

To

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Chairman,
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Defence Housing Authority, Karachi

No.PHA/D(S)/09-16/ 478

Date: 22.9.16

Subject:

**VIOLATION OF PUNJAB PROCUREMENT RULES 2014, DIRECTOR
SPORTS, PARKS AND HORTICULTURE AUTHORITY, LAHORE'S
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) NOTICE FOR LEASING FUTSAL
FACILITY**

I am director to refer to your letter No.TL16/1009/15A dated 10.09.2016 on the subject matter and to state that Futsal Arena, Gulshan-e-Iqbal Park, Lahore is a sports facility which is lying vacant since last 2 years. This facility was developed by PHA in the year of 2013 considering the popularity of 7-A side football sport which is quite popular across the world. The sport of football is diminishing with the popularity of cricket in this part of the city due to inadequate football fields, hence, this facility was developed but, unfortunately this facility is being used by the youth of the area for cricket rather football.

2. In order to ensure that this facility is only used for football. This advertisement was released in leading newspapers. Through outsourcing this facility PHA does not intend to generate revenue rather partway with the maintenance cost of this facility. Moreover, meaningful use of this facility is the prime objective of PHA.

3. In view of the above you are requested to withdraw your observations in the best interest of public please.



Director Sports, PHA

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- PSO to Director General, PHA