

MINUTES OF 3RD MEETING OF SCREENING COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 2017-18 , HELD ON 12.10.2017 UNDER THE CHAIRPERSONSHIP OF HON'BLE I&PH MINISTER FOR PROCUREMENT OF GI /DI & HDPE PIPES.

The following were present:

Ms. Anuradha Thakur, Member
Principal Secretary (IPH) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

Sh. U.S. Negi, Member
Additional LR-cum- Addl. Secretary (Law)
Rep. of LR-cum-Principal Secretary (Law) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

Sh. A.S. Tomar, Member
General Manager (Admin)
Rep. of Managing Director,
HP State Civil Supplies Corporation Shimla-9.

Sh. Anil K. Bahri, Member Secretary.
Engineer-in-Chief,
Irrigation & Public Health Deptt. H.P.

At the outset the Member Secretary welcomed the Hon'ble IPH Minister & other members for the meeting.

Thereafter, discussion on agenda items followed as under:

ITEM No. I Procurement of G.I. Pipes :

The Member Secretary explained in the meeting that as per decision taken in the 2nd meeting of Screening Committee fresh online tender for procurement of G.I. Pipes for Phase-II of Priority-I & Priority-II were called due to implication of GST and same were opened on 08.09.2017.

The committee considered and approved the online tender case of G.I. Pipes, opened on 08.09.2017. The committee further decided that out of the total requirement i.e. 12155 MT of phase-II of priority-I & priority-II for the year 2017-18, G.I. Pipes of 4631 MT of phase-II of priority-I could be procured keeping in view the availability of funds from L-1 and L-2 firms on the matching rail head rates of L-1 firm on the basis of dia-wise rates negotiated & finalized with the firms against above tender, It was also clarified that these rates are valid up to 31.10.2018.

ITEM No. II Ex-post facto approval for procurement of D I. Pipes & HDPE Pipes.

The committee granted the ex-post facto sanction for 8850 Rmt. of D.I. Pipes & 54985 Rmt. of HDPE Pipes, supply orders for which were placed earlier due to urgency of works.

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ITEM No. III

Request for clarification regarding applicability of prices against supply order dated 27.01.2017 for procurement of GI Pipes, supplied beyond the delivery period;

The committee observed that the above matter is required to be examined in detail hence the committee deferred the same and directed the department to place the matter in the next meeting of screening committee.

ITEM NO.IV

Extension Case:

Member Secretary clarified that the approval of extension in favour of firm M/s Vishal Pipes Ltd. was granted by the competent authority on single file subject to the condition that the decision be got ratified in the screening committee.

The committee ratified the decision regarding extension granted in favour of M/s Vishal Pipes Limited against supply order dated 23.06.2016 for delay of 93 days beyond delivery period without any price escalation .

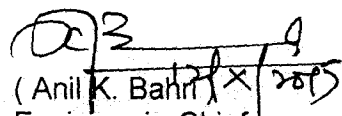
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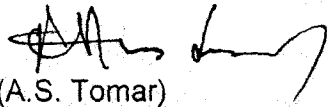
Levy of Liquidated damages for delayed supplies.

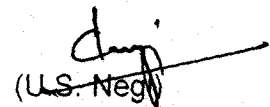
In this case also the Member Secretary explained that M/s Tirupati Containers Pvt. Ltd. and M/s Bhushan Power & Steel Ltd., also applied for the extension beyond delivery period against various supply orders . Since the delay is on the part of the firms hence the action as per terms and conditions of tenders & supply orders was recommended.

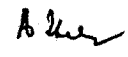
After detailed discussion the committee members observed that the onus for delay in supplies rests with the firms & decided that action as per terms and conditions of tender & Supply orders may be taken against the firms.

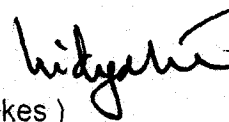
The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to and from the chair.


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