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Pr. IFA Wing

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To

All PCsDA/CsDA/IFAs including PCDA HRD and all RTCs

Subject: Deciding Factor of CFA/IFA.

A case regarding procurement and laying of UG Cable, where the estimated cost at AON stage was under the power of higher CFA/IFA and the actual expenditure after TPC/PNC came under the powers of lower CFA/IFA, was brought to the notice of this Wing. The case was referred to the higher CFA viz. CSO, Command for sanction with the concurrence of IFA Command on the ground that the estimated cost of the work falls within the power of the higher CFA, though the final cost after tendering is within the powers of lower CFA.

2. The case has been examined. It is intimated that the sanction for incurring expenditure has to be accorded by the CFA under whose powers the expenditure falls irrespective of the fact that the estimated cost at AON stage was beyond powers delegated to him. However, IFAs before according financial concurrence may ensure that, there is no deliberate attempt by the Executive authorities to reduce the quantity/scope/specifications etc. in order to bring the expenditure within the powers of lower CFA. Further, in such cases, since, the AON has been accorded in consultation with the IFA accredited to the higher CFA, an intimation on this account may be given to the IFA to higher CFA in order to update his records.

Pr. IFA has seen.


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