

66546/Manual/ 771 /E8

07 March 2018

List 'A' & 'B'
ADG (OF & DRDO)

REQUIREMENT OF LICENSE FOR CARRYING OUT ELECTRICAL WORKS

1. Reference this HQ letter No. 66546/Manual/700/E8 dt 06 Nov 2017
2. Clarification on points raised by certain CE, Zone on above referred letter have been circulated vide this HQ letter No.33445/Adm-1/750/E8 dt 30 Jan 2018 .
3. A few other issue on this HQ letter at ref have also been raised, which are re-produced below:-

(i) Please refer para 3 of the letter (at ref) line 1 &2 – No Electrical work including additions, alterations, repairs and adjustments to existing installations Includes all categories related to Electricity, this clearly means internal wiring, external electrification , cranes & lift related maintenance and repair works, air condition repair, maintenance, Manning and operation of Electrical Installations.

Please refer para 3 of the letter line 6 to 9-


- a) Line 6&7- No Electrical.....except by an electrical Contractor licensed in this behalf by the State Govt. This clearly means the firm should have Electrical Contractor License to carry out any type of electrical work mentioned. Please note and confirm that Electrical Contractor License is to be on Firm's Name not on personal name.
- b) Line 7&8-.... Under the direct supervision of a person holding a certificate of competency- This specifies the Supervisor Certificate of competency the supervisor is the employee of the contractor on the muster issued by State Govt. and he has to give the bond of under taking that he is not working in any other firm/company of the same capacity.
- c) Line 8&9 and by a person holding permit issued and recognized by the State Govt. This specifies the wire man permit the wireman is the employee of the contractor on the muster issued by State Govt.

(ii) The contractor is a Employer not a Employee and the contractor (owner/partner) cannot be the employee of the firm/company of the same capacity. This can be verified and confirmed by any State Govt Electrical Contractor Licensing Authority/Central Electricity Authority, Electrical Inspectorate Authority, 6th Floor Sewa Bhawan, R K Puram, New Delhi-110066.

The extract of above points is that the supervisor and wiremen are competency and permit certificates respectively and these are not licenses. Please go through the certificates issued by State Govt. These certificates are valid for the life time and the Electrical Contractor License has specific validity period by State Govt. Please confirm from Central Electricity Authority, Electrical Inspectorate Authority, 6th floor Sewa Bhavan RK Puram, New Delhi-110066.

Therefore Para 4(c) line 5 to 8 and 4(d) line 2&3 are required to be reviewed before the streamlining the implementation of the Rule 45 of Indian Electricity Rules 1956 by your Office. That too with due confirmation from Central Electricity Authority, Electrical Inspectorate Authority, 6th Floor, Sewa Bhavan, RK Puram, New Delhi-110066”.

4. Please go through the contents of para 3 above and offer your comments thereon latest by 19 Mar 2018, for our further necessary action.


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Dir (Contracts)
for Engineer-in-Chief

Copy to:-

List 'B'

Internal

E4 (U)

for info & comments pl

✓ Nodal Officer :

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