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From

The Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana  
Vigilance Department.

To

1. All the Administrative Secretaries in Haryana.
2. All the Divisional Commissioners in Haryana.
3. All the Head of Departments.
4. Chief Administrator's/Managing Directors of Board/Corporations/Organizations/PSu's/ ULB in Haryana.
5. All Deputy Commissioners in Haryana

Dated Chandigarh the 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2023.

**Subject: Enhancement in original contract agreements.**

Sir/Madam,

In supersession of this Department letter issued vide even number dated 6.12.2022, I am directed to say that presently, the approvals of enhancements in various type of works are being approved at the level of the authority competent to issue technical sanction as per DFR and further amendment issued vide Finance Department notification No. G.S.R.8/Const./Art.283/2008, dated 20.02.2008. Whereas, these instructions were silent regarding enhancements in on-going works. In recent past number of cases involving considerably high and irregular enhancements have come to notice to the Government. After careful reconsideration of the matter, to make way for enhancements in contract agreements in transparent and uniform manner the Government has decided as follows:-

1. The present system may continue in respect of increase in cost of project due to following reasons:-

- i) Due to tendered rates.
- ii) Due to escalation (price adjustment) as provided in the contract agreement.
- iii) Due to change in DS&D supply rates for departmental supplies.

2. In respect of revision due to change in structural design and revision due to change in the scope of work, the following shall be the competent authorities to decide the matter:-

a) In case, the allotted work costs less than Rs. 1.00 crore, following shall be competent to decide :-

|      |            |                                                                                                           |
|------|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| i)   | Upto 30%   | Engineer-in-Chief                                                                                         |
| ii)  | 30% to 50% | Administrative Secretary of the Department                                                                |
| iii) | Beyond 50% | Sub Committee of the Cabinet headed by Chief Minister with Minister-in-charge of the Department as Member |

b) In case the allotted work costs more than Rs. 1.00 crore, the following shall be competent to decide:-

|      |            |                                                                                                           |
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| i)   | Upto 10%   | Administrative Secretary of the Department                                                                |
| ii)  | 10% to 20% | Committee headed by Chief Secretary with Administrative Secretary of the Department as Member             |
| iii) | Beyond 20% | Sub Committee of the Cabinet headed by Chief Minister with Minister-in-charge of the Department as Member |

3. These instructions may be brought to the notice of all for strict compliance with immediate effect.

Yours faithfully

Under Secretary, Vigilance  
for Chief Secretary to Govt. Haryana  
Vigilance department