

**Controller of Stores, Punjab,**  
**Dept. of Industries & Commerce.**

The Stores Purchase Organization came into existence in 1951. This Central Purchase Organization had been made for the purpose of development of small scale Industrial Units of the States. The State Government decided that the Controller of Stores, Punjab in the Deptt. Of Industries, Punjab will work like DGS&D, New Delhi as purchase agency. This Organization is arranging annual rate contract of those items which are of common use in the Government Departments of the state according to Punjab Financial Rules. The different Departments of state purchase these items directly after placing supply orders to the parties placed on Rate Contract.

Besides this, the Controller of Stores, Punjab has started E-Tendering System since October-2010 and all the Tenders are invited online on Punjab Government Website. This results decrease in advertisement as well as stationery expenditures and saved the time. The tenders are uploaded on the Punjab Govt. website [www.etender.punjabgovt.gov.in](http://www.etender.punjabgovt.gov.in). All the details of the published tenders are available on this website.