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Subject: Incorporating the performance of the contractor in his completed and/or on-going projects in the prequalification of contractors to bid for the construction of projects of the Ministry of Public Highways

The performance of the contractor in his completed and/or on-going projects should have a significant influence in the prequalification of contractors who desire to bid for the construction of projects of the Ministry of Public Highways.

In determining the contractor's rating for experience, it is directed that the rating arrived at by applying the procedure provided for in Department Orders Nos. 128 and 134 be reduced by as much as the highest per cent of delay attributable to and incurred by the contractor in the construction of his latest completed project for the highways ministry. The reduction shall be applied to the ratio between the cost of the single largest-cost relevant project the contractor has completed and the estimated cost of the project to be bid, the result of which shall then be multiplied by the assigned weight for the contractor's experience.

Under no circumstances shall a contractor be prequalified to bid for the implementation of any project of the highways ministry if at the time of submission of the application for prequalification the contractor shall have incurred a delay, attributed to the contractor, of more than 15% on anyone of his on-going projects for the highways ministry. Until such time when he shall have recovered from the delay and reduced said delay to less than 15% shall same contractor be considered for prequalification.

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