# **Job Function: Procurement Manager**

**Department**- Administration & Facilities

**<u>Sub Department -</u>** Central Functions- Procurement & Expense Payable

**Designation/ Grade-** Manager to Chief Manager

Reporting to - Lead- Procurement & Expense Payable

### **Profile Summary**

The Procurement Manager plays a crucial role in ensuring efficient and effective procurement process. The incumbent at this position is responsible for managing administrative tasks related to procurement, vendor relationships, and contract management.

## **Job Description**

### 1. Purchase Requisition Processing:

- Review and process purchase requisitions from Admin department/Internal stake holders.
- Ensure that requisitions comply with company procurement policies and guidelines.
- > Liaise with internal teams to clarify product specifications and timelines.

## 2. Vendor Sourcing and Development:

- Identify potential suppliers based on the requirements of the organization.
- Conduct Pre-qualification of vendors on cost, capabilities, and quality parameters.
- > Support the development and maintenance of vendor relationships.

#### 3. Quotation and Purchase Orders:

- Prepare & float RFQ/ RFP/ Bid/Tender
- Obtain offers from multiple suppliers/ vendors, carry out market benchmarking and evaluate.
- Effective negotiations to ensure the best price and value
- Create and issue purchase orders in the procurement system.

#### 4. Cost Management and Optimization:

- > Identifying cost-saving opportunities through negotiations, vendor management, and strategic sourcing.
- Monitor market trends, pricing, and availability of goods to ensure that the organization benefits from optimal procurement costs.

## 5. Compliance and Regulatory Requirements:

- Ensure that all procurement activities comply with internal policies, legal standards, and regulatory requirements.
- > Stay updated on relevant laws and regulations affecting procurement and supply chain operations.
- Responsible for Vendor/ supplier exits from system as per Internal Risk governance.

### 6. Vendor Performance Management:

- Carry out vendor performance assessment on delivery timelines, product quality, and adherence to contracts.
- Conduct vendor evaluation and provide recommendations for improvement or alternate sourcing options.

## 7. Documentation and Record Keeping:

- Create Vendor agreements in coordination with legal and execute including timely renewals.
- Maintain an accurate database of all purchase orders, vendor agreements, and correspondence.
- > Ensure all procurement records are up-to-date and accessible for audits and reviews.
- > Track and report key procurement metrics to reduce expenses and improve efficiency.

## 8. Inventory and Stock Monitoring:

- Collaborate with the FM/PM team to monitor stock levels and initiate purchase orders for replenishment.
- Coordinate with the FM/PM team to ensure that ordered items are received, inspected, and stored properly.

## 9. Payments and Billing Coordination:

- Work closely with the finance and billing teams to ensure timely payments to vendors.
- Address any discrepancies between purchase orders, invoices, and delivery receipts.

#### 10. Risk Mitigation:

- Identifying and mitigating risks associated with supplier reliability, contract terms, and market fluctuations.
- Ensure continuity in the supply chain by maintaining strong vendor relationships and backup sourcing options.

#### 11. Stakeholder Collaboration:

- Liaise with internal stakeholders to ensure that their procurement needs are met within the agreed timelines.
- Provide support to PM/FM team for special procurement requests and urgent purchases.

### 12. Process Improvement and Automation:

- Suggest process improvements and initiate automation to streamline procurement workflows.
- Contribute to special projects related to procurement efficiency, such as adopting new procurement technologies or tools.

## 13. Reporting and Analysis:

- Generate and provide regular procurement reports, including spend analysis, vendor performance, and cost savings.
- Assist in budget planning and forecasting related to procurement needs.

#### 14. Adherence to Code of Conduct:

- Ensure compliance with the company's ethical standards and procurement code of conduct
- Maintain the highest level of integrity and transparency in all procurement activities.

## **Qualifications and Experience:**

**Qualifications/ Education –** Any bachelor's degree, preferably in business administration, supply chain management, or a related field is preferred.

#### **Experience:**

- Minimum of 5 years of experience in procurement, sourcing, or purchasing roles, preferably in the financial services or NBFC sector.
- > Experience with procurement software or ERP systems

#### **Knowledge and Skills:**

- Strong understanding of procurement processes, supplier management, and market analysis.
- Proficiency in procurement software, ERP systems, and Microsoft Excel.
- Excellent organizational and time management skills.
- > Strong communication and negotiation skills to interact with vendors and internal stakeholders.
- Ability to manage multiple priorities and meet deadlines.
- Knowledge of relevant procurement laws and regulations