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Managing Director,  
Water and Sanitation Agency (WASA),  
Government of Balochistan,  
Quetta.

**Sub: Violation of Balochistan Public Procurement Rules 2014, Managing Director, Water and Sanitation Agency (WASA), Quetta's Expression of Interest (EOI) Notice for Services.**

This is with reference to WASA, Quetta's EOI Notice published in daily "Jang" on 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the BPPRA Rules 2014.

As per advertisement, the tender fee under is charged as PRs 10,000/-, which appears costly in light of the BPPRA Rules 2014, Rule No. 26(2). Stated as under;

***26. Provision of Bidding Documents. — (2) The Procuring Agency may charge a fee for bidding documents, which shall not exceed the cost of preparation and printing.***

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge and with request to re-invite the EOI under the prescribed procedures or issue a corrigendum and extend date accordingly.

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Justice Zia Perwez  
Former Judge of Supreme Court of Pakistan and High Court of Sindh  
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Copies forwarded for the information with request to take action under their mandate to:

1. Chief Minister, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
2. Director General, NAB, Quetta.
3. Principal Secretary to Chief Minister of Balochistan, Quetta.
4. Registrar, Balochistan High Court, Quetta.
5. Managing Director, BPPRA, Quetta.



## NOTICE FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST



Rehabilitation/Revival and Operation, Maintenance of Existing 1.8 MGD Waste Water Treatment Plant at Sabzal Road Quetta

The Water and Sanitation Authority, Government of Balochistan, wishes to expand investment through the participation of the Private Sector in partnership with the Employer.

As part of this ongoing process, the Q-WASA hereby invites Expression of Interest from the Private Sector for submitting proposals in respect of a Concession for Rehabilitation/Revival and the design, construction and operation of existing 1.8 MGD Waste Water Treatment Plant at Sabzal Road Quetta on Rehabilitate, Build, Operate and Transfer (RBOT) arrangement.

The Concession is offered, and shall be negotiated and granted in accordance with the Government's policy to optimize Private Sector participation in construction and operation of various projects in different sectors.

Construction/Rehabilitation of the Project will include all components of the project in accordance with Specifications and quality control standards conforming to the standards of design, construction, maintenance and operation according to International standards.

The Government of Balochistan through Q-WASA, envisages granting a concession to design, finance and implement the scope of work and to operate and maintain the Project.

Key features of Concession Agreement will be as follows:

- The concession shall be for a fixed period of 5 Years -10 Years Plan should be part of financial proposal.
- The Q-WASA, GoB investment will be in shape of the existing asset / infrastructure and the rest of the investment for revival/rehabilitation will be from Concessionary's (Concession Company's).
- At the end of the Concession Period, the facility is to be returned to the Employer in a properly maintained and operational condition, at no cost to the Employer; and
- GoB & Q-WASA with Concessionaire will sign Treated Waste Water Purchase Agreement to scrutinize the Payment.
- GoB & Q-WASA will sign Concession Agreement or Implementation Agreement with Concessionaire.

All the requirements, terms and conditions of the Concession Agreement will be agreed during clarification with the technical responsive/qualified bidders.

The prospective bidders, while submitting their Expression of Interest, should inter-alia, give details duly supported by documentary evidence as laid down in the Bidding Document Evaluation Criteria.

Basic Eligibility Criteria

- Firms/JV/Consortium having registration with PEC in C-2 and above Category. In case of JV/Consortium the lead partner must have registration of C-2 Category and associate partner having registration in C-4 Category.
- NTN, GST and BRA Registration.

**Method of Procurement:** Single-Stage Two Envelop Bidding Procedure as per B-PPRA rules 2014.

**Issuance, Submission and Opening**

- Issuance of Documents A complete set of Bidding Documents will be issued to eligible bidders/firms on submission of a written application to the above office and upon submission of a non-refundable fee of Rs.10,000/- to be deposited in QWASA/C No: 1170-7 Allied Bank Zarghoon Road Branch Quetta near NADRA head office or pay order of the same amount in the name of Managing Director Q-WASA after the publication of advertisement in newspaper till submission date and time. The documents can also be viewed/downloaded from [www.bpra.org.pk](http://www.bpra.org.pk) under (TS 149738E)
- Submission All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of Rs.300,000 (Pak Rupees Three lacs) and must be delivered on or before **18-01-2019** till 2:00 PM. The bids received after this date and time shall not be entertained
- Opening: The technical proposal will be opened on **18-01-2019** at 3:00 PM in presence of Procurement Committee and representatives of eligible bidders/firms who want to participate.

Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on **10-01-2019**

**Address for issuance/Submission and for any inquiry given below:**

The Managing Director Water and Sanitation Authority, Zarghoon Road, Quetta, Balochistan. Tel No: 081-9211609, Fax No: 081-9211610

**Managing Director  
WASA Quetta**

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