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No.F.20/43/2020-PPD
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
Procurement Policy Division

512, Lok Nayak Bhawan,
New Delhi Dated the 21st December, 2020.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

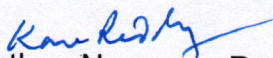
Sub: Proposal of Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas (MoPNG) for general relaxation to Rule 161(iv)(b) of General Financial Rules (GFRs) for procurement of various items, which are critical for operation and expansion of oil and gas sector in the country, by Oil and Gas PSUs through Global Tender Enquiry (GTE).

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas (MoPNG) D.O. No. G-38011/37/2020-Fin.I(E-34977) dated 09.12.2020 wherein MoPNG has requested to grant a general relaxation for procurement of various items (listed at annexure), which are critical for operation and expansion of oil and gas sector in the country, by Oil and Gas Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) through Global Tender Enquiry (GTE).

2. The proposal has been examined in Department of Expenditure and a general relaxation has been granted for two years from the issue of this OM for procurement of items listed at annexure through GTE with the approval of Secretary, MoPNG for safe operations of plant and machinery and planned capacity building in oil and gas PSUs. A written decision shall be issued in each case with copy to Department for Promotion of Industry & Internal Trade (DPIIT) and Cabinet Secretariat, specifying the item for which exemption is given. However, MoPNG is requested to regularly engage with domestic industry to develop such items at the earliest.

3. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Expenditure).

Encl. : As above


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