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Director General,  
Punjab Food Authority,  
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Director General, Punjab Food Authority,  
Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice for Procurement of Goods and Services.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Punjab Food Authority, Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice published in daily "Express" on 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per advertisement, "Punjab Food Authority reserves the right to reject any or all proposals without assigning any reason in accordance with PPRA 2014." However, as per Rule No. 17(4), PPRA 2014, the reason of rejection should be communicated to the bidders. Stated as under;

***17. Pre-qualification process: - (4) On a request, the procuring agency shall communicate to the contractor who has not been prequalified the reasons for not prequalifying the contractor.***

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge under Rule No 69, and with request to re-invite the pre-qualification 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.



## **Notice for pre qualification of firms**

Punjab food Authority intends to pre qualifies the reputed firms for procurement of goods and services for the year 2016-17 for the following categories:-

- IT equipments (Supply & Repair).
- Dedicated Fiber Link Internet Services
- Cellular Companies for best services 4G for Portable Internet Connections.
- Machineries & Equipments
- Stationery Items
- Lab Chemicals & Equipments for testing of the Food Items (National & International Standard).
- Fabrication of Mobile Labs.
- Printing of Stationary Items.
- Repair of Machineries and Equipments including Lab Equipments
- Vehicles Rental services.

Sealed proposals are invited from income tax & GST registered firms in the name of Director General Punjab Food Authority Lahore; Detail of stationary item can be seen in tender document according to the PPRA, rules 2014

### **Terms and Condition:**

1. The participating firms/companies must be registered with Sales Tax and Income Tax Department (copy of NTN certificate & Sales Tax certificate must be provided).
2. The participating firms/companies must have at least five years experience in the relevant field.
3. The participating firms/companies must not be indulged in litigation & black listed by any organization/Govt.
4. The company must produce proof of financial soundness (Bank Certificate).
5. The company profile/ proposals/relevant documents showing similar nature work done during the last five years must reach the Office of Director (Adman & Finance), Punjab Food Authority 83-C New Muslim Town, Lahore on or before 02 January, 2017 during office hours.
6. The participating firms are required to attach CDR of Rs. 50,000 as security which will be returned to the unsuccessful firms after completion of prequalification process.
7. Punjab Food Authority reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals without assigning any reason in accordance with PPRA rules 2014.
8. Incomplete information shall liable to be rejected.
9. Proposals received through fax/Telex/email and after the due date /time will not be considered.
10. Successful firms will be bound to provide Performance Security (Bank Draft) @ 200,000/- Performance security which will be returned on successful completion of financial year 2016-17 contracts.
11. The category i.e stationary, it equipment etc must be written on the top left of the envelop.



**DIRECTOR GENERAL  
PUNJAB FOOD AUTHORITY**



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