



Subsoil users may procure from a single source without tender procedures

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In brief

Procurement procedures for subsoil users were simplified (Order 110 of the Minister of Energy (25 March 2020) and Order 160 of the Vice Minister of Industry and Infrastructure Development (28 March 2020))

In details

Regulation for the acquisition of goods, works and services used by subsoil users and their contractors in exploration or production of hydrocarbons, uranium mining (Rules No. 196 dated 18 May 2018) and solid minerals (Rules No. 355 dated 21 May 2018) were amended on 25 March and 28 March.

Subsoil users, engaged in extraction and exploration of hydrocarbon and uranium, as well as extraction of solid minerals, are able to purchase goods of Kazakhstan origin from a single source without tender procedures. Manufacturers of goods should have confirmation certificates of origin of goods of "CT-KZ" form or an industrial certificate issued by "Atameken" Kazakhstan National Chamber of Entrepreneurs.

Regarding solid minerals, purchase from a single source is also allowed if information on goods, works and services is in the "Kazakhstan Content" Internet Portal. Goods, works and services of foreign origin may be purchased if they are not produced in Kazakhstan. Available information indicates that purchases are simplified for the state of emergency period.

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