

No.F.4/1/2021-PPD
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
Procurement Policy Division

Room No.264C, North Block, New Delhi
Dated the 08th October, 2021.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Prior approval for Global Tender Enquiry under Rule 161(iv) of General Financial Rules (GFRs).

Rule 161 (iv) of the General Financial Rules (GFRs), 2017 mandate that no Global Tender Enquiry (GTE) shall be invited for tenders upto Rs. 200 crore or such limit as may be prescribed by Department of Expenditure (DoE) from time to time. Currently the limit is Rs. 200 crore. The rule further provides that for tender below such limit, in exceptional cases, Ministry/Department may seek prior approval for relaxation from the competent authority, specified by the DoE.

2. Department of Expenditure (DoE), vide OM No. F.20/43/2020-PPD dated 21.12.2020 (copy enclosed) had specified Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas (MoPNG) as the competent authority approving issuance of GTEs for certain items (listed in Annexure of DoE OM dated 21.12.2020) for safe operations of plant and machinery and planned capacity building in Oil and Gas Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs).

3. Now, a reference has been received in this Department from BHEL on applicability of the said instructions for procurement by entities other than under administrative control of MoPNG for such items. BHEL has stated that it also has presence in oil and gas sector and they are getting orders from PSUs like ONGC, Indian Oil etc. for supplying many items, which are listed in DoE OM dated 21.12.2020. BHEL has asked if they can take approval from Secretary, MoPNG for issuance of GTEs for such items.

4. In this regard, it is hereby clarified that in case items listed in Annexure of the DoE OM dated 21.12.2020 are to be procured by any Ministry/Department/Organization through GTEs, issuance of GTEs in such cases can be approved by the Secretaries of the Ministries/Departments/Organization concerned.

5. This issues with the approval of Finance Secretary.

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To,

All the Secretaries and Financial Advisors to Government of India.

Copy to: Secretary, Department of Public Enterprises with a request to issue the same information/instruction to Central Public Sector Undertakings (CPSUs).

No.F.20/43/2020-PPD
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512, Lok Nayak Bhawan,
New Delhi Dated the 21st December, 2020.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Proposal of Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas (MoPNG) for general relaxation to Rule 161(iv)(b) of General Financial Rules (GFRs) for procurement of various items, which are critical for operation and expansion of oil and gas sector in the country, by Oil and Gas PSUs through Global Tender Enquiry (GTE).

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (MoPNG) D.O. No. G-38011/37/2020-Fin.I(E-34977) dated 09.12.2020 wherein MoPNG has requested to grant a general relaxation for procurement of various items (listed at annexure), which are critical for operation and expansion of oil and gas sector in the country, by Oil and Gas Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) through Global Tender Enquiry (GTE).

2. The proposal has been examined in Department of Expenditure and a general relaxation has been granted for two years from the issue of this OM for procurement of items listed at annexure through GTE with the approval of Secretary, MoPNG for safe operations of plant and machinery and planned capacity building in oil and gas PSUs. A written decision shall be issued in each case with copy to Department for Promotion of Industry & Internal Trade (DPIIT) and Cabinet Secretariat, specifying the item for which exemption is given. However, MoPNG is requested to regularly engage with domestic industry to develop such items at the earliest.

3. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Expenditure).

Encl. : As above


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List of items related to Downstream and Midstream sectorGoods**1. Refinery & Petrochemical Catalysts:**

