Sub: Delegation of Powers in respect of Stores and Works Tenders

Consequent upon the delegation of powers to GMs in respect of ongoing and future tender cases, it has been decided that following would be the procedure for finalization of tenders for supply items (as mentioned in Para 701 and 702 of Stores Code) and Works tenders which are invited in Board's Office:-

i) For the tenders being accepted at the level of EDs and below, the existing practice shall continue;

ii) For tenders valuing upto Rs. 500 Crores, Tender Committee may consist of concerned EDs and may be accepted at the level of concerned AMs who will be the Tender Accepting Authority (TAA).

iii) For tenders valuing more than Rs 500 Crores, Tender Committee may be at Additional Member level and Tender Accepting Authority will be the concerned Board Member.

iv) For the above tenders, existing procedure will be followed except that there will be no Appreciation Committee between Tender Committee and Accepting Authority.

2. For the tenders already in process in Railway Board including tenders invited in Board or referred by Railways/Production Units to Board, these may be accepted by Board Member or Additional Member as per provisions of Para (ii) & (iii) above duly considering the observations recorded on concerned tender file. This would include addressing the observations/queries by Hon’ble MR and MOS(R) in tender.

3. The above issues with the approval of the President.

(This is in supercession of Office Order No. 8,9,14 & 15 of 2014)

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( P.C.Gajbhiye)
Secretary/Railway Board.

All Officers and Branches in Board’s Office.