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From

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संयुक्त सचिव( प्रशासन)

Joint Secretary (Administration)

To,

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Subject: Procurement through Government e-Market place (GeM)- Reg

Sir, /महोदय

मुझे ऊपर दिए गए विषय पर वित्त मंत्रालय से प्राप्त 19 जनवरी, 2018 के कार्यालय ज्ञापन को अनुपालन और आवश्यक कार्रवाई हेतु अग्रेषित करने का निर्देश हुआ है।

I am directed to forward herewith the OM No: F 6/1/2018-PPD dated 19<sup>th</sup> January, 2018 received from Ministry of Finance on the above cited subject for compliance and necessary action.

विनय कुमार

( क्रय एवम् भण्डार अधिकारी )

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✓ IT Division with request to host this circular on CSIR website.

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Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
Procurement Policy Division  
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Room No 516, Lok Nayak Bhawan,  
New Delhi dated the 19<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject - Procurement through Government e-Marketplace (GeM) – Reg

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of Science and Technology (MST) OM No MST/PRAO/Estt/22-38/2017-18/1952 dated 12.01.2018 forwarding the Minutes of the Standing Committee of MST on GeM wherein it was pointed out that there is divergence between Rule 149 and Rule 154 & 155 of General Financial Rules (GFRs). In this regard, it is clarified that Rule 149 of GFR provides for the mandatory procurement of common use Goods and Services by Ministries or Departments for Goods or Services available on GeM. Hence only in case of goods and services (of required specification or within required delivery period etc.) are not available on GeM, the procuring entity can resort to Rules 154 and 155 of GFRs i.e. procurement without quotation or procurement on the recommendations of a duly constituted Local Purchase Committee

2 This issues with the approval of JS(PF C-II)

  
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To

Financial Advisor, Ministry of Science Technology, New Delhi.

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