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Agricultural Chemist (Pesticides),
Pesticides Quality Control Laboratory,
Ayub Agricultural Research Institute,
Faisalabad.

Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Agricultural Chemist (Pesticides),
Pesticides Quality Control Laboratory, Ayub Agricultural Research Institute, Faisalabad's
Tender Notice for Supply of Pesticides Analytical Standards/ Laboratory Chemicals/
Solvents.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Pesticides Quality Control Laboratory, Ayub Agricultural Research Institute, Faisalabad's Tender Notice, published in daily "Nawaiwaqt" on 22nd April, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab Procurement Rules 2014.

As per advertisement, "Quantity can be increased/ decreased by the competent authority without any notice". Any change in tender conditions, specifications and quantity after bid opening by procuring agency is not allowed under Rules. However according to PPRA 2014, Rule No.59 (c) (iv). repeat orders cannot exceed more than 15% of the original quantity. Stated as under;

59. Alternative methods of procurements.- A procuring agency may utilize the following alternative methods of procurement of goods, services and works:

(c) direct contracting: a procuring agency shall only engage in direct contracting if any of the following conditions exist:

(iv) repeat orders not exceeding fifteen per cent of the original procurement;

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.

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 Muzzafar
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, Punjab.
3. Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab, Lahore.
4. Registrar, Lahore High Court, Lahore.
5. Managing Director, Punjab PRA, Lahore.

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PESTICIDE QUALITY CONTROL LABORATORY,
AYUB AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE,
JHANG ROAD, FAISALABAD

TENDER NOTICE

Sealed tenders are invited from GST/ IP registered firms/ suppliers/ manufacturers/ distributors for supply of following Pesticide analytical standards/ laboratory chemicals.

Sr. No.	Tender No.	Description	Quantity
1.	PQCLF-01/16	Pesticide Analytical Standards/ Laboratory Chemicals/ Solvents	As per Tender Documents

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. Offers shall remain valid till 30-06-2016 from the date of opening of the tenders, failing which the offer will be ignored.
2. Incomplete offer/ offers received after the due date and time/ not fulfilling any condition of the tender will straightway be ignored/ not entertained.
3. Rates should be quoted inclusive of taxes and on the basis of free delivery at consignee's end/ place of delivery. The amount of General Sales Tax as prevailing rates must be shown separately.
4. Each bid should be accompanied by 2% bid security/ (refundable). The bid containing less bid security will not be entertained.
5. Tendering firm must be registered with the Income Tax/ Sales Tax Department and mention their registration number in their offer along with the address of the concerned office. Copy of Registration Certificate of Sales Tax/ Income Tax must be attached with the offer.
6. Tender form for bid be filled properly, signed and stamped.
7. S.O.R. .660(1)/2007 will be applicable on Sales Tax deduction.
8. Payment will be subjected to inspection by local Purchase Committee.
9. Firm will replace store at its cost/ risk if found defective during use.
10. Quantity can be increased/ decreased by the competent authority without any notice.
11. The firms qualified for supply order will be bound to supply the stores on or before 15-06-2016.

Tender documents can be obtained from the office of the undersigned on payment of Rs. 500/- (non-refundable) on cash payment during office hours in working days. Last date for submission of tender forms is May 9, 2016 till 11:00 am and will be opened at 12.00 noon on the same day. Tender notice can also be viewed on PPRA website: www.ppra.org.pk.

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