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Manager (Procurement),
Technical Education & Vocational Training Authority (TEVTA),
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Manager (Procurement), TEVTA,
Lahore's Tender Notice for Hiring the Services of Telecommunication Company for the
Purchase of Corporate Packages.**

Dear Sir

This is with reference to TEVTA, Lahore's Tender Notice, published in daily "Nawaiwaqt" on 16th May, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

1. As per advertisement, there is no information regarding issuance of bidding documents for bidders. It is a violation of PPRA 2014, Rule No. 25(1). Stated as under;

25. Bidding documents.- (1) A procuring agency shall formulate precise and unambiguous bidding documents that shall be made available to the bidders immediately after the publication of the invitation to bid.

2. Also, only the date and time of submission of bids is mentioned in the advertisement, whereas it should also include the date and time of opening of bids that shall be on the same day. Therefore the advertisement is in a violation of PPRA Rules 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.

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. 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.

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Govt. of the Punjab

TEVTA

TENDER NOTICE



Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority (TEVTA) is a Special Institution under the Govt. of the Punjab. It is presently managing more than 385 institutions / Offices spread throughout the Province of the Punjab. TEVTA is seeking to hire the services of Telecommunication company for the purchase of corporate packages (postpaid) covering more than 600 mobile Sims along with monthly call packages as per detail below;

- i. Free Calls within Group.
- ii. Free calls to all PTCL and NTC numbers.

Single stage single envelope procurement method as per PPRA 2014 shall be followed. The proposal must contain Company profile elaborating following;

1. Minimum experience of 5 years in providing Communication services in Pakistan.
2. NTN and Sales Tax Registration Certificate.
3. Availability to share call reports with TEVTA on MIS system.
4. Bid security amounting to Rs.30,000 in the form of CDR/DD/Bankers Cheque / PO in the name of Chairperson TEVTA must be attached with the proposals.
5. 5 % Performance security of the contract value will be submitted by the successful bidder before award of contract in the form of CDR/DD/Bankers Cheque / PO.
6. The contract will be awarded to lowest bidder for complete package.
7. Incomplete proposals and proposals received after due date will not be entertained.
8. TEVTA reserves the rights to annul the tendering process under PPRA 2014.
9. Proposal along with financial proposal should be submitted to the office of Manager (Procurement), TEVTA Secretariat Lahore through registered post till 01.06.2016 at 2:00 pm to the below mentioned address.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING AUTHORITY (TEVTA)

Manager (Procurement)

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