GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

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CIRCULAR

The rules regulating purchase of stock materials and other items required by all Departments of the Government of Sikkim are contained in Chapter X of the Sikkim Financial Rules.

Rule 126 (iii) states that purchases exceeding Rs.10,000/- should normally be made through State Trading Corporation of Sikkim. Procurement of goods and materials by all Departments through STCS was emphasised vide Finance Department Circular No. 18/ Fin. dated 29.9.83, 8/Fin dated 21.7.84 and 2/Fin dated 21.4.94.

It is, however, noticed that the procedure laid down is often violated in purchases being made by the Government Departments.

In compliance with the above rules read with Finance Department Circulars, it is reiterated that all purchases should me made through State Trading Corporation of Sikkim.

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