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Office of Agriculture Engineer,
Agriculture Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI),
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**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Agriculture Engineer, Agriculture
Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI), Multan's Tender Notice for Purchase of Supply
of Machinery.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to AMRI, Multan's Tender Notice, published in daily "Dawn" on 8th October, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab Procurement Rules 2014.

As per the advertisement, 15 days of response time is not given and the last date for submission/opening of bids is on 16-10-2017, which is 6 days short. It is violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Rule No.14 (1). Stated as under;

14. Response time:- (1) The procuring agency may decide the response time for receipt of bids or proposals (including proposals for pre-qualification) from the date of publication of an advertisement or notice, keeping in view the complexity of the procurement, availability and urgency but, in no circumstances, the response time shall be less than fifteen days for national competitive bidding and thirty days for international competitive bidding from the date of publication of advertisement or notice.

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.

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 Muzzafar
Chairman

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, Multan.
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
4. Registrar, Lahore High Court, Lahore.
5. Managing Director, Punjab PRA, Lahore.



INVITATION FOR BIDS

- 1 The Office of the Agriculture Engineer (F&W), Agriculture Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI), Old Shujaabad Road Multan has received budget from Government of Punjab towards the cost of the "Supply of Machinery" in Punjab. It is intended that part of the proceeds of this budget will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for supply of locally developed agricultural machinery through reverse engineering according to local conditions. The detail of agricultural machinery is given below:

| Sr. No. | Tender No. | Item | Specification | Quantity | Bid Security |
|---------|------------|-------------------|---------------|----------|--------------|
| 1 | 40 | Precision Sprayer | As per sample | 01 | 10,000/- |
| 2 | 41 | Sugarcane Loader | As per sample | 01 | 3,000/- |
| 3 | 42 | Sugarcane Crusher | As per sample | 01 | 10,000/- |
| 4 | 43 | Tedder-Rakes | As per sample | 01 | 20,000/- |
| 5 | 44 | Garlic Harvester | As per sample | 01 | 10,000/- |

- 2 The Office of the Agriculture Engineer (F&W), Agriculture Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI), Old Shujaabad Road Multan now invites sealed bids from **Original Manufacturers** for the supply of above mentioned items.
- 3 Bidding shall be conducted through Open Competitive Bidding (Single Stage-Double Envelope) procedures specified in the Punjab Procure Rules PPR 2014 (amended Jan 2016), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the bidding document.
- 4 The samples can be examined during office timing 8:00 am to 3:00 p.m. from Monday to Saturday in the office of Agriculture Engineer (F&W), Agriculture Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI), Old Shujaabad Road Multan.
- 5 Interested eligible bidders may obtain bidding documents and further information from the Office of the Agriculture Engineer (F&W), Agriculture Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI), Old Shujaabad Road Multan.
- 6 The provisions in the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions of Contract are the provisions of the Bidding Documents.
- 7 Sealed Bids must be delivered to the above office on or before 11:00 am on 16.10.2017 and must be accompanied by a Bid Security as mentioned above in the form of CDR, Pay Order, Demand Draft, or Banker's Cheque from a Scheduled Bank of Pakistan.
- 8 Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at 11:30 a.m. in the Office of the Agriculture Engineer (F&W), Agriculture Mechanization Research Institute (AMRI), Old Shujaabad Road Multan, on the same date.
- 9 The bidders are requested to give their best and final prices. No negotiations are expected.
- 10 Taxes will be deducted as per applicable government rules. NTN and Sales Tax registration certificate must be provided.
- 11 For obtaining any further information or clarifications, please contact the person named below:

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