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Deputy Director, Supply & Transport, Headquarters Rawalpindi Logistics Area, Pakistan Army, Rawalpindi Cantt. Ph. No. 0331-5299222

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Deputy Director, Supply & Transport, Headquarters Rawalpindi Logistics Area, Pakistan Army, Rawalpindi Cantt's Tender Notice for Purchase of Items.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Headquarters Rawalpindi Logistics Area, Pakistan Army, Rawalpindi Cantt's Tender Notice published in daily "Express" on 12<sup>th</sup> November, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the PPRA Rules 2004.

As per advertisement, the bidding forms are issued from 29-11-2017 till 30-11-2017, which means tender documents are only available for the bidders for 2 days. The rule "Response Time" includes purchase of tender documents for the bidder from the date of publishing of advertisement till the date of submission of bids. Therefore, the advertisement is in violation of PPRA Rules 2004, Rule No.13 (1). Stated as under;

13. 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 individual procurement's complexity, availability and urgency. However, under 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. All advertisements or notices shall expressly mention the response time allowed for that particular procurement along with the information for collection of bid documents which shall be issued till a given date, allowing sufficient time to complete and submit the bid by the closing date:

Provided that no time limit shall be applicable in case of emergency.

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.



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With Regards,

Sokail 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.

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كالمعبد عامة وكر المال الإلار الحري

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