No.2010/RS(G)/779/10/Pt.VIII  Dated 28.8.2012

Subject: Mandatory publication of all tender enquiries by Ministries/Departments/CPSEs and autonomous/statutory bodies on the Central Public Procurement portal wing XML upload.

2. This office note of even number dated 21.12.2011 (Copy enclosed).

Vide above referred note at reference 2, the decision of Government of India regarding e-publishing of tender enquiries, corrigenda thereto and details of contracts awarded thereon, on CPP portal was communicated to you. This is a mandatory activity which was to be implemented in a phased manner with effect from 1st January 2012.

In this reference, please find enclosed herewith O.M. No.10/3/2012-PPC dated 19.7.2012 from Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, Procurement Policy Division which is self-explanatory and needs immediate attention. Your attention is especially invited to Para 3(a) of the O.M which clearly stipulates that wherever the tender and other details are being published on the own website of the Department/Ministry/CPSEs etc in Word, Excel, PDF, JPEG, TIFF or any other format and link is provided to their tender information/website on the CPP portal, they are to take immediate steps to directly publish all tender enquiries, corrigenda thereto and award of contracts thereon on the CPP portal using e-publishing module compulsorily.

However, whenever e-procurement is being done, the tender enquiry, corrigenda and details of contract are required to be transferred to CPP portal using XML facility.

Encl: As above

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Mandatory publication of all tender enquiries by Ministries/Departments on the Central Public Procurement Portal using XML upload where e-procurement solution other than NIC is being used.

Instructions had been issued vide O.M dated 30th November, 2011 to all Ministries/Departments, their attached and subordinate offices, CPSEs and autonomous/statutory bodies of the Central Government regarding mandatory publication of all tender enquiries on the Central Public Procurement Portal (CPP Portal). As per para 1(f) of the said O.M. it was stated that Ministries/Departments, CPSEs and autonomous/statutory bodies that are already carrying out e-procurement through NIC or their own website or through any other service provider, shall ensure that all tender related details including those issued through e-procurement, are simultaneously published/mirrored on the CPP Portal. Their e-procurement website should also have a link to the CPP Portal.

2. Further, this Department, vide O.M. dated 7th May 2012 addressed to all FAs requested all Ministries/Departments, CPSEs and autonomous/statutory bodies to transfer/upload meta data related to tender enquiries from their e-procurement websites to the CPP Portal using XML upload facility provided by NIC. In this regard Ministries/Departments were asked to send their requests to the e-mail ids cppp-nic@nic.in and cppp-dloc@nic.in in the prescribed format.

3. In this context, following points are once again being reiterated:

   a) Wherever, Ministries/Departments, CPSEs and autonomous/statutory bodies are publishing their tender details on their own website in Word, Excel, PDF, JPEG and tiff or in any other image format and have provided a link to their tender information website on the CPP Portal, they are requested to directly publish all tender enquiries, corrigenda thereto and award of contracts thereon on the CPP Portal using e-Publish module compulsorily.

   b) Wherever, Ministries/Departments, CPSEs and autonomous/statutory bodies are carrying out e-procurement through their own website or through any other service provider, they should ensure that all tender enquiries, corrigenda and details of contract awarded thereon are electronically transferred/uploaded on the CPP Portal using XML upload facility made available by NIC. The steps involved in transferring data through XML upload to the CPP Portal as suggested by NIC are
4. All Ministries/Departments are requested to issue necessary instructions in this regard to all attached and subordinate offices as well as to CPSE's, autonomous and statutory bodies under their administrative control. Problems if any, being faced in e-publishing tender enquiries and other details on the CPP Portal using e-publish module or XML upload facility may be reported at the e-mail id cppp-nic@nic.in.

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To,

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Nodal Officers of all Ministries/Departments
Subject: Central Public Procurement Portal


In pursuance of the recommendations of the Committee on Public Procurement headed by Shri Vinod Dhall and the decision thereon of the Group of Ministers constituted to consider measures to tackle corruption and ensure transparency, the Department of Expenditure has. vide OM dated 30th November 2011, issued instructions for setting up a Central Public Procurement Portal (CPP Portal) with an e-publishing (of tender details) module and an e-procurement module. The CPP portal will be set up by the National Informatics Center (NIC). It will be accessible at the URL eprocure.gov.in. E-publishing of tender enquiries, corrigenda thereto and details of contracts awarded thereon, on the CPP Portal has been made mandatory in a phased manner w.e.f. 1st January 2012.

Above referred letters are self explanatory. Therefore, you may take immediate action to implement these letters. Tenders that are uploaded on IREPS website need not be uploaded on this website as CRIS has been advised to link the IREPS website ireps.gov.in with this website (eprocure.gov.in). However till that is done, all tenders (except local purchase/quotation tenders) being floated will have to be e-published on this website also.

Data required by Ministry of Finance for planning of Training and support services as per Annexure-I (Part (B) & (C) ) to the letter at reference 2 above may be compiled immediately and communicated to undersigned so that the same may be communicated to Ministry of Finance and NIC.

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