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**Sub: Engagement of Third Party Inspection Agency for procurement of goods against ICB/LICB.**

Reference of all concerned is invited to PMC circular No. 36/2002 dated 26.12.2002, wherein *interalia* it was notified that in all ICB/LICB tender for procurement of goods provisions relating to third party inspection will be incorporated. For this purpose, the said circular stipulated that names of three or four reputed TPI agencies are to be mentioned in the tender and bidder can get TPI done from one of the agencies and that bidder should include the TPI charges in their quote itself.

Above provisions have been re-examined. It has been decided to modify the above instructions to the extent that the TPI agency for procurement of goods against ICB/LICB tenders shall henceforth be engaged and paid by ONGC and not by the supplier.

All concerned are advised to follow the above instructions, for all future cases.

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