



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Stores Purchase Department - M/s Kerala State Rubber Co-operative Ltd. (RUBCO) - Supply of processed Rubberwood furniture/Rubberised coir Mattresses to Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. without tender formalities - relaxation of para 9.23 of revised Stores Purchase Manual - validity period extended - orders issued.

STORES PURCHASE (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.72/2022/SPD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 31-10-2022

- Read 1. G.O. (Rt) No. 67/2006/SPD dated 07.12.2006.
 - 2. G.O. (Rt) No. 45/2019/SPD dated 28.10.2019.
 - 3. G.O. (Rt) No. 28/2021/SPD dated 26.10.2021.
 - Letter No.RHW/MD/SPD/2022-23 dated 19.09.2022 from the
 - 4. Managing Director, M/s Kerala State Rubber Co-operative Ltd. (RUBCO).

ORDER

As per Government Order read 1 st above, Government had permitted all Government Departments/Public Sector Undertakings/Local Self Government Institutions/Autonomous Bodies etc. to purchase processed Rubberwood furniture and Rubberised coir mattresses directly from M/s.Kerala State Rubber Co-operative Ltd. (RUBCO) in relaxation of para 57(a) (ii) [para 9.23 of revised SPM] of Stores Purchase Manual by fixing the rate of each item for a period of 3 years w.e.f. 07.12.2006. Thereafter, Government had extended the period of validity of the aforesaid relaxation from time to time duly revising the rate and the last extension was granted from 28.10.2021 to 27.10.2022 as per Government Order read 3rd above.

- 2. Now, the Managing Director, M/s. Kerala State Rubber Co-operative Ltd. (RUBCO) vide letter read 4th above has requested to extend the period of validity of the aforesaid relaxation for a period of one more year w.e.f. 28/10/2022.
- 3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to extend the validity period of relaxation to para 9.23 of the revised Stores Purchase Manual for the items manufactured by RUBCO for a further period of one more year with effect from 28.10.2022 so as to enable M/s.Kerala State Rubber Cooperative Ltd. (RUBCO) to supply processed rubber wood furniture and rubberised coir mattresses 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 items does not exceed to that fixed by Government Order read 2nd above.

4. The Purchasing Officer should also ensure that the validity period of relaxation to para 9.23 of Stores Purchase Manual is in force, at the time of purchase of the items from M/s.RUBCO and obtain a certificate from the Managing Director, RUBCO stating that this item has been manufactured by them and not bought from outside. For items not included in the price list, the other procurement modes as per Stores Purchase Rules shall be resorted to.

(By order of the Governor) GEETHA LEKSHMI M B ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

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 Kerala State Rubber Co-operative Ltd.

(RUBCO), RUBCO House, South Bazar, Kannur-670 002.

The Co-operation (D) Department

[Vide U.O. (F) No. CopnD1/203/2022-Co-Op.]

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