- iii). No Deviations are permitted from the Technically Sanctioned estimate during execution without prior approval of the competent authority.
- iv). As directed in Para 15.7.14 of KPWD Manual, when there is large variation between quoted P.AC and estimated P.A.C. Market rate justification (item wise) should be worked out considering site specific conditions as stipulated in Circular No.1/2010/Fin. dtd. 5.01.2010.

Dr. P. Prabakaran.

Additional Chief Secretary (Finance).

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