OFFICE ORDER

Subject: Regarding amendment in Rule 161(iv) and Rule 153(iv) of GFR-2017 for restriction on floating Global Tender Enquiry and Preference to Local Suppliers, respectively.

Ref: 1. Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance OM No. F.No.12/17/2019-PPD dated 15.05.2020
2. Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce Order No. P-45021/2/2017-PP (BE-II) dated 04.06.2020

As per the Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance OM F.No.12/17/2019-PPD dated 15.05.2020 and Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry Order No. P-45021/2/2017-PP (BE-II) dated 04.06.2020, “No Global Tender Enquiry (GTE), however shall be invited for tenders up to Rs.200 Crore or such limit as may be prescribed by the Department of Expenditure from time to time” and Preference is to be given to Local suppliers in all the purchases.

Following arrangements are put in place till further orders:

1. All request for the Global Tender Enquiry (GTE) in prescribed format should be submitted to Stores & Purchase department for onward submission to Secretary (Coordination), Cabinet Secretariat through Director IIT Kanpur for approval. After getting approval GTE will be floated. (GTE form is available on https://www.iitk.ac.in/centralstores/forms)
2. Tender Enquiries in multicurrency will be invited through GTE only.
3. Open Tender Enquiry will be floated as usual with the new condition as per Rule 153(iv) of GFR-2017 for preference to Local Suppliers. Relevant clauses are already inducted in Model Tender Enquiry document of the institute.
4. In Open Tender Enquiry, bids from non-local supplier will not be considered, they can participate only in Global Tender.

Kindly take the note of the above.

This Office Order is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Dean, Administration)