



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Stores Purchase Department - Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited (KADCO) - Supply of Steel Furniture to Government Department/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. without tender formalities - Relaxation to para 9.23 of Stores Purchase Manual - Extension of validity period² - orders issued.

STORES PURCHASE (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.19/2020/SPD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 23/10/2020

- Read 1. G.O.(Rt.) No. 45/2010/SPD, dated 25-9-2010.
2. G.O.(Rt.) No. 59/2017/SPD, dated 20-10-2017.
3. G.O.(Rt.) No. 48/2019/SPD, dated 14-11-2019.
4. Letter No. KADCO-E3/1703/2014 dated 23.09.2020 from the Managing Director, Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read 1st above, Government had issued orders to the effect that all Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. would purchase their requirement of Steel Furniture directly from M/s. Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Ltd. (KADCO) without following tender formalities for a period of one year in relaxation of para 57 (a) (ii) of (para 9.23 of revised SPM) Stores Purchase Manual. Later, Government have extended the period of validity of the aforesaid Government Order from time to time and the last extension was done as per Government Order read 3rd paper above.

2) The Managing Director, Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited (KADCO) as per the letter read 4th above has requested Government to extend the period of validity of the aforesaid relaxation for a further period of one year with effect from 20-10-2020, since the same expired on 19-10-2020.

3) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to extend the validity period of relaxation of para 9.23 of the revised Stores Purchase Manual for a further period of one more year with effect from 20-10-2020 so as to enable all Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. to purchase Steel Furniture manufactured by Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited without observing tender formalities subject to the condition that the selling price of the items should

not exceed to that fixed as per the Government Order read 2nd paper above.

4) The Purchasing Officer should ensure that the period of relaxation to para 9.23 of Revised Stores Purchase Manual is in force at the time of purchase and obtain a certificate from the Managing Director of the institution stating that this item has been manufactured by them and not bought from outside. For items not included in the price list, quotations/tenders are to be invited as per Stores Purchase Rules. Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited (KADCO) can also participate in those quotations/tenders.

(By order of the Governor)
C.JYOTHIKUMAR
JOINT SECRETARY

To:

- All Heads of Departments/Offices/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc.
- The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- The Commissioner for Rural Development (for informing Block Panchayats).
- The Deputy Directors of Panchayats (for informing all Grama Panchayats).
- The Secretaries of all District Panchayats.
- The Regional Performance Audit Officer (Kollam/Ernakulam/Kozhikode).
- The Managing Director, Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Ltd. (KADCO), 'SWAGATH', T. C. 12/755, Govt. Law College Road, Vanchiyoor P.O., Thiruvananthapuram-695 035.
- The Industries (K) Department [vide U.O. (F) No. IND-K3/121/2020-IND].
C-DIT, Chittazharn, Lavanya Building, behind SMSM Institute, Statue, Thiruvananthapuram (for hosting the Government Order in the Government website www.spd.kerala.gov.in).
- The Web and New-Media, I&PRD, Thiruvananthapuram (for hosting the Government Order in the Government website www.kerala.gov.in).
- All Departments in the Secretariat (including Law and Finance).
- The Stores Purchase (B, Inspection Wing-I & - II) Departments.
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