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MOST URGENT

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Shri Narendra Modi Ji,
Hon'ble Prime Minister of India,
New Delhi-110001

Subject:- Reminder to complaint against ADG (Planning & Provisioning), PHQ, Chhattisgarh Mr Pradeep Gupta IPS and Mr Ashok Juneja, IPS DGP Chhattisgarh for **Corruption in purchase of Bullet Proof Jackets in Chhattisgarh Police** in collusion with Anil Tuteja, mastermind of Liqour Scam in Chhattisgarh.

Reference:- In pursuance to previous complaints that have been suppressed under the garb of **fake Enquiry** report submitted by the delinquent officers themselves

Hon'ble Sir,

In the above matter, it is respectfully submitted before your honour for your honour for your kind and favorable consideration and necessary action as under:

1. The undersigned being a social activist has from time to time drawn the kind attention of your office with regard to various issues of corruption in Public offices of Chhattisgarh Government *during the tenure of Mr. Bhupesh Baghel, the then CM of Chhattisgarh.*
2. The undersigned has already filed complaint related to the corruption in the purchase of Bullet proof jackets by Shri Pradeep Gupta, IPS and Ashok Juneja, IPS for security personnel deployed in Maoist areas of Chhattisgarh with an objective to favour ineligible bidder Pragati Defence Systems Pvt Ltd , Bilaspur.
3. For the sake of brevity, the action/inaction of the delinquent officers in order to make the ineligible bidder as eligible for the purchase of bullet



proof jackets at bloated rates not only compromising the security of the Jawans but also causing loss to the exchequer are summed up below:

- i. M/s. Pragati Defence Systems Pvt Ltd , Bilaspur managed its first purchase order from Chhattisgarh Police by submitting false and fabricated documents related to turnover and experience, which have been conveniently accepted by Mr Pradeep Gupta in contrast to other experienced bidders who were disqualified on frivolous grounds.
- ii. Since August 2019 4 tenders were floated one after the other gradually relaxing the subsequent tender conditions in order to benefit the ineligible company Pragati Defence Systems Pvt Ltd , Bilaspur. All the 4 RFPs should be immediately examined in details.
- iii. Strangely, Pragati Defence Systems Pvt Ltd , Bilaspur was incorporated in 2021 during the tendering process itself , therefore experience of the said company is out of question. It was made eligible through the back door by Mr Pradeep Gupta.
- iv. In order that Pragati Defence Systems Pvt Ltd remains the lone bidder to deprive any future bench mark comparison with regard to price/quality, systematically other more eligible and experienced bidders were rejected on one frivolous ground or the other.
- v. The conduct of the delinquent officers is highly objectionable wherein acting as judge in their own cause, a *fake inquiry report* has been submitted by the same officers who are involved in the purchase of these scandalized bullet proof jackets. Therefore, these delinquent officers have left no stone unturned to mislead the Hon'ble Chief Minister and Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister (Home) by submitting false reports.
- vi. In fact as per sources this company does not exist on the address declared by it. Therefore, no question of producing the desired product. In fact it appears to be a shell company producing bullet proof jackets.



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- vii. It is well known that Bullet proof jackets is not a propriety item. Therefore, no question of purchasing them on single participant basis. Despite, the above fact, in order to serve his own interests Mr Anil Tuteja, in violation of purchase rules gave permission to buy the above said bullet proof jackets on single participant basis.
- viii. Further, perusal of file will show that the **Technical report** defining specifications of the jackets has been signed only by one contractual appointee Mr Rajnish Sharma of STF who has no legal responsibility whatsoever instead of other more experienced officers Sh Sundarraj P, IPS (Presently IG Bastar) , Sh Mayank Srivastava (Presently IG/Commissioner Public Relations) and Sh Devnath AIG (ANO/SIB) as mentioned in the report.
4. In view of above incriminating facts a senior administrative officer of ACS level should be nominated to dispassionately conduct this inquiry on the following issues:
- i. Examine all 4 RFPs to know how gradually tender conditions were relaxed to favour first timer ineligible company Pragati Defense System Pvt Ltd to be awarded the supply order.
 - ii. Eligibility documents (related to minimum turnover, previous supply orders, technical expertise/experience etc) of Pragati Defense System Pvt Ltd should be subjected to minute verification to find out their genuineness .
 - iii. Examine as to how in all the 4 bids, more experienced and technically more competent bidders were disqualified to accommodate M/s. Pragati Defense System Pvt Ltd.

Anticipating an action and reply from your end in Public interest

Yours faithfully,


(Naresh Chander Gupta)