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National Highways Authority of India





NHAI/Policy Guidelines/ Miscellaneous/ 2023 Policy Circular No.18.89/ 2023 dated 05th July, 2023

{Decision taken on E-Office File No. NHAI/WSA/2023/2 (Comp. No. 206352)}

Sub: Development of Wayside Amenities along National Highways and Expressways De-scoping of Construction of Wayside Amenities from scope of road contractor and adherence to approved standard layout plans - reg.

Ref: Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Award of Wayside Amenities along National Highways and Expressways vide Circular No. 18.79 dated 11.03.2022

Kind attention is invited to Sr. No. 10 of Policy Circular No. 18.79 dated 11.03.2022, Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Award of Wayside Amenities along National Highways and Expressways, it has been advised that the construction of Wayside Amenities may not be included in scope of road contractor (EPC/HAM/BOT) for Greenfield Expressways and Brownfield National Highway Projects. The construction of boundary wall, approach road, levelling/filling shall only be included in the scope.

- 2. Looking to the past experience of construction of WSA through road contractor viza-viz construction of WSA through private developer, following is decided:
 - a. No construction shall be included in the scope of EPC contractor across Greenfield Expressways and Brownfield National Highways for Wayside Amenities except construction of boundary wall, approach road and levelling/filling.
 - b. In case, construction of WSA is in scope of EPC contractor and development work is not started and at initial stage, the same shall be de-scoped and only items provided in the SOP dt. 11.03.2022 shall be constructed. Additionally, the details of land shall be forwarded to WSA Division for monetization.
 - c. The work of WSA shall be stopped immediately for sites where work is started. In these cases, the following committee is constituted to visit the site and assess the site condition in next 30 days as per request of PD/ GM/ RO concerned:
 - (i) Concerned Regional Officer
 - (ii) Concerned Project Director
 - (iii) Concerned ZO, NHLML

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- 3. Committee shall recommend the feasibility of de-scoping & amount of work already carried out by Contractor or continuation as per the scope of EPC contractor, in case deletion is inevitable. In case of continuation of WSA as per EPC Contract, Committee shall submit their recommendation for engaging specialized agency of building construction and its supervision to have world class WSA. Committee shall also review the layout plan and façade / elevation approved by IE/AE and suggest the changes, if any, along with financial implication. Committee shall submit their recommendation to Competent Authority within 7 days after site visit.
- 4. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

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