CRU / CCRU Reformer, Platforming and NHT catalyst, Hydro treating catalysts, Hydrocracking- HCU /OHCU catalysts, Claus Catalyst, Merox catalyst, ISOM - Bensat/ Penex catalyst, PRU COS Hydrolizer catalysts, Butamar / SARU catalyst, SRU catalyst, HGU PDS Catalyst (Si absorber+ 1st hydrogenerator) catalyst, Fluidized Catalytic Cracking catalyst, Hydrodewaxing catalysts, isodewaxing catalysts, Hydrofinishing catalysts, Reformer Catalyst, Support balls, Refractory Balls, Benzene hydrogenation Catalyst, Liquid oxidation Catalyst, Petrochemical catalysts, Petrochemical Co Catalysts, HDPE Catalyst, Isomerization Catalyst, Shift-Reactors Catalyst, Ziegler natta catalyst, Non-Aromatic catalyst, Poly Propylene Catalyst, PRU Arisenic Bed Catalyst, CCR Net gas chlorite treater catalyst, HGU PSA Catalysts, catalyst guard bed, Hydrogen Methanator catalyst, TGTU catalyst, PX NHT, Chloride Guard, Tatoray catalyst and Reforming catalyst, PTA Hydrogenation catalyst, Hot Oil (Therminol 66), LAB PACOL catalyst and Molex adsorbent, LC 2253 and Axsorb 541 Butene-1 catalyst, AT / CT / Tri Ethyl Aluminium (TEAL) catalyst, CAB Catalyst, CAB2 Catalyst, CD (DEAC) co-catalyst.

2. Refinery and Petrochemical Specialty Chemicals and additives:

Adsorbents (HGU PSA Adsorbent), Desiccants (Specific high purity silica gel used in SWING unit, Ethylene drying and CO2 removal bed, Propylene drying and CO2 removal bed, Zeolite-5A, PRU drier molecular sieve, PPU drier molecular sieve, Molecular sieve Type IA), Selective Control Agent (DONOR-C - Cyclo-Hexyl Methyl Methoxysilane, Donor - D - Di-Cyclo-Pentyl-Di-Methoxy-Silane), Cyasorb 531/UV-12-Hydroxy-4-n-octoxybenzophenone, Optical brightener, Molecular sieves, Stereo Regulating Agents, Slip additives Cracking Agents, Deactivating agents, catalyst protecting agent, Solvents and Nucleating agents, ATF Merox filter clay, Peroxide-101, Ethyl mercaptan, Additives (Bottom Cracking Additive, CO Promoter, ZSM-5, Anti-Static Additive, Paraffinic Grease), Antioxidants (AO 1330, AO 1010, AO 1076, A08, Irganox 1010, Irgafos 168, AO9, AO 1076, AO 168, A006), AK stabilizer / A08 / Stabilization additive (Irganox 1010FF, Songnox 1010FF, Alkanox 20 Gr), AK stabilizer / A09 / Stabilization additive (Irgafos 168FF, Songnox 1680FF, Alkanox 240 Gr), AF stabilizer / A06 / Stabilization additive (Irganox 1076 FD, Songnox 1076 SB, Anox PP 18, Gr), Stabilization Additives Irganox B225FF, B215FF / Songnox 11B FF, 21 B FF, Antiblock, Tale (ABT-2501) / Optiblock 8 / Optiblock 10, Chimasorb 944 / UV 944, UV stabilizer 622, PD / 2,4 Pentandione, Luperox 101 / peroxide, GMS- 90 (Glycerol Mono-stearate), Polymer processing additive (PPA), PG / Pelargonic acid / C8-C10 fatty acid, Slip Agent (Erucamide, Armoslip EL, Crodamide ER, Finawax ER), DHT 4A / Hycite, DSTDP, Phosphite 168, Alkylamine, Silane, Pep Q), Di-methyl Di-Sulphide (DMDS), Neutralizing Amine, ISOM Make up gas drier adsorbents, ISOM-sulphur guard, Antistatic Additive for ATF (for conductivity improvement), Preblend stabilizer, PPU-Talc, RSH and COS guard bed for propylene, Licowax PED 191 HDPE additive, NA 21 & HPN20E and NX 8000 Poly Propylene additives,

Nucleating Agent (HPNA), Grease (Vaseline) and Mineral Oil (White Oil V-70), PD (2,4 Pentanedione) Deactivator, Mono-2-ethyl hexyl amine, Heat Transfer Fluid (DTA), Hexene-1, Extruder Hot Oil, DE-AC (13% diluted in Hydrobrite 380 White Mineral Oil), AJ stabilizer / A03, TnHAL (50%, diluted in Hydrobrite 380 White Mineral Oil), PG (Pelargonic acid) deactivator, UV Stabilizer (Inuvin 622 FF/Tinuvin 326FL/Cyanox 2888, Cyasorb THT 4801-Pastilles).

