No.F.6/14/2020-PPD
Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Expenditure
Procurement Policy Division

264-C, North Block, New Delhi. Dated the 11th June, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Procurement of Goods/Services through Government e-Marketplace (GeM).

Reference: (i) Department of Expenditure (DoE) OMs No.F.6/14/2020-PPD dated 27.08.2020 and 23.10.2020

Attention is invited to this Department OM No.F.6/18/2019-PPD dated 23.01.2020 stipulating that all buyers will be required to generate a "GeM Availability Report and Past Transaction Summary" (GeMAR&PTS) on GeM portal using their login credentials of GeM for all procurements being made outside GeM. It was also stipulated that in case it is not possible to extract GeMAR&PTS report due to (a) urgency (b) non-functioning of GeM at that time and (c) due to non availability of internet connection, screenshots in such cases shall be placed in procurement files, along with details of reasons/ circumstances. Further, in these circumstances, furnishing of unique ID on publishing portal will not be insisted.

- 2. Later on reasons (b) "non-functioning of GeM and (c) non-availability of internet connection" were removed from the exceptions.
- 3. On the request of GeM, it has now been decided that buyers will be required to generate GeMAR&PTS ID in all cases of procurement outside GeM.

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Secretary, Department of Public Enterprises with a request to issue appropriate instructions to Public Sector Undertakings in this regard.