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Chairman,
District Council,
Sahiwal, Punjab.

Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Chief Officer/Chairman, District Council, Sahiwal's Tender Notice for Miscellaneous Works.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to District Council, Sahiwal's Tender Notice, published in daily "The News" on 30th November, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab Procurement Rules 2014.

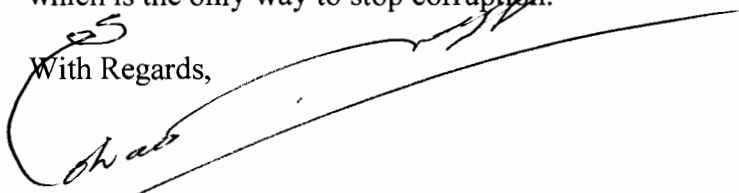
As per the advertisement, "Authority shall reserve the right to cancel any tender or all tender without any reason". However, it is not complying with, PPRA 2014 Rule No. 35, which requires that reason should be communicated to bidders. Therefore the advertisement is in violation of Rule No. 35 of PPRA 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.

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

سند فہوش

ڈسٹرکٹ کونسل ساہیوال کی ورکنگ اور ڈیپارٹمنٹ کے جاری کردہ ورکنگ کی فہرست کے مطابق...

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