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Date: 14 Jan 2011

To: Transparency International Pakistan ✓
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DHA, Karachi.

Subject: Violation of Public Procurement Rules, 2004 DHA Karachi
Tender Notice for the Supply of 500mm dia GRP Pipes &
Fittings

Reference: Transparency International Letter dated 15 Dec 2010.

1. It is a matter of immense pleasure to note that an internationally reputed and recognized organization like Transparency International Pakistan has taken such a keen interest into the affairs of Defence Housing Authority. We take this opportunity to fully endorse the point of view of Transparency International regarding response time provided in the tendering process, which should have been adhered to in a routine contract.

2. However, Defence Housing Authority have obligation towards residents for maintaining neat and clean environments. In the same context, may please be noted that 16" dia pipe line connecting Qasim Pumping Station and Sewage Treatment Plant exploded in last month and Sector-A and B of Phase-VIII were ponded with sewage water in different section (Photographs are attached for reference).

3. The urgency for replacement of sewage line forced the Authority to shorten response time and take emergency measure to replace the old sewage line. However, in order to provide equal opportunity to every supplier a proper tendering process was initiated by advertising the request (copy attached) and local competitive bidding process was adopted, which otherwise is allowed vide clause 13(1) of reproduced as under:

"Provided that no time limit shall be applicable in case of emergency"

4. It is also added that during emergency direct contracting procedure can also be adopted vide clause 42(c)(v) of PPRA.

5. DHA Karachi once again thank Transparency International for taking keen interest in our affairs and expect similar response for improvement and streamlining contracting procedures.



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INVITATION FOR BIDS

**SUPPLY OF 500 MM DIA GRP PIPES & FITTINGS FOR
SEWERAGE LINE BETWEEN QASIM PUMPING STATION
AND GOLF CLUB**

- + PAKISTAN DEFENCE OFFICER'S HOUSING AUTHORITY (PDOHA) is developing an international standard infrastructure in DHA Phase-VIII, Karachi, PDOHA has arranged funds from its own sources.
- + OSMANI & COMPANY (PVT.) LTD., has been engaged as Engineers/Consultants to plan, design & supervise all works under the project for DHA.
- + PAKISTAN DEFENCE OFFICER'S HOUSING AUTHORITY (PDOHA), Karachi, invites sealed bids from reputable firms, pre-qualified with (PDOHA) for supply of 500 mm dia GRP Pipes, quantity 4000 meters (Approx) including Fittings with following specifications:

a. Item	GRP Pipe and Fittings for Sewerage Line.
b. Specifications	Filament wound GRP pipe, uniformly enriched with aggregate resin mortar of Silica Sand mechanically.
c. Inner Diameter	500 mm.
d. Pipe Length	12 Meters + Length with Bell & Spigot jointing feature + 2 rubber rings.
e. Thickness	According to ASTM D-3262, AWWA C950-01
f. Pressure	Class C PN 9 bar
g. SN Factor	SN 5000
h. Country of Origin	Preferably Made in Pakistan

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- Bidding documents to be collected from Office of the Chief Engineer, DHA, 2/B East Street, Phase-I, DHA, Karachi, on payment of Rs. 500/- (non-refundable) in the form of Pay Order in favour of DHA Karachi, from 15th December, 2010 to 20th December, 2010, timings from 1000 hrs to 1500 hrs.
- Bids will be opened at 1200 hrs on 24th December, 2010 in the office of the Chief Engineer, 2/B, East Street, Phase-I, DHA, Karachi in presence of the bidders, who desire to attend. Conditional/Incomplete Bids will not be considered.
- Other terms & conditions as specified in the Bidding Documents.
- PDOHA reserves the right to reject any/all Bids, without assigning any reason.

Chief Engineer



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