



Parks & Horticulture Authority, Multan

No. PHA /ADMN/ GEN/ 23-29

Dated: 23-01, 2019

To,

The Justice Zia Perwez,
Former Judge of Supreme Court of Pakistan and High Court of Sindh,
Trustee-TI-Pakistan.

Subject:- VIOLEATION OF PUNJAB PROCUREMENT RULES 2014, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ADMIN, PARKS AND HORTICULTURE AUTHORITY, MULTAN'S TENDER NOTICE FOR SECURITY GUARD SERVICES FROM PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCIES.

Reference your letter No. TL 19/150/7A Dated 15th January, 2019 on the subject cited above.

It is submitted that objection raised in the above referred letter has been noted for compliance. For present, proceedings in the matter have been stopped due to non-availability of concerned officers in PHA Multan. As and when Tender proceeding are re-started, objection will be removed as directed.

Copies for kind information.

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2. Director General, NAB, Multan.
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
4. Registrar, Lahore High Court, Lahore.
5. Managing Director, Punjab PRA, Lahore.
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Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Assistant Director Admin, Parks and Horticulture Authority, Multan's Tender Notice for Security Guard Services from Private Security Agencies.

This is with reference Parks and Horticulture Authority, Multan's Tender Notice, published in daily "Nawaiwaqt" on 11th January, 2019. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of PPRA 2014.

As per Terms and Condition No. 7 in the advertisement, the competent authority reserves the right to cancel or reject any or all bids without assigning any reason. However, it is not complying with, PPRA 2014 Rule No. 35, which requires that reason should be communicated to bidders. Therefore the advertisement is in violation of Rule No. 35 of PPRA Rules 2014. Stated as under;

*35. Rejection of Bids :- (1) the procuring agency may reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid or proposal.
(2) the procuring agency shall upon request communicate to any bidder, the grounds for its rejection of all bids or proposals, but shall not be required to justify those grounds.*

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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