

No. LR. 1(10)98/01.1/ETA/ 2554

Dated : 16/3/2000

CIRCULAR NO. 530

AVOIDANCE OF CONTRADICTIONARY CONDITIONS IN THE NIT.

Attention is invited to Circular No. 320 issued vide LR. 1(10)83/4447 dt. 21.3.91 through which it was emphasised that while incorporating any additional conditions/specifications in tender papers care must be taken to see that there is nothing contradictory or vague with reference to provisions, if any, already made in the NIT elsewhere.

It is observed that the above instructions are not being complied with scrupulously. In one of the observations, CTE has pointed out in one of the works that :-

"There are contradictory provisions in schedule of quantities, specifications, additional conditions. The drafting of tender is not homogenous which can be immediately implemented without dispute. Any final inference free from dispute/litigation is not possible."

It is enjoined upon all NIT approving authorities to ensure that they must properly analyse the provisions of NIT and delete all contradictory and irrelevant provisions before approval and follow the instructions scrupulously.

Any laxity on this account may invite disciplinary action against the delinquent official.

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