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Secretary,
Communication & Works Department,
Government of Punjab,
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, (Secretary District Tender Board)
District Officer, Buildings Division, Kasur's Tender Notice for Up-Gradation Works.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Buildings Division, Kasur's Tender Notice published in daily "Khabrain" on 22nd June, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the PPRA Rules, 2014.

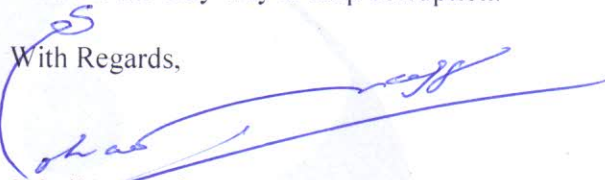
As per advertisement, 15 days of response time is not given and the last date for receipt of tenders is on 30-06-2016, which is 6 days short. It is in violation of PPRA 2014, Rule No.14 (1). Stated as under;

14. Response time:- (1) The procuring agency may decide the response time for receipt of bids or proposals (including proposals for pre-qualification) from the date of publication of an advertisement or notice, keeping in view the complexity of the procurement, availability and urgency but, in no circumstances, the response time shall be less than fifteen days for national competitive bidding and thirty days for international competitive bidding from the date of publication of advertisement or notice.

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.



TENDER NOTICE

Sealed tenders based on item rates are hereby invited, for the works mentioned below, from the contractors/ firms enlisted/ renewed with Secretary C&W Department/ Chief Engineer District Supports & Monitoring Punjab, Lahore / Executive District Officer Works & Services, Kasur in the field of constructio / buildings works for the year 2015-16. Tender documents can be obtained from the office of the undersigned as well as Executive District Officer (W&S) Kasure on written application accompanied with attested copies of enlistment / upto date renewal letter, fee receipt, Pakistan Engineering Council License Proprietary Certificate / Partnership deed, authority letter on pad form of contractor/ firm, Identity Card of contractor/ Managing Partner of the firm along with registered power of attorney and on payment of prescribed tender fee in the form of CDR /Bank Draft of any scheduled Bank (Tender fee is not acceptable in cash).

The Tender will be received in the office of District Officer Building, Kasur on the date mentioned below and will be opened immediately there after by the tenders opening Board in the presence of intending contractors or ther authorized representatives Conditional tenders and tender not accompanied with earnest money in shape of deposit at call receipt from Scheduled Bank and attested copies of registered partnership deed and original power of attorney (in case of firms) will not be entertained. Rejection of Bids. According to PPRA 2014 Rule No.35.

(1) The procuring agency/District Tenders Board may reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid or proposal.

(2) The procuring agency /District Tenders Board 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.

All the contractors are bound for strict compliance of all terms and conditions contained in Secretary C&W Department letter Nos.SOB-I (C&W) 2-37/99, dated 29.12.99 and time to time amendments from Government of the Punjab.

Earnest money to be deposited will be 5% but in case of tendered amount being less that 5% of estimated amount the lowest beidder will have to deposit performance security equal to the amount less that 5% below to estimated cost in fifteen days.

Any information regarding the tenders mentioned below can be obtained from the Divisional Head Clerk/ Head Draftsman during office hours. "The bidding documents are available in the office of the undersigned & the same may be obtained subject to the payment of the cost of the printing and provision of the document in which is mention below against each scheme".

The tenders for the schemes will be issued upto 29.06.2016 and received on 30.06.2016 upto 01:30 PM and opened at 2:00 PM as per PPRA Rule 30(i) of 2014 by the DCO Committee Room by the tender opening Committee alongwith the presence of participating contractors, any other person/ observer can also witness the procedure. The competent authority shall have the right of rejecting any or all of the tenders as per PPRA rules 25(7) 27, 29 & 35 to 2014.

Any person can come and watch / witness the landrs opening proceedings, Press Reporters and elected representatives are particularly encouraged to attend and witness the tender opening proceedings.

(The tenders list is also available in PPRA web site www.ppra.punjab.gov.pk).

S.#	Name of Schemes	Estimated Cost	Earnest Money 5%	Tender Fee	Time Limit
1.	Education Sector:- Up-Gradation of Govt. Boys High School to Higher Secondary School Chah Aroor Singh Tehsil & District Kasur.	16.600-M	0.830-M	0.010-M	12 Months

(Secretary District Tender Board)

District Officer, Buildings Division, Kasur

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