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All Heads of Department, PSPCL, Patiala.

Memo No. 4.78 511. PR Dated 08-03-2019.

Subject: Regarding amendments in PSPCL Purchase Regulation, 2017- Amendment No. 2.

In reference to the BoDs decision taken in its 74th meeting held on 02.03.2019 conveyed by Company Secretary vide its UO No. 956 dtd. 07.03.2019, the following additions/amendments have been approved to be incorporated in Purchase Regulation, 2017. The old as well as amended clauses are reproduced as under:

Clause No.	Existing Clause	Approved Clause
17-A of	"The supplier/contractor shall be	"The supplier/contractor shall be
Schedule-E	responsible to replace free of cost with	responsible to replace free of cost with
"Warranty of	no transportation and insurance	no transportation and insurance
Meters"	expenses to the purchaser upto the	expenses to the purchaser upto the
	destination of material/equipment, the	destination of material/equipment, the
The Residence County	whole or any part of the material; which	whole or any part of the material; which
	under normal and proper use and	under normal and proper use and
	maintenance, proves defective in	maintenance, proves defective in
	material or workmanship within the	material or workmanship within the
	warranty period provided the purchaser	warranty period provided the purchaser
	gives prompt written notice of such	gives prompt written notice of such
	defects to the Supplier/ Contractor.	defects to the Supplier/ Contractor.
	Such replacement shall be affected by	Such replacement shall be affected by
	the Supplier/Contractor, within a	the Supplier/Contractor, within a
	reasonable 'time not exceeding 2	reasonable time not exceeding 2 months
	months of the intimation of defects.	of the intimation of defects.
	Supplier's/Contractor's responsibility	Supplier's/Contractor's responsibility
	arising out of supply of material or its	arising out of supply of material or its use
Description of 1000	use whether on warranties or otherwise	whether on warranties or otherwise shall
	shall not in any case exceed the cost of	not in any case exceed the cost of
	correcting the defects or replacing the	correcting the defects or replacing the
	defective part/material and upon the	defective part/material and upon the
	expiry of the warranty period stipulated	expiry of the warranty period stipulated
	above, all such liabilities shall terminate.	above, all such liabilities shall terminate.
	The warranty period for meters	The warranty period for meters will

will be restricted to 5 years from their date of receipt in PSPCL ME Labs. However, this clause will not be valid if the meter gets defective in its very first year (whether once or repeatedly). In such cases, a fresh warranty of 5 years shall be applicable from the date of receipt of repaired/replaced meters in PSPCL ME Labs.

In case the replacement/repair of defective material is not carried out within two months of intimation of defects, the supplier/contractor shall have to pay interest @ 12% per annum on the value of each complete operational unit of equipment beginning from the date of becoming defective upto date of its re-commissioning after the replacement/repair."

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Amount due in lieu of above interest shall be recoverable from pending amount of the concerned purchase order or any other Purchase order/Work Order/Contract of the firm with PSPCL. If no payment of the firm is pending with PSPCL against any other Purchase order/Work Order/Contract then the same shall be deducted from any Security/EMD or PEMD lying with PSPCL. In case, the total amount of EMD, PMED, Security of all Purchase order/Work Order/Contract is less than the recoverable amount, action shall be taken by PSPCL as admissible under the law e.g. filing of recovery suit & lodging of FIR etc. Action as per Negligence Default Clause of the purchase order shall also be initiated. Moreover the performance of the firm regarding repair of meters within warranty shall be given due importance while placing future order on such firm.

Clause-11 (Schedule-E) Negligence & Default

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may give a 21 days-notice in writing to the Supplier/Contractor to make good the failure/neglect/contravention. In the event the Supplier/Contractor fails to comply with the notice within a timeframe considered to be reasonable by the purchaser, the business dealings shall be suspended/terminated with the firm by the purchaser for a minimum period of three years or in extreme cases, the firm shall be blacklisted forever by the purchaser.

Apart from the suspension/termination of business dealings/blacklisting of the supplier/contractor, the purchaser shall also forfeit the security & other pending payments of the Purchase Order/ Contract against which the supplier has defaulted, in addition to PEMD/ EMD lying with the concerned organization.

Note: (not to be incorporated in specifications/ Purchase Order)

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It is requested that **immediate** action may be taken to incorporate the amended clauses as above in the tenders floated by your office please.

Chief Engineer/ MM, PSPCL, Patiala.