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The Secretary,
Irrigation Department,
Government of Punjab,
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Executive Engineer, Khushab Canal Division,
Khushab's Tender Notice for Procurement of Reserve Stock of Stone.**

This is with reference to Khushab Canal Division, Khushab's Tender Notice, published in daily "Jang" on 3rd May, 2019. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of PPRA Rules 2014.

As per terms and condition No. 15 in the advertisement, "the quantity of work can be increased/ decreased as per site requirement", whereas per rules, any change in tender conditions, specifications and quantity after the opening of the bid by procuring agency is not allowed under Rules. However according to PPRA 2014, Rule No. 59 (c) (iv), repeat orders cannot exceed more than 15% of the original quantity. Stated as under;

59. Alternative methods of procurements.- A procuring agency may utilize the following alternative methods of procurement of goods, services and works:

(c) direct contracting: a procuring agency shall only engage in direct contracting if any of the following conditions exist:

(iv) repeat orders not exceeding fifteen per cent of the original procurement;

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge under Rule No. 69, and with request to re-invite the tender 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
Trustee- TI-Pakistan

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

1. Chief Minister, Government of Punjab, Lahore
2. Director General, NAB, Lahore.
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
4. Registrar, Lahore High Court, Lahore.
5. Managing Director, Punjab PRA, Lahore.



IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, KHUSHAB CANAL DIVISION KHUSHAB
TENDER NOTICE.

1. Sealed tenders on Market Rates System are invited from approved contractors of Irrigation Department belonging to the appropriate category for the work detailed below.
2. The tender documents will be issued to those contractors who have got themselves enlisted/ renewed for the year 2018-19 on production of original documents of enlistment/ receipt of renewal fee, Professional Tax and registration with Pakistan Engineering Council in the relevant category.
3. The prescribed tender forms IB-389 (Revised) can be purchased by depositing the tender price given below.
4. Earnest money of @ 2% of estimated amount in shape of deposit call payable to Executive Engineer, Khushab Canal Division Khushab, issued by Scheduled Bank of Pakistan must be attached with the tenders. No tender document will be accepted without earnest money.
5. Contract documents, drawings and estimate of the work etc can be seen in the office of the undersigned on any working day during office hours.
6. Tender forms will be issued from this office within office hours immediately after the publication of the invitation to the bid up to **17.05.2019**.
7. The tenders will be received in the office of under signed on **18.05.2019** up to **11:30 Hours** and opened by the Tender Opening Committee on the same day at **12:00 Hours** sharp in the presence of contractors or their authorized representatives who may dare to attend.
8. No conditional or their authorized representative who may dare to attend.
9. Any of the total bids can be rejected on the basis of evaluation criteria through:-
 - a. The procuring agency may reject all bids of proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid proposal.
 - b. The procuring agency shall upon request communicate to any bidder, the grounds for its rejection of all bids or proposals, but shall not be required to justify those grounds.
10. The payment will be made only on receipt of funds specified for the work, against accepted work done or provision existing in the technical sanctioned estimate, whichever is less.
11. In Case total tendered amount is less than 5% of approved estimated (DNIT) amount, the lowest bidder will have to deposit additional performance security from any scheduled bank under clause 26 A of contract agreement within 15-days of issuance of notice and in consideration of Government of Punjab Finance Department Notification No. RO (Tech) FD 1-2/83 VI(P) dated: 24.01.2006.
12. Deposit calls of 2nd and 3rd lowest bidders will be released after approval of Tenders by competent authority.
13. If two or more contractors / firms become the lowest by quoting the same rates for any item, the decision of authority competent to accept the tender for award of contract will be final.
14. The Acceptance letters to the successful bidders will be issued as per funds available with the Division and after fulfillment all codal formalities.
15. The quantity of work can be increased / decreased as per site requirement.
16. The contractor who desire to obtain tender form shall have to submit an application on his printed letter pad along with following original document and their attested copies.
 - a. Enlistment / renewal letter for financial year 2018-19 with Irrigation Department.
 - b. Registration Certificate issued by Pakistan Engineering Council for the year 2018-19.
 - c. CNIC
 - d. Receipt of professional Tax for the year 2018-19.
 - e. Receipt of enlistment / renewal fee 2018-19.
 - f. Managing partnership deed of firm along with registered power of attorney authorized with agent if he appears on behalf on Company / Firm.

Sr. No.	Name of Work	Estimated Cost in Rs	Earnest Money	Printing Charges	Completion Period	T.S No. & Date
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Procurement of Reserve Stock of stone for Guide wall No II at thatti Kalak Bhan along Right Bank of Jhelum in District Khushab	83,24,898/-	2% of Estimated Cost	2000/-	20 Days	SE Thal No. 4532/4A dated 23.04.2019.

Executive Engineer

Khushab Canal Division Khushab

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