

STANDING INSTRUCTION No. 311

It has been pointed out by C.T.E. that in a number of cases, the part rates with-hold in case of incomplete items executed by the contractors are insufficient for completion of those items. Incidentally it amounts to unauthorised financial aid to the contractor and can at times lead to financial loss to DDA when works might be abandoned by the contractor halfway or the contracts may have to be rescinded due to slow progress, etc.

It is enjoined upon all field officers that they should be very careful in releasing the part rates for incomplete items of work & should ensure that the amount with held is commensurate with the requirement to get work completed i.o. considering the then prevailing market rates of materials, labour, etc. Any violation of these instructions will be viewed seriously.

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