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NOTIFICATION

No.G.17012/1/2000-F-EST, the 15th November, 2000. In continuation of this Department's notification No G.17012/1/2000 F.Est.'B' dt. 13.10.2000, it is hereby clarified that the term 'Stores' shall have the same meaning as defined below Section V- 'PURCHASE OF STORES' of Central Treasury rules, and the term is used to indicate all articles and materials required for the public service and coming into an officer's possession for various purposes and includes stationery, furniture, machinery, tools and plant, sports goods, musical instruments, vessels and utensils, etc. The term has a wide coverage of goods and materials and it is hereby clarified in no uncertain terms that the term should not be misconstrued. The said notification became effective from 13.10.2000, i.e., the date of issue of notification.

There may be instances where officers have placed supply, purchase or indent orders without concurrence of Finance Department prior to issue of the said notification but the bills of which had neither been drawn nor presented to the Treasury for payment. In order to remove genuine difficulties, it is hereby clarified that those bills already presented to the Treasury or being presented will be examined and entertained subject to regularity of supply/indent/purchase orders and bills thereof for which ex post facto concurrence of Finance Department should invariably be obtained.

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