

STQC/IT & eGov/Procurement/2021
Government of India
Standardisation Testing & Quality Certification Directorate
Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology

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6, CGO Complex,
New Delhi - 110003
Dated: 03.01.2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Exemption of IT tools and hardware from Make in India (MII) order - Regarding

This has reference to the exemption request made by Standardisation Testing & Quality Certification Directorate for Information Technology Tools and hardware procurement for specified tasks like Testing, Auditing, and Assessments etc. from 50% and 60% local content criterion and thereafter allowed to go for procurement as per GFR Rules for the listed items.

2. In this regard, the Government has issued Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order 2017 vide the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT) Order No. P-45021/2/2017-B.E.-II dated 15.06.2017, as amended by Orders dated 28.05.2018, 29.05.2019, 04.06.2020 and 16.09.2020 to encourage 'Make in India' and promote manufacturing and production of goods and services in India with a view to enhancing income and employment. STQC has sought exemption as per MII order of DPIIT dt. 16 Sept 2020, wherein Hon'ble Minister is the competent authority.

3. In this regard, I am directed to convey the approval of Hon'ble Minister of Electronics and Information Technology for exemption of the Information Technology Tools and hardware used for specified tasks like Testing, Auditing, and Assessments etc. from local content criterion vide F.No. STQC/IT & eGov/Procurement/2021 dated 31.12.2021 for the items listed in Annexure -I enclosed herewith.

4. STQC Directorate to adhere to Public Procurement (Preference to Make in India) Order 2017 by DPIIT and Electronic Product Notification by MeitY as amended from time to time with the exemptions stated in Para 3 above.

This issue with the approval of competent authority.

Encl: Annexure -I

To

1. O/o. Hon'ble MEIT - For Information
2. O/o. Hon'ble MoS E&IT - For Information
3. O/o. Secretary (MeitY) - For Information
4. O/o. Additional Secretary (MeitY) - For Information
5. O/o. DG STQC - For Information

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6. O/o Secretary, DPIIT & Chairman, Standing Committee on PPP-MII Order 2017
7. IPHW/Cyber Security Division, MeitY
8. All STQC Labs/Centres.
9. All Groups of STQC HQ.
10. STQC Website – for upload.
11. Intra STQC website – for upload

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Annexure- 1**A. Software Tools Licenses for IT Security Testing**

| Sl. No | Name of the software for which License to be procure for USE | OEM |
|---------------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | 3 Yrs. On-Premises Subscription License for "Nessus Vulnerability Scanner" | TenableInc, USA |
| 2 | 3 Yrs. On-Premises Subscription License For "Nexpose" Network Vulnerability Scanner | Rapid7, USA |
| 3 | 3 Yrs. On-Premises Subscription License for "Burpsuite Professional" | Portswigger, UK |
| 4 | 3 Yrs. On-Premises Subscription License for "BurpsuiteEnterprise" [For multiple simultaneous use] | Portswigger, UK |
| 5 | 3 years Single User License for "Acunetix Consultant" software | Accinetix, UK |
| 6 | 3 years On-Premises Subscription License for Netsparker Consultant tool | Netsparker, UK |
| 7 | Perpetual license for HCL Appscan Standard ver. 10 .0.3 or higher | HCL, USA |
| 8 | LDRA Tool Suite-Audit license for C, C++, JAVA | LDRA Technology, UK |
| 9 | Fortify Static Code Analyser | Micro Focus, UK |
| 10 | JAWS Inspect-Website testing Tool | TPGi, USA |
| 11 | Power mapper Sortsite professional | PowerMapper, UK |
| 12 | Metasploit: Penetration testing with more than 1,500 exploits ,import of network data scan ,Network discovery ,Basic exploitation, MetaModules for discrete tasks such as network segmentation testing ,Integrations via Remote API | Rapid7, USA |
| 13 | Windows Server OS | Microsoft, USA |

B. Hardware requirement for IT Testing Services (Security /Performance/ Common Criteria/Functional)

| Sl. No | Name of the IT Hardware necessary for IT Testing | OEM |
|---------------|--|----------------------|
| 1 | Laptop with CPU: Intel Core i7, RAM:16 GB or higher, Storage(min): 1 TB HDD or 512 GB SSD, OS: Windows 10 Prof., Warrenty:3 yrs | HP/DELL/ACER/ Lenovo |
| 2 | MacBook with Intel core 9i or better turbo boost upto 8 Gz with 16 MB shared L3 cache or better | Apple, USA |
| 3 | Server (rack mount) with CPU-1 Intel Xenon 8 Core per CPU , RAM-DDR4 ECC-32 GB(min), HDD Interface-SAS, HDD Size-8 x 1 TB, SAS ., Raid level 5, Power Supply-Dual, Network Card: 1G,10G, OS: MS Windows 2016 or later 64 bit | HP/DELL |

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| 4 | Rack mounted Server, No.of processor-2, Processor type- 12 core or more Xeon Intel, RAM-128GB or More, SAS Storage Harddisk or SSD of 4 x1 TB or more, RAID 5, redundant power supply and ethernetport,Certification Compliance (OS): Windows, Red Hat, Ubuntu Virtualization: VM ware, HyperV; Warranty 3 years or more. | HP/DELL |
| 5 | Router- min. 2 network interfaceand OSPF,IS-IS, BGP,EGRP, Static IPv4 & IPv6 routing wth Redundant power supply & rack mountable | HP/ Cisco |
| 6 | Firewall/UTM: Rack mountedwith 8 or more interfaces, at least 1.5 Gbps throughput, IPv6 Ready and capable of at least 8 VPNs | Fortinet/Checkpoint/Watchguard/Sophos |
| 7 | Desktop Computers: Intel Core i7 processor, 16GB RAM, 512GB SSDor 1TB HDD; OS:Windows 10 Professional | HP/DELL/ACER/ Lenovo |
| 8 | Desktop Computers: Intel Core i7 processor, 32GB RAM, 1TB HDD; OS: Windows 10 Professional | HP/DELL/ACER/ Lenovo |

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