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Subject : Submission of cases to Expenditure Finance Committee — Instructions regarding — Procedure of revised estimate costing Rs 1 crore and above

In an inter-departmental meeting held under the Chairmanship of Secretary (E) on 19.12.1979 to discuss matters relating to cost/time over run on National Highway works it was *inter alia* decided that cases where the revised cost of work may be over Rs 1 crore and expenditure has been incurred beyond the permissible limit, the file should be put up to the Minister for Shipping and Transport and Finance Minister for orders. It has since been decided in consultation with the Finance Division that such cases may be put up to Minister for Shipping and Transport only after these have been cleared by the Finance Division. After obtaining the approval of Minister for Shipping and Transport the file may be referred to Finance Division again for obtaining the orders/approval of Finance Minister.