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## **OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Sub: Selection of Banks for e-Payment.

The undersigned is directed to state that queries are being raised by States/UTs using NIC's e-procurement solution GEPNIC, whether they can utilise the payment gateways of banks of their choice i.e. any Govt. or private banks for e-payments. In this regard, it is clarified that States/UTs are free to utilise the services of any bank of their choice. Department of Commerce has no role in selection of banks.

- 2. However, the payment gateways of chosen banks shall require integration with NIC's e-payment software. It is thus advised that the NIC software development team may be contacted to enable them to understand the technical modalities of integrating the payment gateway of the bank selected, prior to integrating it with existing NIC's e-payment software.
- 3. In case of any queries, e-Procurement PMU may be contacted on phone no. 011-23062805 and e-mail ID: <a href="mailto:eproc-mmp@nic.in">eproc-mmp@nic.in</a> copy to <a href="mailto:shlok.b@nic.in">shlok.b@nic.in</a>, during office hours.

(Er. S. Bhardwaj)

Director

Nodal Officer (e-Procurement)

To:

All Nodal Officers of States/UTs using GEPNIC solution

(as per list attached)

Copy to:

- 1. All NIC Officer of States/UTs using GEPNIC solution (as per list attached).
- 2. Smt. Usha Saxena, TD, NIC-HQ, CGO Complex, New Delhi.
- 3. Shri K.S. Raghavan, STD, NIC Chennai.