



19th July 2012

Engineer Farkhand Iqbal,
Chairman,
Capital Development Authority,
Islamabad.

2nd REMINDER

Sub: Complaint about non-issuance of Tender Documents for Construction of Khayaban-e-Margalla from G.T Road to Sector D-12 Islamabad –TIP letters dated 11th April, 2012 and 15 May 2012.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to TI-Pakistan's letter dated 11th April sent to CDA on the above subject twice. TI-Pakistan had forward a complaint of M/S TREC regarding non-issuance of tender documents for the construction of Khayaban-e-Margalla from G.T Road to Sector D-12, Islamabad. However, no reply has been received by TI-Pakistan even after a lapse of over 03 months.

The complainant, M/S TREC, had alleged that even after 14 days of publication of tender notice in press, the bidding documents were not issued to the interested parties in violation Rule 23(1) of Public Procurement Rules 2004. According to the Rule bidding documents have to be made available to the bidders immediately after the publication on notice inviting tender in press.

The complainant had also mentioned that CDA had set the condition to present call deposit for obtaining the bidding documents. This alleged act of CDA is against the Public Procurement Rules 2004 and Public Procurement Regulation 2008, notified through S.R.O. 805(1)/2008 dated 11th July 2008.

It should be noted that CDA cannot change the Public Procurement Rules 2004 and the Public Procurement Regulations 2008 on its own.

Transparency International Pakistan is striving for across the board application of Rule of Law, which is the only way to stop corruption.

With regards,



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Adviser

Copies forwarded for the information of:

1. Chairman, Public Accounts Committee, Islamabad.
2. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
3. Chairman, NAB, Islamabad.
4. Auditor General, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad - *with a request to take action under section 5(2) (a) "monitor application of the laws, rules, regulations, policies and procedures in respect of, or relating to, procurement" and under section 5(2) (i) of the PPRA Ordinance 2002.*