

Guidelines on procurement of jammers

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➤ Norms for Procurement of Jammers.	Jammers are essentially radio frequency transmitters that are designed to block all radio communication on any device that operates on radio frequencies within its range.
➤ Norms for use of jammers in Examination centres.	As per Department of Telecommunication, jammers come under the purview of Indian Wireless Telegraphy Act 1933 (IWTA 1933) and the Act lays down that license is required for possession and use of jammers.
➤ List of current approved make/model of jammers.	
➤ Registration of vendors.	
➤ Download Proforma	Under FTDR Act 1992, Jammers are restricted items and license is required from DGFT for importing jammers into India. The license is granted in consultation with the O/o Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat.
➤ FAQs	
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	<u>Please see our FAQ section for more details about possession and use of jammers. (hyperlink)</u>

PROCUREMENT OF JAMMERS

For procurement and use of jammers by State/Union Territories, Defence forces and Central Police Organization (CPOs), norms have been evolved by the O/o Secretary(Security), Cabinet Secretariat. Private sector organization and or private individuals cannot procure/use jammers in India. These norms take into account the need to guard against random proliferation of jammers as well as to ensure that jammers installed do not unduly interfere with the existing mobile phone networks.

NORMS FOR PROCUREMENT OF JAMMERS -

1. Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat is the nodal authority for granting permission/clearance for procurement of jammers.
2. Prior permission of Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat must be obtained in the prescribed [proforma\(hyperlink\)](#) before procurement of jammer.
3. Jammers can be procured only by state Police Department of Jail authorities, Central Govt. security agencies.
4. The permission for procurement of jammer is granted in consultation with SPG & IB who maintain a database of available jammers.
5. Currently Jammer models manufactured by M/s ECIL & M/s BEL are evaluated by a Board of Officers and only those models can be procured which have been found suitable by them. List of current approved make/model of jammers can be found here [\(hyperlink\)](#). Central/State PSUs, desirous of manufacturing jammers, can apply to the security, giving details of the model, the source of technology. The request would be processed in consultation with security agencies.
6. Inviting open tender from unauthorized manufacturers is a violation of the policy of Government of India in this regard.
7. For seeking prior permission for installation of jammers in jails, the total number of jammers required for installation in prisons need to be assessed by Jail Authorities in consultation with the local office of the Wireless Adviser, D/o Telecommunications, Government of India before the proposal is submitted for seeking approval of Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat.
8. Approval of Secretary (Security) for procurement of jammers may be sought in prescribed [proforma-I \(hyperlink\)](#) duly filled in all respects.

9. Proforma-I [\(hyperlink\)](#) for seeking permission in respect of the procurement of jammers can be downloaded from www.cabsec.nic.in
10. In case of movement of SPG Protectees in the vicinity, all type of jammers procured by government agencies should be deployed in consultation with SPG.

Statutory examination conducting bodies under Union Government/State Government/Union Territory Administrations are also allowed to deploy jammers in examination halls.

**NORMS FOR STATUTORY EXAMINATION CONDUCTING BODIES
DESIRIOUS OF USING JAMMERS IN EXAMINATION CENTRES:-**

1. The statutory examination conducting bodies are allowed to deploy low powered jammers to prevent cheating during examinations. The same would not however be through procurement/ownership of the equipment. They would be given permission only to take it on lease basis and would therefore have to pay only for using jammers on the specific date of examination.
2. The examination body may consider deployment of jammers in sensitive examination centres based on past experience and other inputs rather than deployment in all centres across the country.
3. However such jammers would be manufactured only by vendors approved by Secretary (Security) (at present M/s. ECIL and M/s. BEL are the approved vendors whose models are being evaluated by security agencies. The list of vendors is likely to expand with other Central/State/PSUs offering their equipment.
4. For this purpose statutory examination conducting bodies may seek prior approval of Secretary (Security) in approved proforma-II [\(hyperlink\)](#) giving details of examination centres where jammers are to be deployed.
5. The examination conducting bodies should send a calendar of examinations, to be conducted by them, well in advance, indicating the centres selected for deployment of jammers so that their request can be processed by Office of Secretary (Security) and consolidated clearance on annual basis be given by this office.
6. Operating the jammer would be the responsibility of the concerned vendor and the latter would have to ensure the functioning and effectiveness of the equipment. This would also ensure that no tampering is done by any local element at the examination centre.