3. Imported Lubes & Grease

Hydraulic Fluid Special Chemolube, Mechanical Seal Oil, Lubricating Oil Cp-4601-46, Make: Cpi Eng, Compressor Lube Oil Kobe 202-K3, Nuto H32 Hydraulic Oil, Hot Oil (Therminol 66), Grease Special P/N:10550-027, Nycolube 7040, Castrol Hyspin Aws10, H.F.S Chemo Lube 5s, Nuto H32, HLP32, Kluber Summit Lube Oil PGI 150, Kluber Summit Lube Oil PGI 46, Shell Corena P150, Mobil Spartan EP-320, Mobil SHC 634, CP-1507-68, Duraclear DS 4609-7-F, Protomec 320, Ethylene Glycol, Gas Compressor Oil (CP-1516-100, CP-1508-22), Mobil NV 28, 3913-GI (M/s Syn USA), Anderol 786 (M/s Tenneco Chemicals Inc, USA), Aerzen Lube-06, Marlotherm SH, Marlotherm SH, BAFCO Hydraulic Oil, BAFCO SPEC: 946, CPI 4600-10 / CPI 4600-68, KLUBER Summit 30, HITEC - 5708, HITEC 566, IRGALUBE 349, IRGALUBE 353, IRGALUBE ML 3010 A, IRGAMET 39, LZ - 5172, LZ - 859, LZ - 889 D, LZ 5941, MAK OILAD (122B10, 124D05, 125E13, 125E20, 125E24, 125E25, 133C14, 142B14, 142B16, 143C29, 145E26, 153C08, 153C09, 154D00, 154D01, 173C08, 174D00, 174D01, 212B01, 212B05, 213C11, 214D01, 215E03, 218H01, 225E01, 227G03, 245E01, 263C02, 264D01, 265E01, 265E06, 267G01, 312B04, 312B05, 315E01, 315E02, 315E03, 315E04, 315E06, 315E08, 315E10, 315E11, 315E12, 319I03, 322B02, 322B03, 322B04, 322B05, 322B06, 322B08, 325E03, 325E04, 332B01, 332B02, 332B04, 332B08, 332B09, 332B10, 332B11, 333C02, 334D01, 334D02, 335E02, 335E03, 335E06, 335E09, 411A01, 418H03, 421A01, 421A02, 426F01, 428H01, 428H03, 428H04, 448H11, 449I12, 451A00, 472B02, 479H01, 535E01, 536F00, 545E01, 546F00, 559I02, 559I04, 572B01, 591A01, 592B01, 592B02, 595E01, 596F01, 712B03, 731A01, 746F01, 799I08, 799I15, 799I16), RC 4801, VISCOPLEX 8-100, VISCOPLEX 8-450.

4. Base Oils

Phosphate ester (Durad 110), Alkyl aryl phosphate ester (Durad 220), Alkyl aryl phosphate ester (Roscan 623), TXP (trixylenyl phosphate), Polyalphaolefin 4 cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 4), Polyalphaolefin 2 cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 2), Polyalphaolefin 6 cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 6), Polyalphaolefin 8 cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 8), Polyalphaolefin 10 cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 10), Polyalphaolefin 40 cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 40), Polyalphaolefin 100cst synthetic base fluid (PAO 100), Aromatic base fluid (Hydrogenated Terphenyls), Polyglycol synthetic base fluid (Tecnosynt DC 46, DC 100), Synthetic ester base fluid (Hatcol 2901), Polyol Ester Synthetic base fluid (Polyol Ester Synthetic base fluid), Complex ester, BIPHENYL (BP).

