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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT : - DECENTRALISATION OF ENLISTMENT OF CONTRACTORS.

Attention is invited to this Directorate Office Memorandum No. DGW/CON/102 dated the 23rd December, 1996 defining the authorities for enlistment of contractors under various classes and their jurisdictions. Doubts have been raised that the previously enlisted contractors under Class-II and Class-III who could tender on All India basis and Zonal basis (each Zone comprising of one or more states) respectively shall have advantage over the newly enlisted contractors under these classes who can now tender on regional (region meaning the Region headed by an ADG) & Zonal (zone meaning the Zone or state unit headed by a Chief Engineer) basis respectively.

The matter has been examined and it is clarified that since the said advantage for the previously enlisted contractors over the newly enlisted contractors shall be only in the transition period, the fresh enlistments are to be done only in accordance with O.M. No. DGW/CON/102 dated 23.12.96. However, the revalidation of previous enlistment, whenever due, shall be done for the new jurisdictional areas. Before the case for revalidation of existing enlistment is considered, the contractor may be asked to indicate option for any one Region/Zone, as the case may be. It is also clarified that four old geographical Zones no longer exist as far as new enlistments are concerned.

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