

**Government of India,
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways
(Planning Zone)**

Transport Bhawan,
1, Parliament Street,
New Delhi-110 001

No. NH-22023/1/2012-P&M

Dated, the 8th January, 2013

To,

1. The Principal Secretaries/Secretaries of States / UT, Public Works Departments (dealing with the National Highways, other Centrally sponsored schemes and State Schemes)
2. The Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineers of Public works Departments of State / UT (dealing with the National Highways, other Centrally sponsored schemes and State Schemes)

Subject: Project Contingencies, Quality Control, WC Establishment and Agency Charges - admissible expenditure - Addendum – regarding.

Sir,

In continuation of this Ministry's circular No. RW/G-20011/8/98-WA, dated 16.08.2002 on the above subject; the following addendum is issued in order to facilitate smooth progress of the work & avoiding delays;

2. In respect of Para 1.1 - Contingencies, the existing paras 1.1.4, 1.1.5 and 1.1.8 are substituted as under;

Para 1.1.4 Road Safety related items including traffic regulatory measures on the stretch covered under sanction.

Para 1.1.5 The expenditure on engagement of man power for proof checking / peer review of the design / monitoring, subject to the condition that due procedure and guidelines issued on the subject by this Ministry and Ministry of Finance have been followed in engaging man power.

Para 1.1.8 The expenditure on engagement of counsel / lawyer / Arbitration so long as the fee is fixed as per rates stipulated by the Ministry of Law / Road Transport & Highways and due procedure has been adopted for their appointment.

3. The following additional para is added;

Para 1.1.9 Any other item(s) with the approval of the Ministry.

4. This issues with the approval of Secretary (RT&H) and concurrence of Finance Wing.

Yours faithfully,


(Maya Prakash)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

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