

EAST CENTRAL RAILWAY

Office of the
Principal Chief Materials Manager
Hajipur, Bihar, 844101

Stores Instruction No: 79A dated 27.01.2025

**All Stores Officers,
E. C. Railway**

Sub: Requirement of demand review from depots before procurement of items
Ref: i) Dy.CVO/Stores's L/No: ECR/Vig/V-4/S/GHZ/04-15/DY.CVO(S)/PC/PY/09
dated 16.09.2016
ii) Stores Instruction No: 79 dated 27.02.2017
iii) Approval of SDGM/ECR at Note #19 of E-279759

1. System improvement letter under ref (i) regarding requirement of demand review from depots at the time of tender decision and vetting of Purchase Orders based on such demand reviews was issued by Vigilance Department. Stores Instruction No: 79 under ref (ii) above was issued in compliance to above system improvement letter.
2. Now, after end-to-end digitisation of supply chain activities, all data related to available stock, dues, EAC as well as consumption pattern are available in IREPS/IMMIS/UDM. Vigilance Department has, therefore, withdrawn the system improvement letter under ref (i).
3. Accordingly, Stores Instruction No: 79 dated 27.02.2017 is also hereby withdrawn.
4. Net Procurable Quantity (NPQ) in a tender is to be decided by the Purchase Officers based on data/details available in IREPS/IMMIS/UDM as per extant procedures and in accordance with latest instructions issued from time to time on this matter.

This is issued with the approval of PCMM/ECR/HJP.

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