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Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
E.II(A) Branch
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## **OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

SUB.: Enhancement in the Financial Powers of Ministries/Departments with regard to expenditure on Non-Plan Schemes/Projects – Procedure for cases of value beyond Rs.50 crore but upto Rs.75 crore.

Attention is invited to this Department's OM of even no. dated 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2010 on the subject of 'Enhancement in the Financial Powers of Ministries/Departments with regard to expenditure on Non-Plan Schemes/Projects'.

- 2. The following procedure may be followed by administrative Ministries/ Departments for Non-Plan Schemes/ Projects of estimated cost beyond Rs.50 crore but upto Rs.75 crore in regard to appraisal by the Standing Finance Committee (SFC) of the Ministry / Department to be chaired by the administrative Secretary with a representative of the Department of Expenditure as a member:
  - a. The Departments/Ministries may send their proposal on the format prescribed for CNE Memo, on file to this Department for comments.
  - b. The comments of this Department may be addressed in the final SFC Memo.
  - c. Thereafter, a meeting of the SFC may be convened for which the Department of Expenditure may be asked to nominate a representative.
  - d. The approved Minutes of the meeting may be circulated to all the Members.
  - e. Subsequently, approval of the Competent Financial Authority (the Minister-in-charge of Ministry/Department, in this case), may be obtained.
- 3. This issues with the approval of Secretary (Expenditure).
- 4. Hindi version will follow.

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