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Sub: Variation in the provisions of BEC and corresponding QCBS Matrix (in case of QCBC/LCS tenders)

During the course of investigation in a case pertaining Hiring of Third party inspection agency on QCBS basis, it has come to the notice that certain provisions of BEC and the QCBS Matrix formulated for providing "rating" for determining the score of the bidder were at variance. This created confusion and interpretational issues during evaluation / processing of tender.

In order to avoid above type of incidents in future, all concerned are advised to exercise utmost care to ensure that there is no ambiguity/contradiction/variation between the provisions of the BEC and corresponding tender provisions to be considered for qualification and evaluation of bids and determining the score of biders (in case of QCBS/LSC tenders).

Above guidelines should be meticulously followed by all concerned.

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