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DIRECTORATE OF ENGINEERING

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TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION NO. :- 50

Subject:- Systematic Improvement: Testing & Commissioning of Specialized Equipment/(s) at site.

In one of the CTE type inspection of the work by Corporate Vigilance Directorate, it has been observed that as per NIT Clause, Testing & Commissioning of equipment/(s) should have been carried out in supervision of OEM's Engineer at site, but it was carried out by the contracting agency through a specialized agency, which is a violation of contract provision.

Hence, it is enjoined upon all concerned that a thorough assessment and examination should be carried out during tendering stage itself whether the testing & commissioning of equipment/(s) is required to be carried out under supervision by the OEM's Engineer or can be carried out by OEM authorized Indian associate/ System Integrator.

If it is to be carried out by OEM authorized Indian associate/ System Integrator, then the clause shall be modified in the tender as below, otherwise original clause shall remain:

"Testing & Commissioning of equipments shall be carried out by Engineers of OEM or their authorized Indian associate / system integrator, However OEM must own the complete responsibility in respect of Testing & Commissioning or SAT of equipments in both cases."

It is enjoined upon all concerned for strict compliance henceforth.

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