भारत सरकार BHARAT SARKAR रेल मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS रेलवे बोई RAILWAY BOARD

No. 2003/RS(G)/11/3 Part 3

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Sub: Approval of vendors - categorization

Ref: Board's letter of even No. dated 10.12.2012

Copy of above referred letter is enclosed herewith. Instructions on the subject contained in the letter may be noted.

DA: As above

Santeshuittel (Santosh Mittal) Dy. Director Railway Stores (G)I Railway Board

New Delhi, dated: 6.02.2013

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- 2. PCEs, All Indian Railways & PUs, WPO/Patna, RCF/RBL, COFMOW, DMW
- 3. CMEs, CEEs, CSTEs, All Indian Railways & Production Units
- 4. The ADAI(Railways), New Delhi (with 10 spares copies)
- 5. The Director of Audit, All Indian Railways
- The COSs, All Indian Railways & PUs including NF(C)
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- 8. The COS, COFMOW, New Delhi
- 9. The COS, CORE, Allahabad
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- 11. COS, Workshops Project Organisation, Patna
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 - a. Indian Railway Institute of Sig. Engg. & Telecom, Secunderabad
 - b. Indian Railway Institute of Mech. & Elec. Engg., Jamalpur
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 - d. Sr. Prof. (Material Management), Railway Staff College, Vadodara
 - e. Indian Railway Institute of Civil Engg., Pune
 - f. Indian Railway Institute of Logistics & Materials Management, IDA House, Sector IV, R.K.Puram, New Delhi

- 13. Chairman, Railway Rates Tribunal, Chennai.
- 14. Director, Iron & Steel, 3, Koila Ghat Street, Kolkata
- 15. Executive Director (Stores), RDSO, Manak Nagar, Lucknow
- 16. Chief Commissioner, Railway Safety, Lucknow
- 17. Zonal Railway Training Institute, Sukuadia Circle, Udaipur-313004

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Copy to:

- 1. The General Secretary, AIRF, 4 State Entry Road, New Delhi.
- 2. The General Secretary, NFIR, 3 Chelmsford Road, New Delhi.
- 3. The Secretary General, IRPOF, Room No. 268, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi
- 4. The Secretary General, FROA, Room No. 256-D, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 5. The Secretary General, AIRPFA, Room No. 256-D, Rail Bhavan, New Delhi

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Copy to:- Sr. PPSs / PPS / PS to:

- (i) MR, MOS(R)(A), MOS(R)(K)
- (ii) CRB, FC, ME, ML, MM, MS, MT, SECY., DG (RHS), DG (RPF)
- (iii) All AMs and Advisors of Railway Board
- (iv) All Executive Directors of Railway Board
- (v) All Directors of Elect., Engg., Finance, Mech., Stores, Signal & Telecom Dte. &
- (vi) All Branches of Elect., Engg., Finance, Mechanical, Stores, Signal & Telecom Dte.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (RAILWAY BOARD)

No. 2003/RS(G)/11/3/Part3

New Delhi, dated 12-2012

Director General, RDSO, Lucknow

Subject: Approval of vendors - categorization

Ref: 1. Railway Board's letter No. 99/RS(G)/779/14 Part dated 03.08.2010.

2. Rly. Board's letter No.99/RS(G)/709/1 Part dated 06.09.1999

- 1. Some directorates in RDSO are following the practice of calling Part-II sources as "developmental/educational". This practice is not in consonance with extant procurement policy laid down by Railway Board. Part-II vendors are not "developmental/educational" vendors and thus they should not to classified as "developmental/educational".
- Moreover, some directorates in RDSO follow the practice of registering firm for "one time developmental order". The condition of 'one time developmental order' is also not covered by procurement policy laid down by Railway Board. Placement of an order comes within the domain of procurement decision. RDSO should not give procurement oriented decision to field units. Any issue which impinges on procurement aspect should be referred by RDSO to Stores Dte. (Railway Board) where appropriate instructions, if necessary, will be issued.

This is issued with the concurrence of Finance Directorate.

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Dy. Director Railway Stores (G)-I

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Purchase/vendor approval/categorization of vendors