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Additional Secretary (Admin),
Primary and Secondary Healthcare Department,
Government of Punjab,
Lahore.

Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Additional Secretary (Admin), Primary and Secondary Healthcare Department, Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice for Medical Equipment Supplying Firms.

Dear Sir

This is with reference to Primary and Secondary Healthcare Department, Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice, published in daily "The Nation" on 31st May, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.


As per advertisement, the pre-qualification document fee is charged as PRs 15,000/- in the advertisement, which appears costly in light of the Procurement Rule and is violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Rule 17(2). Stated as under;

17. Pre-qualification process:- (2) The procuring agency shall provide a set of prequalification documents to any contractor, on request and subject to payment of such price as the procuring agency may determine to defray the cost on account of printing and provision of the document.

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.

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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.

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**GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB
PRIMARY & SECONDARY
HEALTHCARE DEPARTMENT
INVITATION FOR PREQUALIFICATION
(MEDICAL EQUIPMENT SUPPLYING FIRMS)**

1. Government of the Punjab, Primary & Secondary Healthcare Department intends to prequalify the medical equipment supplying firms having established credentials in terms of technical, financial & managerial capabilities and invites applications against the list of the medical equipment instruments contained in the Prequalification Documents (List No.2).
2. A complete set of Prequalification Documents in English can be downloaded from [www.ppra.punjab.gov.pk] & [www.pshealth.punjab.gov.pk].
3. The interested applicant shall pay a non-refundable prequalification fee of Rs. 15,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Thousand only) in Government Treasury (C 02871-Health others) in any branch of National Bank of Pakistan and attach original receipt with application.
4. Applications should be in tape binding submitted in sealed envelope at Procurement Cell on or before 21.06.2016 (Tuesday) till 11:00AM which shall be opened publically on the same day at 11:30 AM in the presence of applicants.
5. Purchase Proposals may be invited only from the Prequalified Firms by various Procuring Agencies of the Department.

Note: The process shall be governed by the Punjab Procurement Rules 2014.

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