



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

PWD - Registration/ Renewal of Contractor License - Accepting Fixed Deposits of Nationalized Bank, Scheduled Private Sector & Scheduled Public Sector Bank/Kerala Bank as Security Deposit - Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

PUBLIC WORKS (H) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.57/2024/PWD

Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 04-11-2024

Read:- 1. G.O(Ms)No.60/2019/PWD dated 27.12.2019

2. G.O(Ms)No.44/2023/PWD dated 29.07.2023

3. Letter No.CEPWD/16303/2024/Admn/PLA dated 05.09.2024 from the Chief Engineer(Administration), PWD.

ORDER

As per Govt. Order read 1st paper above the Security Deposit required to be submitted for Contractor License or Renewal shall be only in the form of unconditional Bank Guarantee from any Nationalized Bank/Scheduled Bank and shall be valid till six months after the validity period of Contract License. As per the Order read 2nd paper above, Treasury Deposit can also be submitted as Security Deposit during Registration/Renewal of Contractor License.

2. The Chief Engineer (Administration), Public Works Department, as per the letter read above proposed to consider the Fixed Deposits of Nationalized Bank/Scheduled Public Sector & Scheduled Private Sector Bank/Kerala Bank pledged in the name of the Registering Authority for the payment of Security Deposit for Registration/Renewal of Contractor License.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to order that while Registering /Renewing Contract License, the Security Deposit shall be collected in the form of Fixed Deposits of Nationalized Bank/Scheduled Private Sector &

Scheduled Public Sector Bank/Kerala Bank, pledged in the name of Registering Authority and shall be valid for 6 months after the validity period of the Contractor's license. Its authenticity shall be verified by the Agreement Authority itself.

4. The Kerala Public Works Department Manual shall be amended accordingly.

(By Order of the Governor)

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SECRETARY

To:

All the Chief Engineers of PWD

The Principal Accountant General (A&E/Audit), Thiruvananthapuram.

The Executive Engineer (IT/e-Governance), O/o CE(Admn), PWD.

The Finance Department

(2906676/I&PW-B2/243/2024-FIN dated 01.10.2024)

The Local Self Govt. Department.

The Water Resources Department.

The I&PR(Web & New Media) Department.

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