S.R.O. 270(I)/2019.—In exercise of powers conferred by Section 27 of the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority Ordinance, 2002 (No. XXII of 2002), the Public Procurement Authority is pleased to make the following regulation namely:

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) The regulations may be called the Public Procurement Regulations, 2011, amended on 7th February 2019.

2. They shall come into force at once.

3. **International and inter-governmental commitments of Federal Government:**

   (457)

   *Price: Rs. 5.00*

   [329 (2019)/Ex. Gaz.]
Whenever a sponsoring Ministry/Division is of the view that prospective procurement are required to be made by invoking rule-5 of Public Procurement Rules, 2004, it shall bring a case to the ECC after undertaking due consultations with the stakeholder Ministries/Divisions/Departments etc. as prescribed in the Rules of Business, 1973. The ECC shall consider such case(s) and authorize, or advise otherwise the sponsoring, Ministry/Division whether to proceed or not, in terms of rule-5 of the Public Procurement Rules, 2004:

Provided that approval of the ECC shall not be required in case of commitments of the Federal Government arising out of agreements with international financial institutions or State(s), where finances are provided by them.

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