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Deputy Director, Semen Production Unit, Qadirabad, District Sahiwal, Punjab.

Sub: <u>Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Deputy Director, Semen Production</u>
Unit, Qadirabad's Tender Notice for Purchase of Semen Straw.

This is with reference to Semen Production Unit, Qadirabad's Tender Notice, published in daily "Nawaiwaqt" on 17th Nov, 2018. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per advertisement Semen Production Unit has restricted the bidders to supply Semen Straw made in France, Germany, U.S.A, Europe and Except India and has not added "or equivalent" with it, which is not allowed under PPRA 2014, Rule No. 10(2). Stated as under:

10. Specifications:- (2) The Specifications shall be generic and shall not include references to brand names, model numbers, catalogue numbers or similar classifications but if the procuring agency is satisfied that the use of, or a reference to, a brand name or a catalogue number is essential to complete an otherwise incomplete specification, such use or reference shall be qualified with the words" or equivalent".

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

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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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TENDER NOTICE

Tender No.02/SPU/QABAD/2018-19

Deputy Director, Semen Production Unit, Qadirabad District Sahiwal invites sealed tenders for procurement of semen straw 0.5ml on FOR basis from well reputed, economically strong and sales tax/income tax registered firms. The detail is as under:-

#.	Name of Items	Specifications	Quantity	Estimated value (Million)
1.	Semen straw (Red)	0.5ml Red Colour Imported Made in France, Germany, USA Europe, and except India.	4,00,000	2.000
2.	Semen straw (Light Gray)	0.5ml Light Gray Colour Imported Made in France, Germany, USA Europe, and except India.	2,00,000	1.000
	Total:-		6,00,000	3.000

The detailed specification/tender documents along with copy of terms & condition can be obtained on written request as well on payment @ Rs.1000/- (non refundable) from the office of the Deputy Director, Semen Production Unit, Qadirabad District Sahiwal, near 1½ KM north & West Adda Qadirabad, during office hours immediately after the publication and uploading of this tender notice. Bidding documents are also available on PPRA's website. The tenders should reach in the office of undersigned on 03.12.2018 till 11:00 am and be deposited in sealed Tender Box. The tender (Technical Proposals) will be opened on the same day at 11:30am in the presence of bidder or their authorized representatives i.e. on dated 03.12.2018. Whereas the Financial Proposal will be opened on 10.12.2018 at 11:00 am Bid security/earnest money @ 2% of estimated value in the name of Deputy Director, Semen Production Unit, Qadirabad District Sahiwal, in shape of call deposit (CDR) should be attached with the Financial Proposals by each bidder. The competent authority may reject all bids or Proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of bid or Proposal according to the PPRA rule, 2014.

Deputy Director, Semen Production Unit, Qadirabad District Sahiwal