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Ministry of Home Affairs/गृह मंत्रालय  
Police Modernization Division/पुलिस आधुनिकीकरण प्रभाग  
Prov.I/संभरण-I

26, Man Singh Road,  
Jaisalmer House, New Delhi

**Subject: Procurement of Automobiles on Government e-Marketplace through direct purchase.**

Reference is invited to Department of Expenditure's OM No.F.1/26/2018-PPD dated 02.04.2019 and 09.08.2021 vide which the ceiling of direct purchase in the case of procurement of Automobiles through GeM Portal was fixed as ₹30,00,000/- (copy enclosed).

2. Keeping in view the problems highlighted by CAPFs in adopting the modified procedure of direct purchase in case of procurement of Automobiles, this Ministry had taken up the issue of restoration of earlier practice of direct purchase for procurement of vehicles on GeM without any ceiling instead of following newly inducted bidding process with Department of Expenditure.

3. Now, the Department of Expenditure has intimated that they have issued necessary instruction to GeM vide OM No.F.6/17/2021-PPD dated 18.01.2022. It has been decided that procurement of automobiles on GeM, through direct purchase shall be permitted without any ceiling limit (copy enclosed). CAPFs may take requisite action accordingly.

Encl: As above.

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MHA U.O. Note No.IV-24011/27/2018-Prov-I /39 dated 21.01.2022

21/1/22 at 1646 hrs

No.F.6/17/2021-PPD  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
(Procurement Policy Division)

264 C, North Block, New Delhi.  
18<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject:- Procurement of Automobiles through Government e-Marketplace.**

Currently direct purchase of automobiles on Government e-Marketplace (GeM) is permitted upto Rs. 30 lakh, beyond which bidding is mandatory. Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) has proposed for permitting direct purchase of automobiles to any value on Government e Marketplace (GeM), as was being permitted by GeM in past. Additionally it is stated that, procurement through the bidding process consumes significant time, thereby reducing efficiency of Central Armed Police Forces.

2. The matter has been reviewed in view of representation of MHA and it has been decided that procurement of automobiles on GeM, through direct purchase shall be permitted without any ceiling limit. Further, GeM catalogues/ listings should have a provision for slab-wise prices (slabs based on quantity of automobiles being purchased).

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