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To

All Chief General Manager's
Telecom Circles / Telecom Districts / Telecom Projects /
Maintenance Regions / Task Force / Telecom Stores, Kolkata /
NCES / Data Networks / Training Centres / Telecom Factories /
QA Circle / T & D Circle.


Sub :- Elaboration of Clause 15.3 of Section-III of Manual of Procurement of Telecom Equipment.

Clause 15.3 of Section-III of Procurement Manual is elaborated with existing one and compiled as under which will take immediate effect.

Clause 15.3 of Section-III

- (i) If at any time during the performance of the contract, the supplier encounters condition impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of service, the supplier shall promptly notify to the Purchaser in writing the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at its discretion extend the period for performance of the contract (by not more than 20 weeks) subject to furnishing of additional performance security by the supplier as per provision given below.
- (ii) The vendor has to submit their request for extension along with the required additional BG and a copy of QA inspection certificate at least two weeks before the expiry of delivery period. The decision regarding extension shall be communicated within two weeks of the receipt of request.
- (iii) In cases of piecemeal items, the amount of additional PBG should be 5% of the value of balance quantity of items to be supplied for which extension in delivery period has been sought; and
- (iv) In cases of Infrastructure/turnkey projects other than as stated above, 1% of the total project value should be the value for additional PBG.
- (v) The additional PBG shall be valid upto the period of original PBG.

The provision at para-(i) is existing in Procurement Manual and provision at para-(ii) was issued as Addendum I on dated 04.07.2003.


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