

TEQIP II – Procurement Management Support System (PMSS)

The first requirement of submission of Institutional Procurement Plans through PMSS and subsequent review and approval of the same has been successfully completed or in the process of completion. Consequent step for the institutions is to execute its Procurement Plan making it imperative for SPFUs to be more aware on following points.

- All procurement in TEQIP II will be fully processed and monitored through Procurement Management Support System (PMSS) and any procurement outside it will have no recognition.
- Procurement under the project TEQIP is fully decentralized and all individual institutions are the procuring entities on their own.
- To facilitate the implementation of PMSS, SPFUs are expected to train and retrain the institutional users and provide the requisite handholding with support of NPIU.
- To ensure implementation of procurement in compliance with procurement policy as,
 - ✓ **Transparency, fairness and fraud prevention** is important to ensure accountability and proper utilization of funds
 - ✓ **Equal opportunity** ensures that the suppliers/sellers have equal opportunity to compete
 - ✓ **Economy and Efficiency** means that goods and services to be procured at their true worth
 - ✓ **Effectiveness** means that the goods and services procured will help to achieve project goals & objectives