



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Stores Purchase Department - Artisans Development Co-operative Limited 4429(ARTCO) - Supply of Steel Furniture, certain other items of Wooden Furniture, Hospital Furniture, Utility Furniture, Smart Class Room Furniture to Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. without tender formalities - Period of validity extended - orders issued.

STORES PURCHASE (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.19/2019/SPD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 13/05/2019

- Read 1 GO(Rt)No. 04/2011/SPD dated 17.01.2011.
2 GO(Rt)No. 06/2013/SPD dated 08.01.2013.
3 GO(Rt)No. 04/2018/SPD dated 02.02.2018.
4 Letters No. RCS/8801/2018-MT(4), dated 30.11.2018, 19.02.2019 from the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

Government have permitted M/s Artisans Development Co-operative Ltd. 4429, Kerala (ARTCO Ltd.) to supply steel Furniture, certain other items of Wooden Furniture and Hospital Furniture to Government Departments, Public Sector Undertakings, Local Self Government Institutions, Autonomous Bodies etc. without tender formalities for a period of one year from 17.01.2011 and 08.01.2013 respectively, after relaxing para 57(a) (ii) of Stores Purchase manual (para 9.23 of Revised Stores Purchase Manual) as per Government Orders read as 1st and 2nd above. Thereafter, Government have extended the validity of the said relaxation from time to time. The latest extension and price revision was done as per Government Order cited 3rd above.

2) The Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Thiruvananthapuram vide his letter read as 4th above has requested Government to extend the period of validity for a further period of two years with effect from 02.02.2019 since the same was expired on 01.02.2019.

3) Government have examined the matter in detail and are

pleased to extend the period of validity of relaxation of para 9.23 of Revised Stores Purchase Manual for a further period of one more year with effect from 02.02.2019 so as to enable M/s Artisans Development Co-operative Ltd. 4429, Kerala (ARTCO Ltd.) to supply Steel furniture, certain other items of wooden furniture and Hospital furniture directly to all Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. without observing tender formalities, subject to the condition that the selling price of each item does not exceed to that fixed as per the Government order read as 3rd above.

4) Manufacturing for the above purpose does not include mere repackaging or rebranding or merely assemble of items but shall involve at least 25% value addition. All Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions /Autonomous Bodies etc. can purchase their requirements directly from ARTCO Ltd. manufactured by them without following tender formalities, at the rates not exceeding the selling price shown against each item in the Annexure of Government order for a further period of one year with effect from 02.02.2019. The Purchasing Officer should also ensure that the period of validity of relaxation to para 9.23 of Stores Purchase Manual is in force at the time of purchase of the items from M/s Artisans Development Co-operative Ltd. 4429 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.

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

To:

The Secretary, Kerala Legislature Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram

(with C. L.).

All Heads of Departments/Offices/Public Sector Undertakings/

Autonomous Bodies/Local Self Government Institutions 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, M/s Artisans Development Corporative Limited 4429 (ARTCO), H.O. Kochuveetil Towers, TC 25/595-5, Model School Jn., Thampanoor, Thiruvananthapuram-1.

The Co-operation (PS) Department [Vide U. O. (F) No. Co-Op-PS1/665/2018-Co-Op)

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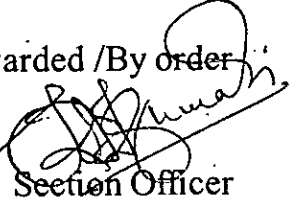
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All Departments in the Secretariat (including Law and Finance).

The Stores Purchase (A1, A2, A4. B, inspection Wing-I & II) Department.
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Section Officer