No. RW-NH-34048/7/2013-S&R (B) Dated 1st January, 2016

To,

1. The Principal Secretaries/Secretaries of all States/U.Ts. Public Works Department dealing with National Highways, and other Centrally Sponsored Schemes.
2. The Engineers-in-Chief and Chief Engineers of Public Works Departments of States/U.Ts dealing with National Highways, and other Centrally Sponsored Schemes.
3. Director General (Border Roads), Seema Sadak Bhawan, Ring Road, New Delhi-110 010.
4. The Chairman, National Highways Authority of India, G-5&6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110 075.
5. Director, Indian Academy of Highway Engineers, Noida, UP.
6. The Managing Director, NHIDCL, PTI Building, New Delhi-110001.

Subject: Standard RFP document for selection of Authority’s Engineer for works to be implemented on Engineering Procurement and Construction (EPC) mode—Reg.

Amendments.

Madan/Sir,

Ministry vide letter of even number dated 16th September, 2013 has circulated Standard RFP document for selection of Authority’s Engineer for works to be implemented on Engineering Procurement and Construction (EPC) mode. Certain modifications were made in the Standard RFP document vide letter of even number dated 11th December, 2014 and 16th Nov, 2015.

2. The existing document has no provision for deployment/induction of design specialist as key personnel in the RFP. Now, it has been decided to provide for input say 3 to 4 months of (i) Highway Design Specialist and (ii) Bridge Design Specialist in the RFP document so that the CVs for the same and rates for their input may be provided by the consulting firm in the financial bid. Their CVs shall be included in the technical evaluation.

3. The appointment of umbrella State-wise Authority Engineer by Ministry shall be discontinued with effect from 1st January, 2016. Henceforth, project wise appointment of Authority Engineer shall be carried out by State PWDs for projects costing up to Rs 300 crores. For projects costing more than Rs 300 crores, Ministry will continue to appoint Authority Engineers.
4. The contents of the circular may be brought to the notice of all concerned in your organization.

Yours faithfully,

(Devender Kumar)
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For Director General (Road Development) & SS

Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. All Technical officers in the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways
2. All ROs and ELOs
3. The Secretary General, Indian Roads Congress- With request to publish in Indian Highways Journal
4. Technical Circular File of S&R (B) Section
5. NIC- for uploading MoRT&H’s website under “What is new”.

Copy for kind information to:

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7. PS to Hon’ble MOS(RTH&S)
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