

Addendum-1

Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) as defined in that MSE Procurement Policy issued by the Department of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME)” are exempt from submission of EMD (Bid security). Bidders claiming exemption from EMD under this rule (170 of GFR) are however required to submit a signed Bid securing declaration accepting that if they withdraw or modify their Bids during the period of validity, or if they are awarded the contract and fail to sign the contract, or submit a performance security before the deadline defined in the request for bid documents, they will be suspended for the period of 12 months from being eligible to submit Bids for tenders issued by NCPOR.