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Managing Director,  
Punjab Safe Cities Authorities,  
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Punjab Safe Cities Authorities, Lahore's Pre-Qualification and Tender Notice for OFC (Optical Fiber Cable).**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Punjab Safe Cities Authorities, Lahore's Pre-Qualification and Tender Notice, published in daily "The Nation" on 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2018. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab Procurement Rules 2014.

As per advertisement, there is an ambiguity; two different dates for opening of technical proposals is mentioned i.e., 08-01-2018 and 10-01-2018, which can create confusion amongst the bidders. Therefore the advertisement is in a violation of PPRA Rules 2014, Rule 30(1). Stated as under;

*30. Opening of bids.- (1) The date for opening of bids and the last date for the submission of bids shall be the same; and, bids shall be opened at the time specified in the bidding documents which shall not less than thirty minutes after the closing time for the submission of bids.*

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

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## INVITATION FOR BIDS



### PSCA

#### PREQUALIFICATION & TENDER NOTICE

##### Description

#### OFC (Optical Fiber Cable) Laying for Kasur & Other Areas in LDA

Punjab Safe Cities Authority invites interested bidders for prequalification and thereby award of tender for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) laying for Kasur & other areas in Lahore Development Authority (LDA) as per LDA Amended act 2013 as per following terms and conditions and requirements:

1. The procurement shall be conducted in accordance with the Punjab Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) Rules 2014 and its subsequent amendments till date.
2. A single package containing proposals **Prequalification Documents, Technical Proposal and Financial Proposal** duly completed, signed, stamped, and in complete conformity with requirements enlisted in each of the above mentioned documents shall be dropped in the Tender Box at PSCA, Qurban Lines, Lahore, no later than 1500 Hours on **Thursday, February 08, 2018**.
3. The Technical & Financial Proposal shall be submitted in separate envelopes. A single stage two envelopes method of procurement shall be used for this procurement.
4. The Proposals containing PQDs, Technical Proposal and Financial Proposal will be opened by **Thursday, February 08, 2018 at 1530 hours** at PSCA office.
5. Only the prequalified bidders pursuant to fulfillment of requirements enlisted in Prequalification Documents shall be eligible to proceed further with the subject procurement and opening of Technical Bid.
6. The opening of Technical Bid shall be done on **Saturday, February 10, 2018 at 1400 hours**.
7. Income tax/ Sales Tax Registration Certificate and other documents as mentioned in Prequalification Documents must accompany the bids. All Taxes will be deducted as per Government of Punjab rules.
8. PSCA reserves the right to reject all bids at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid.
9. All questions/queries/clarifications regarding this procurement should be directed to the procurement department representative whose contact details are given in the document.
10. The document fee is PKR: 10,000/- which is nonrefundable. The same shall be deposited in PSCA Account number PK11BPUN-3630-0200-0185-0007 and copy of receipt shall be attached with PQDs.

For details, please download Tender Documents from

 [www.psc.a.gov.pk](http://www.psc.a.gov.pk)

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