



THE ASSAM GAZETTE

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FINANCE (ESTABLISHMENT-B) DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 28th January, 2022

No.FEB.224/2021/5.- In pursuance of Rule 24 (1) (2) (iv) of the Assam Public Procurement Rules, 2020 (related to Government e-Marketplace) and all other powers vested in the Finance Department on this behalf, it is hereby directed that:

- Government e-Marketplace (GeM) is mandatory for all procuring entities for procurement of all goods and services that are available in GeM,** except in cases specified below:
 - All the "emergency procurement" and "urgent works" as defined in the Assam Public Procurement Act, 2017 and Assam Public Procurement Rules, 2020.
 - The procurements in the ten statutory Autonomous Councils viz. Moran Autonomous Council, Kamatapur Autonomous Council, Bodo Kachari Welfare Autonomous Council, Matak Autonomous Council, RabhaHasong Autonomous Council, Mising Autonomous Council, Tiwa Autonomous Council, Deori Autonomous Council, ThengalKachari Autonomous Council and SonowalKachari Autonomous Council.
 - Procurement done through Spot Purchase and Request for Quotation (RFQ).
 - Any items to be notified by the Departments with due concurrence of the Finance Department.

2. Nomination of Nodal Officers and Associate Nodal Officers

All procuring entities, as defined under sub-section (2) of Section 3 of the Assam Public Procurement Act, 2017 will nominate one senior officer as "GeM Nodal Officer".

The details of such officers, along with their contact details will be forwarded to the Addl. Project Director, ASPIRe.

In case there is an Assam Finance Service (AFS) officer posted in that particular procuring entity, then such officers will be treated as the "GeM Nodal Officer" by default. In cases where there are no AFS officers posted, the procuring entity may prefer to have the senior most officer handling accounts as the Nodal Officer.

3. Institutional Mechanism to implement GeM in the state

In order to consolidate the cross-departmental experiences and learnings from the implementation of Government e-Marketplace (GeM), a committee comprising of the following members may be constituted

1	Commissioner & Secretary, Finance (Esttb - B)	Chairperson
2	Project Director, ASPIRe or their nominee	Member
3	MD, NHMor their nominee	Member
4	MD, SSAor their nominee	Member
5	Shri Dilip Kumar Borah, IAS, GeM Nodal Officer, Assam	Member
6	Commissioner, Industry and Commerce or their nominee	Member
7	Commissioner, Panchayat & Rural Development or their nominee	Member
8	Secretary, Finance (Esttb - B)	Member
9	Addl. Project Director, ASPIRe	Member Secretary
10	Any other official as deemed appropriate by the Chairperson	Invitee Member

This committee will be primarily responsible for advising the Finance Department about policy matters regarding implementation of GeM.

This shall come into force with immediate effect.

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