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Managing Director,
Northern Area Transport Corporation (NATCO),
NATCO Head Office,
Gilgit- Baltistan.

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Managing Director, Northern Area Transport Corporation (NATCO), Gilgit-Baltistan's Tender Notice for Supply of M. Oil & Filters for Different Types of Vehicles.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to NATCO, Gilgit-Baltistan's Tender Notice, published in the "The News" on 29th April, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the PPRA Rules 2004.

As per the advertisement, "The competent authority will have the right to accept or reject any one or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof as per PPRA Rules". It is not complying with PPRA Rules 2004, Rule No. 33, which requires that reason should be communicated to bidders. Stated as under:

***33. Rejection of bids:-** (1) The procuring agency may reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid or proposal. The procuring agency shall upon request communicate to any supplier or contractor who submitted a bid or proposal, the grounds for its rejection of all bids or proposals, but is not required to justify those grounds.*

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge under Rule No 50, and with request to re-invite the tender under the prescribed procedures or issue a corrigendum and extend date accordingly.

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

With Regards,

Sohail Muzaffar
Chairman

Copies forwarded for the information with request to take action under their mandate to:

1. Secretary to Prime Minister, Islamabad.
2. Director General, NAB, Rawalpindi.
3. Chairman, Prime Minister's Inspection Commission, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



Government of Pakistan
NORTHERN AREAS TRANSPORT CORPORATION
GILGIT - BALTISTAN



TENDER NOTICE

Northern Areas Transport Corporation invites sealed Tenders from authorized dealers or agencies for the supply of M.Oil and filters for different types of vehicles for FY-2016-17. Intending Franchisers or Distributors can obtain Tender forms from NATCO Office situated at Plot No.48, Sector I-11/4, near Sabzi Mandi on any working day during office hours against payment of **Rs. 3000/-** (non refundable).

Terms & Conditions are as follow:

1. The Tenders sent through post (registered/ courier) should be received at NATCO Office, Islamabad on or before **18th May, 2016** at **12:30 pm**. Tenders received late or without the prescribed tender form will not be acceptable.
2. Bank draft of **Rs.100,000/-** in favour of NATCO must be enclosed with the tender.
3. The bidders must have certificate of manufacturing/ franchise or distributorship of M.Oil and Filters and at least three years experience in the concerned field. Furthermore, they should be registered with FBR and concerned agencies, otherwise all taxes will be deducted from their bills.
4. Tenders will be opened on the same day at **12:30 pm** in the presence of bidders or their authorized agents.
5. Offered rates should be on item rate basis including all taxes.
6. The entire process of tendering will be conducted as per PPRA rules.
7. An agreement will be made with the successful bidder as per NATCO rules.
8. Successful bidders will be bound to supply the items at Gilgit store within 15 days. Otherwise security amount will be forfeited.
9. Those brands of M.Oil and filters will be preferred which are used by NATCO earlier after laboratory checking.
10. In case substandard M.Oil and filters are supplied, the Inspection Committee will be authorized to return the supply.
11. No advance Payment will be made. Payment of bills will be made after inspection as per NATCO rules.
12. The Competent authority will have the right to accept or reject any one or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof as per PPRA rules.
13. Other terms and conditions are mentioned in the tender form.

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Managing Director NATCO

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