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Chief Engineer,  
Punjab Buildings Department (South Zone),  
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Executive Engineer, Buildings Division,  
Sargodha's Expression of Interest (EOI) Notice for Hiring of Consultants for Residents,  
Construction Supervision.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Buildings Division, Sargodha's EOI Notice published in daily "Express" on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per advertisement, "The competent authority reserves the right to reject any or all expression of interest without any assigning reason thereof." However, as per Rule No. 17(4), PPRA 2014, the reason of rejection should be communicated to the bidders. Stated as under;

*17. Pre-qualification process: - (4) On a request, the procuring agency shall communicate to the contractor who has not been prequalified the reasons for not prequalifying the contractor.*

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge under Rule No 69, and with request to re-invite the EOI under the prescribed procedures or issue a corrigendum and extend date accordingly.

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



**INVITATION OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)**  
**FOR HIRING OF CONSULTANTS FOR RESIDENTS**  
**CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION.**

Punjab Buildings Department (South) intends to hire the services of Engineering Consulting firms for Resident Supervision of the work "Provision of Additional Class Rooms in Schools having highest enrolment in various Districts of Punjab Phase-1. The class rooms are to be constructed in Tehsils, Sargodha, Sahiwal, Sillanwali, Shahpur, Kot Momin Bhera, Bhalwal, Khushab, Noushera, Noor Pur Thal, Quaidabad of Districts Sargodha & Khushab with approximate estimated cost of Rs.1599 713(M).

The expression of interest must consist of list of permanent professional staff along with their (Cvs), area of expertise, previous experience in Buildings sector, list of projects where consultancy services rendered during the past ten years, location, cost and nature of each project with consultancy charges, an audited statement of accounts of the past three years in case of firms and NTN in case of an individual. In addition, the firms shall also have to furnish the following documents.

1. Certificate of registration with P&D department along with recent renewal letter
2. Copy of registration of Firms with SEOP/Registrar.
3. List of professional staff along with complete CVs and salaries statement.
4. An affidavit / stating that the firms have never been blacklisted by any government department / autonomous organization.

The "Expression of interest complete in all respect along with aforementioned information should reach in the office of the "Superintending Engineer, Buildings Circle Sargodha" (Phone No 0489233371) by 15-02-2017 during working hours. The competent Authority reserves the right to reject any or all expression of interests without assigning any reason thereof.

The firms fulfilling the aforementioned criteria shall be short listed / approved by the competent authority according to the clause 47 of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014.

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Executive Engineer  
Buildings Division  
Sargodha