

DELHI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

NO.EM.1(10)83/ 8633

DATED: 2.7.91

"Standing Instruction No.336"

Sub: Payment for new item through running account bills.

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It has been observed that in case of new items which crop up during the execution of the work, two rates are indicated in the measurement books and bills; one the proposed rate and second the rate to be paid in the particular running account bill. This type of indication of two rates in the running bill has enabled some of the contractors to get the payments through arbitrator at the proposed rates treating this as mutually agreed rates though the same were not approved by the competent authority.

It is, therefore, necessary that in the running bills only one rate, which is proposed to be paid in the running bill at that particular moment of time considering the position of execution of the item as had prevailed . . then, should be indicated in the measurement books as well as in the bills and this should be called as "provisional rate". No document should indicate the rate recommended to the sanctioning authority. Compliance of these instructions should be strictly ensured.

This issues with the approval of EM,DDA.

(R.G. Bhatnagar)
2/7/91

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Director(Works).

All CEs(Civil).

CE(Elect.)

CAO. He may ensure through his periodical audits that these instructions are invariably complied with.