

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH.
RURAL WATER SUPPLY & SANITATION DEPARTMENT**

Office of the Engineer-in-chief, RWS&S Department, Gollapudi, Vijayawada

Circular Memo No. AE / DEE-NABARD / Exemption of LDs for EoAT / 2020 dated 02.09.2020.

- Sub:** RWS&S - EoAT without Liquidated damages-Exempted from G.O. M.S. No. 8, dated 30-01-2017 of PR & RD (RWS-I) Department, for the works stopped as per Government instructions-Certain instructions issued - Regarding.
- Ref:** 1. G.O. R.T. No. 767, Dated 31-12-2019, PR&RD (RWS-II) Department.
2. T.O Endt. No. AEE / DEE (Plg) / exemption of LDs for EOAT / 2019 dated 06-01-2020.
3. U.O. Note No. FMUOASD (WR1) / 80 / 2019 (Comp.No.898809), Dated 29.05.2019.
4. U.O. Note. No. 898809 / FMUWR1 / ASD / 80 / 2019, Dated 18.09.2019.
5. G.O. M.S. No. 8 dated 30-01-2017 of PR&RD (RWS-I) Department.

The attention of Superintending Engineers and Executive Engineers, RWS&S in the State is invited to the references cited. They are well aware that, the works sanctioned prior to 1-4-2019 that were grounded and expenditure less than 25% of original estimated value are affected by the instructions of Finance Department dated 29-05-2019. Subsequently the Finance Department has exempted the NABARD works below 10 Crores from the purview of U.O. Note in reference 2nd cited.

Permission accorded vide G.O in the reference 1st cited to accord Extension of Agreement Time (EoAT) without Liquidated Damages for 113 days duly exempting from G.O. M.S. No. 8, P.R & R.D (RWS-I) Department, Dated 30-01-2017 was communicated to all the Superintending Engineers & Executive Engineers RWS&S Department in the State.

The G.O communicated vide reference 2nd cited clearly reads the following.

1. The G.O is applicable only for the works which fall under the category of grounded and 0-25% expenditure reported to the Government.
2. EoAT for the works can be accorded without LDs from 29.05.2019 to 18.09.2019 i.e., 113 days plus remaining agreement days from 29.05.2019.
3. Beyond the above days, if extension required, the EoAT shall be proposed or granted as per G.O.M.S.No.8 dated 30.01.2017.

As seen from the above, EoAT can be granted by the agreement entering authority by themselves to avoid delay for the 113 exempted days. Beyond that period if EoAT requires the proposal shall be submitted to the competent authority as per GO in the ref 4th cited.

Though clear instructions are issued, it is brought to the notice of the undersigned that some of the Superintending Engineers / Executive Engineers RWS&S in the State are still submitting the EoAT proposals for exempted period which hampers the work.

As such, all the Superintending Engineers/Executive Engineers are requested to follow the instructions scrupulously to avoid contractual problems.

Sd/-
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To
All the Superintending Engineers, RWS&S Circles in the State.
All the Executive Engineers RWS&S Divisions in the State.
Copy to the T-Section for information.

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Deputy Executive Engineer

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