



RAIL WHEEL FACTORY
OFFICE OF THE MATERIAL MANAGEMENT DIVISION
YELAHANKA-106
E-PROCUREMENT: CONVENIENT, EFFICIENT AND TRANSPARENT
IMPORTANT MESSAGE

With a view to improve efficiency and transparency in procurement being made by Railways, RWF under the directions of the Railway Board has introduced web based Electronic Procurement systems for all types of tenders.

To be eligible to quote against the e-tenders which are being loaded on the Indian Railways e-procurement portal i.e., <http://www.ireps.gov.in>, vendor should be registered with ireps.gov.in. Digital signature certificate class-III(b) issued by CA approved by Govt. of India is mandatory for registering with ireps.gov.in.

Vendors desirous of taking part in the tenders of RWF are advised to visit the website: <http://www.ireps.gov.in> and get registered on line. This registration is mandatory for participation in e-tendering and is free of charge. You can register your firm on the portal by following these steps.

- a) Connect to the website: <http://www.ireps.gov.in>.
- b) Click "new vendor" link and fill in the form, sign and submit using your class-III(b) digital signature certificate.
- c) Keep a watch on your e-mail. The user id and password of ireps will be sent to you through e-mail. You can change your password after first login.
- d) Inform RWF through e-mail your ireps user id and vendor code given by RWF.

It may kindly be noted that w.e.f. 15/12/2008 the present system of manual tendering will be dispensed off with and enquiries will be sent through e-tendering only. Also offers in physical format will not be accepted in any case against e-tenders.

So if you are desirous of continuing as a vendor with RWF and wish to continue taking part in RWF Tenders and gain Purchase orders, you need to register with ireps now.

If you are already registered with <http://www.ireps.gov.in>, then you may disregard the above letter, but don't forget to inform your user id and vendor code of RWF to us.