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5. **Fuel Additives**

Vanlube 829, 1,2,3,4 Tetra Hydro Naphthalene, Organo Clay Gellant, Tac Oil C, Foamban 155, PC 2544, Yubase, Speciality Grease - Mixture of higher paraffin hydrocarbon, ST65692 (Biphenyl), Hydrogenated Terphenyl (ST58606), Additive for Gasoline Fuel (Speed Additive).

6. **Marine Additives:**

MAR 489 S- USD 22998, MAR 501 S-- USD 14034, MAR 730P - USD 22543, MAR 363 P- USD 12189, DISOPAC - USD 14598, A 127070- USD 18488, MAR 918 U- USD 12682.

7. **Technical Grade Urea (this is an imported raw material, required for production of Diesel Exhaust Fluid)**

8. **Specialty Laboratory and R&D Equipment**

Reference fuels for Quality Control equipment (T fuel, U fuel, Iso Octane, n heptane etc), High Performance Liquid Chromatograph (HPLC), Heated Centrifuge Machine for testing of Crude, Auto- Penetrometer, Auto Softening Point Apparatus, UV-Vis Spectrophotometer, Auto Oxidation Stability Apparatus for MS & HSD, Auto Salt in crude analyser, Gas Chromatograph (testing of Refinery Gas and Propylene samples, Benzene Purity, Methyl tert-butyl ether (MTBE) analysis, DHA, SCD etc), Biological oxygen demand (BOD) analyser & Chemical oxygen demand COD) analyser, Inductively Coupled Plasma Apparatus for Metal Analysis, Karl Fisher Coulometer, Portable fuel Analyzer (IROX), Microwave ashing furnace, Micro Carbon Residue Tester, Portable Auto Dew Point Analyser, Color View spectrophotometer, Stabinger Viscometer (Automatic), Auto Vacuum distillation, Automated Freezing Point Analyzer, Benzene analyser, Particle Counter Analyzer for Aviation turbine fuel (ATF), Conductivity Meter for ATF, Total Chlorine, Nitrogen and Sulphur Analyser, Fully automated Ball-On-Cylinder Lubricity Evaluator (BOCLE), Metrological Tube Rater, Trace Nitrogen Sulphur analyser, Jet Fuel Thermal Oxidation Tester (JFTOT), Ion Chromatograph, Metrological Tube Rater (JFTOT) - ITR/ ETR, Automated High Frequency Reciprocating Rig Lubricity Evaluator (HFRR) lubricity apparatus, Autotitrators for potentiometric and Coulometric analysis, Energy Dispersive X-Ray Fluorescence (EDXRF) Analyzer, Gas Chromatograph for analysis for Quality Control, Auto Smoke point Apparatus to test Smoke Point of ATF (Aviation Turbine fuel), ATF Conductivity Meter, Auto colorimeter, Auto freezing point, Auto Pour & Cloud Point Apparatus, Gas chromatograph, Total Sulphur Analyser, Auto density Meter, CFR Engine), RTFOT, Portable Particle Counter, Wavelength Dispersive XRF, Shear stability tester, TEOST (Thermo OxiEng oil simulation test), Drop Shape Analyser, TurbiscanLAB Expert, TAN/TBN apparatus for quality control, Karl Fisher Coulometer for water and moisture content, Refractometer for testing of DEF/ Adblue, Tensiometer, ED XRF Analyzer (R&D Equipment), Micrometer Range Electrode Coating Machine for Battery Current Collectors, Micron Range Battery Electrode Roll Pressing machine, Programmable Multi-electrolyte (Flammable) Filling Machine for Rechargeable Batteries, Rechargeable Battery Anode-Cathode body Crimping & Grooving, Programmable Slitting machine for Micrometer Thickness