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PCME/ SR

Sub: "System Improvement - Revision of Stock Item Descriptions to Eliminate Ambiguities." - Reg.

A check has been conducted based in CSD/PER, on the aspect of any irregularity in Inspection of materials by TPI agencies.

Polychloroprene Rubber pad for 25 KW Brushless Alternator (PL No: 45901065) has been indented with description including the names of the acceptable make as per RDSO approved list in abbreviated form as below.

"Polychloroprene Rubber pad for 25 kW Brushless Alternator of size 210 x 240 mm, 18 mm thick, black color, shore Hardness shall be 70 plus or minus 5, conforming to RDSO Drawing No. SKEL 4021 Alt.2 Shelf Life: 1 Year. Makes acceptable: BASANT, AK , MRI, FAIVELY, DEW, MGM, ELORA, RAY ELASTOMER ,SRI, PI ENGINEERING, CGC, AMEENJI only." [Warranty Period: 30 Months after the date of delivery]"

Offers have been received from Swan Rubber Industries and Supreme Rubber Industries, both mentioning SRI as their make but only SWAN Rubber industries is a RDSO approved supplier. Since SRI has been included in the description of the material, developmental order has been placed to Supreme Rubber Industries by the purchasing official.



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These materials supplied by Supreme Rubber Industries got failed for Hardness Test conducted in NABL Lab by Vigilance to ensure Quality.

Abbreviations in the description of materials caused confusions and lead to accepting ineligible offers resulted in receipt of materials of poor quality.

Hence in this regard it has been advised to revise all the descriptions of the stock items to avoid abbreviated forms of supplier/MAKE/BRAND.

Further the present description followed by SR for Polychloroprene Rubber pad of 25 KW brushless alternators as mentioned below,

"Polychloroprene Rubber pad for 25 kW Brushless Alternator of size 210 x 240 mm, 18 mm thick, black colour , shore Hardness shall be 70 %B1 5, conforming to RDSO Drg. No. SKEL 4021 Alt.2. Shelf Life: 1 Year. Accepted Makes: Basant Rubber factory Ltd /A.K industries /Manish Rubber industries /Faively/De Engineering/M.G.MRubber company/Elora Rubber & plastics /Ray Elastomer/Swan Rubber industries/PI Engineering works/CentralGasket Co./Ameenji rubber pvt. Ltd only of Polychloroprene Rubber pad for 25 kW Brushless Alternator material"

To be revised as per the description followed in ER as follows,

"Rubber pad for Axle Pulley of 25 KW brushless alternator as per RDSO's DRG No SKEL,Alt-2"



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duly including the following condition in the eligibility condition in the Tender,

“The item is to be procured from the RDSO approved make as mentioned in BOM of 25 KW alternator specifications No. RDSO/PE/SPEC/AC/0056-2014 (Rev-1).”

This issues with the approval of SDGM & CVO/S.Rly.

Compliance in this regard may be sent to this office at the earliest.


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