

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT
MEGHALAYA, SHILLONG**

No.TPT. 35/2016/321

Dated Shillong, the 11th September 2020.

ORDER

1. Whereas tender for setting up of weighbridge cum checkpoint at Ratacherra, East Jaintia Hills District was invited vide letter No. Com/Trans/T/WB/70/2012/1285 dated Shillong, the 13th August 2019.
2. Whereas 4(four) bidders participated in the tender process namely:
 - (i) Shri Phransis Swer.
 - (ii) Shri Tiberius Shylla.
 - (iii) Shri Fournig Siangshai.
 - (iv) Shri Hameki Pariat.
3. Whereas the bids were accordingly placed before the Tender Committee on the 31st October 2019 for evaluation.
4. Whereas during the evaluation of the bids on the 31st October 2019 by the Tender Committee, the bid of Shri Fournig Siangshai and Shri Tiberius Shylla were rejected on technical grounds.
5. Whereas a petition for re-evaluating the bids by the Tender Committee was received from one of the unsuccessful bidders, Shri Fournig Siangshai, wherein he mentioned that his bid was rejected erroneously as his annual turnover during the last three years was less than 1 crore whereas his audited balance sheet showed that his turnover was more than 1 crore.
6. Whereas taking into consideration this request, the Tender Committee invited other bidders to the meeting held on 11th November 2019 and re-examined the technical bid of Shri Fournig Shanghai.
7. Whereas on re-scrutiny of the bids by the Tender Committee, it was found that the bid of Shri Fournig Siangshai was in order and that the Committee had, through oversight, erroneously rejected his bid on technical grounds and Tender Committee proposed to other bidders to open the financial bid of Shri Fournig Shanghai. Other Bidders objected to the opening of the financial bid of Shri Fournig Shanghai.

8. Whereas, this being the case, the Tender Committee, after thorough deliberation and after obtaining the opinion of Learned Advocate General recommended that the tender be canceled, and fresh bids are invited to ensure fairness and transparency in the bidding process.

9. Whereas the recommendation of the Tender Committee and the views of Learned Advocate General were placed before the Competent Authority and approval to cancel the tender for setting up of weighbridge cum checkpoint at Ratacherra, East Jaintia Hills District and to initiate fresh tender for the same had been obtained.

10. Whereas the Transport Department, Govt. of Meghalaya decided to cancel the tender for setting up of weighbridge cum checkpoint at Ratacherra, East Jaintia Hills District directed the Commissioner Transport to start a tender process afresh vide letter No. TPT.35/2016/310 dated 18/02/2020. The decision of the Transport Department, Govt. of Meghalaya was not inadvertently placed on the website of the Transport Department and therefore, it was deemed that the earlier tender process has not been canceled and is still subsisting.

11. Therefore, in view of the fact that the previous tender process has already been scrapped the Govt. has decided to start de novo the tender process for setting up of weighbridge cum checkpoint at Ratacherra, East Jaintia Hills District.


Commissioner & Secretary
Transport Department.

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1. P.S. to Minister i/c Transport Department for kind information of Hon'ble Minister.
2. Registrar General, Meghalaya High Court for kind information.
3. The Commissioner Transport for information and necessary action with reference to letter No. TPT.35/2016/310 dated 18/02/2020.


Secretary
Transport Department.