

PROCUREMENT POLICY OFFICE

Directive No 16 (issued pursuant to section 7 of the Public Procurement Act)

Amendments to Directive 3 and Directive 12

1. Paragraph (IV) and sub-paragraph (k) in Directive 3 issued on 30 April 2010 shall now read as follows:

“failure to submit major supporting documents required by the bidding documents to determine substantial responsiveness of a bid (e.g: (i) evidence of authorization for the signatory to sign the bid on behalf of the company, where applicable; (ii) **evidence of adequacy of cash flow, if so required in the bidding document**, (iii) proposals for sub-contracting more than a set percentage of the Contract Price etc...”

2. Paragraph 2 (b) of Directive 12 issued on 26 December 2012 shall now read as follows:

“For contracts up to Rs 100M, the public body shall either retain money from progressive payments to constitute the preference security **or request a security in the form of a bank guarantee at the selected bidder’s option.**”

3. The Standard Bidding Documents and the Guidelines for evaluation of Works and Goods are being amended accordingly.
4. These amendments take effect immediately. Invitation for Bids that are yet to be closed shall be amended accordingly- time permitting.

Procurement Policy Office
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Note: When undertaking a procurement exercise, please make sure you are using the latest version of the appropriate Standard Bidding Document available on the website of the Procurement Policy Office (<http://ppo.gov.mu>). You may also consult on the site the updated version of the Public Procurement Act and the Regulations made thereunder, as well as circulars issued by the Office.