

Works/Services/Contracts awarded on nomination basis or in emergency

(In terms of circular No.04/04/21 dated 06.04.2021 - (Ref No.005/CRD/19/480241) dated 06.04.2021 of Central Vigilance Commission).

Works/purchase/consultancy contracts having value of more than Rs. 2.00 lakh are as under.

Sr. No.	Works/Services/Contracts awarded	Reason
1	(i) Engagement of the consultant namely M/s Vishwanath Medical Consultancy to provide round the clock 5 nurses and 2 duty doctors per day Rs. 7.00 lakh per month + consultant visit charges of Rs. 1,500 per visit, if required (ii) Procurement of 28 oxygen cylinders, 13 O concentrators, 20 Bipep machines, disposals etc. from M.K. Sales & Services, Nagpur for Rs.24.06 lakh plus tax	Due to sudden increase in the number of Covid cases in second wave and difficulties faced in getting beds in hospitals for its employees/dependents especially in serious cases requiring oxygen support, it was felt necessary to provide transit care to the patients. Accordingly, purchase of oxygen concentrators, bipep machines, etc., was made and a Covid care ward was established at head office. In the absence of required manpower, expertise to operate these equipment as well as to handle the patients round the clock, arrangement was made on nomination basis, on ascertaining reasonableness of the offer, in view of the necessity to address the issue immediately. To make the centre functional, equipment such as oxygen cylinders, O2 concentrators, etc. were procured on emergency basis by obtaining offers from three parties at Nagpur, with whom these items were available for immediate supply.
2	 (i) Procurement of Medical Equipment and Furniture for Opening of COVID Care Facility (100 Bedded), from M/s Kapil Traders, Jabalpur. (ii) The procurement was done on emergency basis by obtaining offers from three parties at Jabalpur (MP) which is near to Mandala and with whom these items were available for immediate supply. (iii) Total amount involved was Rs 87,26,820 (GST as applicable to be extra). 	Due to sudden increase in the number of Covid cases in second wave and difficulties faced by people in getting beds in hospitals, medicines, medical equipment, oxygen support, etc., it was felt necessary to arrange the same under CSR of MOIL. Ministry of Steel has also given direction in this regard. Accordingly, MOIL has set up 100 beds in two hospitals of Mandala Districts of M.P. In this regard, it is also to mention that MOIL received a request from District Collector of Mandla, (M.P) for setting up of Oxygenated Bed in the District. In this connection, Nodal Officer CSR visited Mandla and a meeting with District Administration in the presence of Hon'ble Minister of State for Steel, Govt. of India was held where MOIL was directed to make aforesaid arrangements.
3	Energy saving appliances, i.e., LED based lighting and energy efficient equipment (Fans & ACs). Rs.113.28 lakh (including Rs.11,98,534.87 plus GST for PMC payable to EESL)	As per Office Memorandum No. 25(24)/E.Coord/2017 from the Ministry of Finance, "the Central Government has taken a decision for mandatory installation of LED based lighting and energy efficient equipment (Fans & ACs) in all government buildings." and "all Ministries/Departments are requested to convert the existing lightings/equipment into LED based lightings and energy efficient equipment on priority utilizing the services of CPWD/EESL." Accordingly, EESL has been engaged for providing the energy saving appliances. They purchase the materials by following open tender process.

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4	Shri K.J. Rohee, Hon'ble Judge (Retd.) of Bombay High Court appointed as Enquiry Officer in the matter of disciplinary action against Shri. P.K. Jain, Chief Manager (Finance), Chikla Mine, for furnishing false and baseless information about the Company and its Senior Officers to the Ministry of Steel and others. Rs. 3.00 lakh Lumpsum with travel and fooding arrangements by MOIL.	In order to conduct the enquiry in a fair manner, duly following principles of natural justice, a retired High Court Judge has been appointed to act as an Enquiry Officer by the Disciplinary Authority in terms of Rule 8.5(a) of Employees (Disciplinary) Rules 1978. Considering the experience of Shri K.J. Rohee, Hon'ble Judge (Retd.) in the field of dealing service disciplinary matters, the fixed remuneration is considered reasonable and his offer has been accepted.
5	MOU for purchase of steel from SAIL for FY 2021-22 Estimate Quantity: 23.57 MT Estimated value: Rs. 13.77 Crore With following conditions: • To purchase of 1800 MT of steel subject to alteration of original quantity by (+/-) 20% as per MOIL requirement. • Interest Free Credit (IFC) of 15 days. • The Turnover Discount (ToD) entitlement against a quantity of 1800 MT shall be Rs. 200/PMT (as per slab of >1200 – 12000 MT).	MOIL's annual consumption of steel for its various mining activities ranges between 2000 MT and 2300 MT. Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) has introduced the Order Booking Policy for Projects / Construction Companies /Government Departments in FY-2015-16 and MOIL has been purchasing steel from SAIL by entering into MoU. During FY 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21, MOIL purchased 2267.20MT (Rs.11.453 Crore), 1989.87MT (Rs. 10.18 Crore) and 2250.81MT (Rs. 11.74 Crore) respectively. MOIL also got ToD of Rs. 4.53 Core, Rs.3.98 Crore and Rs. 4.50 Crore respectively for these three years. The above arrangement has been made on nomination basis as SAIL is CPSE under Ministry of Steel, Government of India and is known as a producer of high quality of steel in the India.
6	Engagement of the consultant namely M/s Lakshmikumaran & Sridharan attorneys in the handling matter on our behalf before Director General GST Intelligence in the matter of Service tax on Royalty, DMF & NMET. Fees for legal research, internal discussion, con-calls and drafting of reply to show cause noticeRs.2,00,000/- plus GST Fees for causing appearance before the DGGI-Rs.1,35,000/- plus GST	Lakshmi Kumaran & Sridharan Attorneys is a renowned firm practicing in Indirect taxation matters specialising in Service tax matters in India. They have successfully litigated tax matters for nearly two decades at various judicial and quasi-judicial fora like CESTAT, High Courts and Supreme court. Many of the cases argued by them are landmark legal cases. Since the quantum of tax involvement in the current case is of Rs.11.25 crores and the matter are quasi-judicial, hence Lakshikumaran & Sridharan Attorneys is appointed.
