



# GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract |

Stores Purchase Department - Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited (KADCO) - Supply of Wooden Furniture (Teak, Wood, Anjili Wood, Hard Wood) to Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. - without tender formalities - Relaxation to para 9.23 of Stores Purchase Manual - Period of validity extended - orders issued.

## STORES PURCHASE (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.20/2020/SPD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 23/10/2020

Read 1 G.O.(Rt)No. 45/2010/SPD dated 25.9.2010.

- 2 G.O.(Rt)No. 60/2017/SPD dated 20.10.2017.
- 3 G.O.(Rt)No. 47/2019/SPD dated 07.11.2019.
- 4 Letter No. KADCO-E3/1908/2014 dated 23.09.2019 from the Managing Director, Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited.

### **ORDER**

As per the Government Order read as 1<sup>st</sup> above, Government had permitted all Government Departments, Public Sector Undertakings, Local Self Government Institutions, Autonomous Bodies etc. to purchase their requirement of Wooden 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. Thereafter, Government had extended the period of validity of the aforesaid relaxation from time to time and the last validity extension was done as per Government Order read as 3<sup>rd</sup> above.

2. The Managing Director, M/s.Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited vide letter read 4<sup>th</sup> above has requested to extend the period of validity of the aforesaid relaxation for a period of one more 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 period of validity of relaxation 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 Wooden Furniture (Teak Wood, Anjili Wood, Hard Wood) items manufactured by Kerala Artisans Development Corporation Limited without observing tender formalities in relaxation to para 9.23 of the revised Stores Purchase Manual subject to the condition that the selling price of items should not exceed to that fixed as per the Government Order read as 2<sup>nd</sup> paper above.

4. The Purchasing Officer should ensure that the validity 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:

The Secretary, Kerala Legislature Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram. (with C/L.).

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, VanchiyoorP.O., Thiruvananthapuram-695 035.

The Industries (K) Department [Vide U.O.(F)No.IND-K3/121/2020-IND].

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. 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. Stock File/Office Copy.

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Section Officer