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Medical Superintendent,
Tehsil Headquarters Hospital,
Tehsil Karor Pakka, District Lodhran,
Punjab.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Medical Superintendent,
Tehsil Headquarters Hospital, Tehsil Karor Pakka, District Lodhran's Tender
Notice for Purchase of Various Items.**

This is with reference Tehsil Headquarters Hospital, Tehsil Karor Pakka, District Lodhran's Tender Notice, published in daily "Express" on 9th October, 2018. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Violation of PPRA 2014.

1. As per advertisement, "Procuring Authority can increase or decrease amount of any item", 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:

2. Also, only the tender opening date and time is given whereas, it should also include the tender submission date and time that shall be on the same day. Therefore the advertisement is in a violation of PPRA 2014, Rule 30(1). Stated as under;

30. Opening of bids.- *(1) The date for opening of bids and the last date for the submission of bids shall be the same; and, bids shall be opened at the time specified in the bidding documents which shall not less than thirty minutes after the closing time for the submission of bids.*

It is mentioned in Punjab PPRA 'Tender Guidelines' on their website, that the Tender Notice should contain closing date, time and place for receiving bids, as well as time of public opening of bids. (Copy attached).

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 and High Court of Sindh
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.



Tender notice

The Medicinal Superintendent THQ Hospital Kehrora Pacca invites sealed bids from original manufacturer / sole distributors / authorized dealers and well reputed firms with sound experience in the relevant field having registration with Income Tax & Sales Tax Department, are invited to offer their bids on letter heads in printed form with sealed envelopes, for Frame work / Rate contract for following items, for the financial year 2018-2019.

Bid Security: Rs. 2% of Estimated cost		Tender Fee: Rs.1000/- Each	
Bid Opening date and Time: 29-10-2018 at 12:30 PM			
Sr. No.	Description	Sr. No.	Description
1	Local purchase of Medicine, Disposables & Surgical items, Dental materials and chemicals Tibbi Medicines Homeopathy medicine	3	X-Ray Films & Fixers/Developers
2	Laboratory items kits and chemicals	4	General Store Items, Stationary and Printing

1. Interested eligible bidders may get the tender document, specifications, after submission of written applications and on showing firm registration certificates of NTN & GST along with requisite tender fee.
2. Tender documents will be issued only during working hours immediately after publication of this tender, a copy of these bidding documents is available for information and can be downloaded from PPRA website, <https://ppra.punjab.gov.pk/>
3. Bidding shall be conducted through open competitive Bidding (Single stage two envelope) procedure specified in PPRA rules (amended till date) and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the bidding documents.
4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain bidding documents and further information from the office of the undersigned.
5. Bidding documents must be accompanied by a Bid Security as mentioned above in the form of CDR in the name MS THQ Hospital Kehrora Pacca from any scheduled Bank of Pakistan.
6. Bids will be opened in the office of the medical superintendent THQ Hospital Kehrora Pacca
7. The bidders are requested to give their best and final prices as no negotiations will be made.
8. Taxes will be deducted as per applicable government rules. NTN and sales tax registration certificates must be provided.
9. Procurements of medicines and surgical will be done in accordance with Policy guidelines of Primary and Secondary Health Care Department.
10. All procurements will be done according to PPRA rules amended till date.
11. Procuring authority can increase or decrease amount of any item or cancel the whole or partial procurement process.

**Medical Superintendent
Tehsil Head Quarter Hospital
Kehrora Pacca Dist. Lodhran**

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Tender Guidelines

The tenders should essentially include the following information:

- Name of procuring agency
- Tender number (for identification)
- Procurement Title (indicating type and quantity)
- Contact person (for seeking bidding documents)
- Last date for obtaining bidding documents and its price (if any)
- Closing time and date as well as place for receiving bids
- Time and Place of public opening of bids (Bids must be opened on the closing date at least thirty minutes after the deadline for submission of bids)
- Amount of bid security (% age of estimated price)
- Procurement Method
- In case the tender notice involve different categories of goods, work or services, the procuring agency must mention to whether the evaluation shall be item wise or on accumulative cost basis
- Bid validity period
- The bidding document shall be made available to the interested firms/prospecting bidders, immediately after the bidding notice is published