

दक्षिण रेलवे / SOUTHERN RAILWAY

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Headquarters Office
भंडार शाखा /Stores Branch,
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चेन्न/Chennai- 600 023,
दिनांक /Dated: 17/08/2023

S.No.077/2023

Sub: Suggestion of system improvement-Procurement -reg.

Ref: 1) SDGM /CVO's confidential letter No. VO/C/S/2022/12/01685
dt 03.04.2023.

Dy CVO's, letter referred above, stated for system improvement for Procurement is as under:-

- 1) While floating any tender with the eligibility criteria based on the credentials of the bidder for the supply of same/similar items, the word "similar" is to be defined explicitly in the tender i.e the items which may be regarded as "similar" to the tendered item shall be explicitly specified in the tender. Any offer which does not meet the aforesaid condition (i.e, supply of same/similar item to the tendered item) shall invariably be rejected.
- 2) TAA (or officers higher than the rank of TAA), in consultation with the user department, shall be the authority competent to define the word "similar". If it is not feasible /possible to define the term "similar", the tender shall be floated with the eligibility criteria based on the credentials of the bidder for supply of the tendered item only i.e the word "similar" shall not be incorporated in the eligibility criteria of the tender in such cases.

This has the approval of PCMM

Dy.CMM/G
for Principal Chief Material Manager

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