



15<sup>th</sup> October, 2009

Mr. Imtiaz Inayat Elahi,  
Chairman,  
Capital Development Authority (CDA)  
Main CDA Secretariat, G7/4,  
Islamabad

Subj: Violation of Public Procurement Rules, 2004  
Prequalification for Cable Car and for Tourist Buses

Dear Sir,

The Prequalification for Cable Car dated 11 September 2009, and for Tourist Buses invited by CDA, on 15<sup>th</sup> October 2009, are lacking Transparency and violating the Ministry of Finance S.R.O.432 (I)/ 2004 on 9<sup>th</sup> June 2004, notifying "Public Procurement Rules, 2004. The Rules are available on the PPRA website [www.ppra.org.pk](http://www.ppra.org.pk) and [www.transparency.org.pk](http://www.transparency.org.pk).

This is to bring to your knowledge that CDA officers have to process all tenders under the Public Procurement Rules 2004. Public Procurement Rules, 2004 have eliminated all discretions in procurement process and avenues of corrupt practices in tendering, by making the following Transparent Steps mandatory to eliminate manipulation in tenders;

- Provide prequalification Documents which includes all relevant information including the **detailed evaluation criteria, bid award method. NOT PROVIDED BY CDA**
- Signing of Integrity Pact (no bribery pact and declaration of Agent's Agreement),
- Evaluation Report to be provided to bidders 15 days before award for filing objections,
- Rights of bidders for complain on evaluation report and reply by department,
- Declaration of Contract and Evaluation Report on the website after the Award on Contract.
- The bidder with the lowest evaluated bid, if not in conflict with any other law, rules, regulations or policy of the Federal Government, shall be awarded the procurement contract, within the original or extended period of bid validity
- Contract for Supply, Works and Consultants to be awarded only to the lowest responsive Evaluated Bidder. The system of scores awarded to bidders, and the highest scoring firm to be awarded Contract on his tendered cost has been banned.

**The impression on these procurement due to violation of rules, is that the parties to award these procurements have already been selected.**

Transparency International Pakistan request the Chairman to direct the concerned department to observe the compliance of Public Procurement Rules, 2004 and reinvide these procurements as per PPRA Rules. .

We would like to state again that all discretions in procurement process have been eliminated.

Your sincerely,

  
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Chairman,  
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1. Chairman, Public Accounts Committee, National Assembly, Islamabad.
2. Auditor General of Pakistan, Islamabad, with request to check PHA procurements .
3. Chairman, NAB, Islamabad
4. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.