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Policy Matter: Administration/Finance (31/2008)

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SUB : REPAIR & MAINTENANCE OF NHDP AND NON NHDP STRETCHES

In terms of Policy Circular no. 30/2008 dated April 16, 2008, CGMs have been delegated the authority to approve the cost estimates for carrying out repair & maintenance works (OR/PR) so long as the cost estimates are within the laid down norms. Such works can be executed either through the State PWDs or by the PIUs directly through open competitive bidding.

2. After the approval of the cost estimates by the CGMs, the tenders finalised through the State PWDs will continue to be governed in terms of the policy guidelines contained in para 5 of Policy Circular no. 81/2004 dated April 13, 2004. In the event of the works being executed directly by the PIUs, the tenders/bids processed in accordance with codal formalities, may be accepted with the approval of CGMs concerned so long as the price discovered through the tender remains within the cost estimates. The technical divisions while accepting the lowest bid may also ensure that there was adequate transparency and competition and the price discovered through the tender process conforms to the cannons of reasonability & fairness and must reflect well defined specifications. In the event of the lowest bid price exceeding the cost estimates by not more than 10%, such bids will require approval of the Member concerned for acceptance alongwith the detailed justification for accepting such bids. In case, the lowest bid price exceeds beyond 10% of the approved estimates, the proposal will require approval of Chairman.

(V.K. Sharma)

General Manager (Admn.)

To,

All the CGMs/Project Directors/PIUs

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All Members

CVO/GMs

All DGMs/Managers

All CMUs/SPVs

Copy for kind information to: PS to Chairman