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Divisional Forest Officer-I,  
Forest Services Academy,  
Ghora Gali, Murree.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Divisional Forest Officer-I, Forest Services Academy, Ghora Gali, Murree's Tender Notice for Construction & Development Work.**

This is with reference to Forest Services Academy, Murree's Tender Notice, published in daily "The Nation" on 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2019. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per the advertisement, the tender fee is charged as PRs 10, 000/-, which appears costly in light of the Procurement Rule and is violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Rule 25(7). Stated as under;

*25. Bidding documents.- (7) The procuring agency shall, on payment of such fee as the procuring agency may determine keeping in view the cost of printing and provision of the documents, provide a set of bidding documents to the prospective bidders.*

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.

# The Nation

## TENDER NOTICE

1. Sealed bids are hereby invited for new construction of following Buildings at Forest Services Academy Ghora Gali Murree from the eligible Contractors, Manufacturers/ authorized sales and services dealers registered firms with building Department/register engineering council during current financial year, 2018-19.

S. No.	Name of work	Estimated amount for the year 2018-19 (in Millions)	Total estimated amount	Tender Fee (RS)	Last date for issuance of tenders	Last date of tender opening	Completion period
1.	Construction of new class room 02 in numbers 2468 S.ft	4.504	13.440	10,000	05-03-2019	05-03-2019	1st phase 2018-19 upto 30-06-2019 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> phase 2019-2020 up to 31-05-2020
2.	Construction of Security Room and Systems 300 S.ft	1.60	5.00	10,000	05-03-2019	05-03-2019	1st phase 2018-19 upto 31-05-2020 & 2 <sup>nd</sup> phase 2019-2020 up to 31-12-2019
3.	Development of parking area 5060 S.ft	1.043	1.043	10,000	05-03-2019	05-03-2019	Up to 30-06-2019
Total Rs.		7.147	19.483				

2. Bidding shall be conducted through open competition specified in Punjab Procurement Rules (Amended Jan 2016) and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the bidding document.

3. The interested eligible bidders may obtain the bidding documents and further information from the office of undersigned on written request on letter head accompanied with attested copy of valid CNIC and payment of bidding document non-refundable Rs. 10,000/- in the form of CDR / Bank Draft / Cashier Cheque of any scheduled bank in favour of DFO - I PSA Ghora Gali Murree. The bidding documents will be issued soon after uploading / publishing of this tender notice in the PPRA Website / newspaper and up to the last date 05-03-2019.

4. The provisions in the instruction to bidders and in the general conditions of contract are the provision of the bidders' documents. Every builder will offer rate against each item/works

5. Tender rates and amounts should be filled in figures as well as in words and tenders should be signed/stamp as per general directions given in the tender documents. No rebate on tendered rates will be acceptable.

6. The works will be completed in two (02) years i.e. 2018-19 & 2019-20 up to 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020 in accordance with financial provision.

7. Tenders will be received in the office of undersigned up to 11:00 AM on 05-03-2019 and will be opened on the same date at 11:30 AM by the Tender Opening Committee in the presence of attending firms or their authorized representative. In case of any holidays announced by the Govt (due to any reason) tender will be opened on next working day on same time with same terms & conditions and same venue.

8. Conditional tenders or tenders not accompanied with call deposit @ 2% of the estimated cost in the shape of deposit at call issued from scheduled bank in favour of DFO-I Forest Services Academy Ghora Gali Murree will not be entertained.

9. The procuring agency reserves the right to reject all applications/tenders before issuance of acceptance letter without assigning any reason as per amended rule 35 of PPRA. However, the authority will communicate the grounds for rejection of any application on request of applicant but is not required to justify those grounds.

10. The bidders are requested to give their best & Final Prices as no negotiations are expected.

11. Taxes will be deducted as per applicable Govt Rules. NTN and sales tax, PST registration certificates, registration with engineering council may be provided. The successful bidder has to deposit performance security.

12. For obtaining any further information or clarification please contact to person name below.  
MR. MUSTAJAB AHMED, Senior Clerk Phone Number 0331 5551094

13. The constructional works/material sample will got checked from building department/ laboratory and issuance of quality test certificates. (IPL-1525-R)

Divisional Forest Officer - I Forest Services Academy Ghora Gali Murree