Government of West Bengal Finance Department Audit Branch

No.: 4245-F(Y)

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Kolkata, the 28th May, 13.

MEMORANDUM

Subject :

Clarification regarding exemption from payment of Earnest Money and Security Deposit given to SSI units participating in Government tenders.

The undersigned is directed to state in clarification of the Department's Notification No. 10500-F, dated 19/11/04 that exemption from payment of Earnest Money and Security Deposit given to Small Scale Industrial (SSI) units under rules 47A(1) and 47B(7) of West Bengal Financial Rules, Volume-I is applicable to supply contracts only and not to works contracts.

Such units participating in works tender will have to deposit Earnest Money and if selected, Performance Security/ Security Deposit as usual.

Sd/- H.K.Dwivedi

Principal Secretary to the Government of West Bengal, Finance Department.

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