7. A certificate form will also be taken after completion of each examination that proper accounting has been done for the jammers deployed and none of the jammers are missing.
8. The expenditure involved in deployment of jammers will be borne by the examination conducting bodies and payment will be made only on the number of jammers deployed on that particular day.
9. Public Sector vendors will be responsible for safe upkeep of the jammers and will also ensure that the jammers keep pace with changing face of technology.

PROCEDURE FOR REGISTRATION OF PSU VENDORS:

Any central or state government undertaking, with requisite manufacturing capability and necessary technology can request for registration as a Jammer manufacturer. They are to apply to Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat, giving details regarding specifications of the equipment offered, source of technology, model make and name etc.

The application would be processed in consultation with security agencies and once registered the vendor will have to bring their jammer for evaluation/trials by security agencies and only after successful clearance, will get included in the approved vendor list.

APROVED MODELS OF JAMMERS

Following type of jammers have been approved for procurement by Defence Forces/CAPFs/State Police/Jail Authorities/Statutory Examination conducting bodies: -

S.No.	Name of Company	Jammer Model
	<u>Vehicle Mounted Jammer</u>	
1.	M/s Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)	STRIDE MK-1
2.	-do-	STRIDE MK-III (Portable Mini Jammer)
3.	Electronics Corporation of India Limited (ECIL)	SVJEE-1100
4.	-do-	EC-SPJE-400
	<u>Static Cell Phone Jammer</u>	
5.	M/s Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)	JTLS-201
6.	M/s Bharat Electronics Limited	JTLS 301 (for connectivity upto 4G)
7.	M/s Electronics Corporation of India Limited (ECIL)	SJJE-200
8.	- do -	ECHP 3962h
9.	M/s Electronics Corporation of India Limited (ECIL)	EC-SJJE-200M1(for connectivity upto 4G)
	<u>Low Powered Jammers</u>	
9.	M/s Electronics Corporation of India Limited (ECIL)	EC SJ555B (for connectivity upto 3G)
10.	M/s Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)	CJR 05 (for connectivity upto 4G) CJR 02 (for connectivity upto 3G)
11.	M/s Bharat Electronics Limited (BEL)	CJR 05 with B41/Wi-Fi (5GHz) applique unit

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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Q. Who can buy/use jammers?

Ans. Jammers can be bought/used by Ministries/Departments of Govt. of India, State Governments/Union Territory Administration (Defence Forces, Central Security Organisations, Police Departments and Jail Authorities), and statutory examination conducting bodies of Govt. of India/ State Governments/Union Territory Administrations.

Private sector organisations cannot procure/use jammers in India.

Q. Who is the nodal authority for granting permission for procurement of jammers?

Ans. Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat, Govt. of India is the nodal authority for granting permission for procurement of jammers.

Q. How is permission granted?

Ans. Prior permission of Secretary (Security), Cabinet Secretariat must be obtained in the prescribed proforma-I([hyperlink](#)) before procurement of a jammer. Proforma-I for seeking permission in respect of the procurement of jammers can be downloaded from www.cabsec.nic.in.

Q. Which jammer model can I buy?

Ans. Jammer models made available by M/s ECIL & M/s BEL are evaluated by SPG & IB and only those models can be procured which have been found suitable by SPG & IB.

Q. Can I buy jammers from any agency?

Ans. Inviting open tender from unauthorized manufacturers is a violation of the policy of Government of India. At present only jammer model manufactured by ECIL/BEL and evaluated by SPG & IB can be bought.

Q. Can I import jammers into India?

Ans. No. A license from DGFT is required for this purpose.

Q. How is permission for statutory examination conducting bodies granted?

Ans. The same procedure is followed. These bodies are not expected to buy jammers but deploy jammers at examination halls from approved vendors (at present M/s ECIL & M/s BEL) on lease basis. However examination conducting bodies are encouraged to furnish their calendar of examinations annually to this Office so that permission can be granted at one go on annual basis. For this purpose examination conducting bodies are requested to submit their proposals in proforma-II ([*hyperlink*](#)) complete in all respects.
