

OFFICE OF THE MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT
CIVIL HOSPITAL PALAMPUR, DISTRICT KANGRA (H.P.)

No. HFW/MS-CH/PLP/2026-27/ 4866

Dated: 9/07/2026

OFFICE ORDER

Subject: Cancellation of Tender for Washing of Linen Articles of Civil Hospital, Palampur.

Whereas, sealed tenders were invited for the work of **Washing of Linen Articles** for Civil Hospital, Palampur for the period up to **31.03.2028**, and three bidders participated in the tender process.

Whereas, on evaluation of the financial bids, **M/s Baldev Kumar, R/o Suraj Kund Road, Kangra** emerged as the **L-1 bidder**. Since the rates quoted by the L-1 bidder were found to be substantially higher than the rates approved under the previous contract, the Tender Committee, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the tender document, decided to negotiate the rates with the L-1 bidder.

Whereas, a Negotiation Committee Meeting was held on **27.06.2026**, during which the L-1 bidder voluntarily agreed to reduce the quoted rates. However, he did not sign the negotiated rate statement and requested one week's time to make necessary arrangements.

Whereas, thereafter this office issued **Notice No. 4666 dated 06.07.2026** and **Second Notice No. 4762 dated 08.07.2026**, calling upon the bidder to submit his acceptance of the negotiated rates. In response, the bidder, vide his e-mail dated **08.07.2026**, declined to accept the negotiated rates and stated that the rates originally quoted by him did not require any negotiation.

Whereas, the Tender Committee, in its meeting held on **09.07.2026**, examined the entire matter along with the relevant provisions of the tender document and unanimously concluded that the refusal of the L-1 bidder to accept the negotiated rates had rendered the tender incapable of finalization. The Committee, therefore, recommended cancellation of the present tender and inviting a fresh tender in the interest of the institution.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in the Competent Authority under the terms and conditions of the tender document, particularly the provisions relating to negotiation, acceptance/rejection of tenders and re-tendering, and on the recommendations of the Tender Committee, the tender for the work of **Washing of Linen Articles of Civil Hospital, Palampur** is hereby cancelled with immediate effect.

It is further ordered that a **fresh tender** for the said work be invited at the earliest in accordance with the prescribed procedure to ensure uninterrupted washing services in the hospital.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Medical Superintendent
Civil Hospital, Palampur

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Copy to:

1. M/s Baldev Kumar, R/o Suraj Kund Road, Kangra, for information.
2. M/s Zenith Event & Services, for information.
3. Sh. Shubham Rana, Ambika Vihar, Kangra, for information.
4. Office file.

Medical Superintendent
Civil Hospital, Palampur

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