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Memo No. Dir/TP/CE/TR/SE/EE/AEE/FCommittee/D.No.39/ 26 dt. 17.08.2026

Sub.: TANTRANSCO – Formulation of Three committees to Estimate
- the cost of materials / works prior to floating tenders-
Clarification and instructions – Issued – Regarding

Ref.:- 1.Note order dt.15.08.2026 approved by the Chairman
/TANTRANSCO.

2.MD/TANTRANSCO/CE/TR/SE/TRI/EEW/AEE1/F.committee/C01
8888/26 dt 01.06.2026

Instructions from the MD / TANTRANSCO were sent to the committee members about formulation, nominations and activity of the committee with a copy to the CEs / SE / GCC/Operation (Controlling officials of the members) , CE/TP & SOs and CE/Civil/Transmission to create three committee to finalise the estimated cost of the materials / works before floating tenders vide ref (2)

Of late, Clarification from the field is being sought for the applicability of the 3 tier Committee report on low value Procurements of materials & services and works contracts. Hence following clarifications are issued for strict adherence :

- In GCC works contracts and other labour contracts (house keeping contracts, Security service contracts, Stores loading and unloading and other service oriented contracts) which don't involve manufacturers shall be exempted from the above Committee reports.
- For works involving supply and erection, Committees reports are essential for the supply portion of the Contract/works.

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- Sale of Scraps does not require above three tier Committees report since no OEM manufacturer for scraps. Also scrap tenders are processed by obtaining reports from the already existing survey Committee and disposal Committees in vogue.
- At present, as per (PER) FB TNPDC Proceedings No.14 dt 20.11.25 " The tender powers of low value procurement can be exercised by the authorities concerned up to the limits prescribed in Rule 33 of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Rules 2000. Presently for procurement of materials and services, the limit is " not exceeding Rs.25 lakhs " , for works contract, " not exceeding Rs.50 Lakhs" .

The necessity of the Committee's report **for the above low value procurement may not be insisted** to avoid delay in respect of procurement of materials and works mentioned thereon. However the rates may be justified for reasonableness in the respective tender committees convened in the circle level and regional level.

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