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Managing Director,
Water and Sanitation Agency (WASA),
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Director (Procurement & Stores),
Water and Sanitation Agency (WASA), LDA, Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice for
Laying of Sewerage System.**

Dear Sir

This is with reference to WASA, LDA, Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice, published in daily "Dawn" on 21st March, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per advertisement, the pre-qualification document fee is given as US \$ 100 or equivalent in Pak Rupees, which is PRs 10,472.50 /-, 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 pre-qualification 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 Muzaffar
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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Water and Sanitation Agency
(WASA), LDA, Lahore, Pakistan.



**PRE-QUALIFICATION OF FIRMS ON THE BASIS OF
INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING (ICB) FOR
LAYING OF SEWERAGE SYSTEM FROM LARECH COLONY TO
GULSHAN-E-RAVI, LAHORE**

1. Punjab Government of Islamic Republic of Pakistan through WASA Lahore invites applications for the Pre-Qualification of Local/Foreign Firms/Joint Ventures for the project "Laying of Sewerage System from Larech Colony to Gulshan-e-Ravi, Lahore on the basis of International Competitive Bidding (ICB)". The project comprises of laying of trunk sewer of 1500mm (60") i/d and 2400mm (96") i/d of 17 km lengths each through micro tunneling technique by pipe jack using Tunnel Boring Machine (TBM) and construction of 189mgd (350 Cusecs) disposal station at Gulshan-e-Ravi, Lahore along with related allied/additional works (if any).
2. (a) Foreign Firms are required to form joint Venture with local Firms in accordance with Pakistan Engineering Council Bye-laws. (b) Local Firms/Joint Ventures duly registered with Pakistan Engineering Council with one of the partners of Joint Venture /Consortium in C-A (No Limit) category. (c) Local Firms are encouraged to form Joint Ventures with relevant Foreign Manufacturers/Suppliers. (d) Firms /Joint Ventures should have sufficient demonstrated experience of similar nature. Applications may be submitted for prequalification for the above works.
3. Interested firms may obtain the prequalification documents available immediately after publication of prequalification notice from the office of the undersigned, at
Director, Procurement & Stores
Water and Sanitation Agency (WASA), LDA, Lahore 59-F, Gulshan-e-Ravi, Lahore, Pakistan
Ph: +92-42-37460821 Email: wasawasadps@yahoo.com
Or may request to send the same through mail at the specified address.
4. The request must clearly state "Request for Pre-qualification Documents for Laying of Sewerage System from Larech Colony to Gulshan-e-Ravi, Lahore". The documents are available for a non-refundable fee of US \$ 100 or equivalent in Pak Rupees from the office of undersigned on any working day. The prequalification documents, if requested by mail, will be promptly dispatched by registered mail and expense will be borne by the Applicants, however the employer will not be responsible for late delivery or loss of the document so mailed in any circumstances.
5. Applications for pre-qualification in original must be delivered in sealed envelopes by hand or through registered mail not later than 1200 hrs on 10 May, 2016 and be clearly marked "Laying of Sewerage System from Larech Colony to Gulshan-e-Ravi, Lahore to:-
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6. The department has the right to reject all applications under Punjab PPRA Rules 2014 (Rule-35)
7. The firms providing unsubstantiated and/ Or incorrect information are liable to disqualification.
8. Applicants in due course will be informed of the result of the evaluation of applications. Only the firms of constructors and joint ventures prequalified under this process will be invited to bid.
9. PPRA Punjab Rules 2014 will be strictly observed and this notice can also be available on web site www.ppra.org.pk

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