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

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Secretary District Tender Opening Committee/ District Officer (Roads), Okara's Tender Notice for Rehabilitation of Roads.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Secretary District Tender Opening Committee/ District Officer (Roads), Okara's Tender Notice, published in daily "Express" on 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

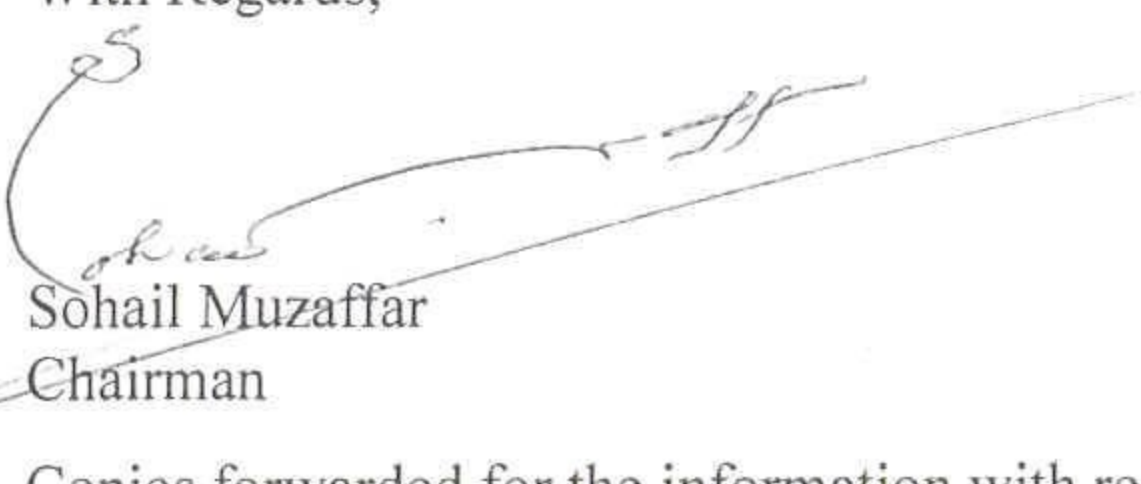
As per advertisement, District Officer (Roads), Okara reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reasons thereof. It is not complying with Rule No. 35 of PPRA 2014, which requires that reason should be communicated to bidders. Stated as under;

*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.

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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.





## DISTRICT GOVERNMENT OKARA

### TENDER NOTICE

Sealed tenders based on item rates as per Market Rates System notified on website of Government of the Punjab Finance Department for the quarter concerned are hereby invited, for the works mentioned below, from the contractors/firms enlisted/renewed for the current financial year 2015-16 with C&W Department in the field of Highway Works and also enlisted/allowed by the EDO(W&S), Okara.

Tender documents can be obtained from the office of the undersigned/EDO(W&S), Okara against 2% earnest money in the shape of deposit call from Schedule Bank of Pakistan under PEPPRA Rule-27 and written request on letter pad accompanied with attested copies of enlistment, upto date fee deposit with the district and registration of Pakistan Engineering Council/License Fee, (on appearance owner being proprietor of firm with original ID Card). The tender documents shall only be issued on payment of prescribed tender fee. The tender fee must be prepared in shape of CDR from any schedule Bank of Okara City. Without fulfillment of the above requirements tender shall not be issued.

Tendered rates and amounts should be filled in figures as well as in words and tenders should be signed as per general directions for the guidance of contractors given in the tender documents. No rebate on tendered rates will be acceptable.

Tenders will be issued after its publication in the print media upto 21.06.2016 during office hours and will be received on 23.06.2016 at 12:00 PM and opened at 12:30 PM (under provision of PPRA Rules 25(1) in the Committee Room of DCO, Okara by the tender opening board in the presence of intending contractors or their authorized representatives. Conditional/abnormal tenders shall not be entertained. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reasons thereof.

The lowest bidder, who will quote the rates less than 5% of the DNIT based on technically approved estimate cost shall have to deposit the additional performance security in accordance to the Govt. of Punjab C&W department Notification No. SOB-I(C&W)2-37/9, dated 29.12.1999 & F.D Notification No. RO(Tech)FD-1-2/83-VI(P), dated 24.01.2006 in the shape of deposit at call from any scheduled bank equal to the amount difference between DNIT/Bid & quoted amount. Failure to deposit additional performance security within 15 days from the date of approval of tender would result into forfeiture of earnest money (CDR) without further notice and tender shall stand cancelled automatically. Any Bid/Proposal can be rejected under PPRA Rule-35 Sub Rule (1) to (2).

Any information regarding the tender mentioned below may be had from the Divisional Head Clerk/Divisional Head Draftsman during office hours (08:00 AM to 03:00 PM). It is clarified that tender documents shall only be issued on production of original documents and photocopies shall not be acceptable.

Sl. No.	Name of work	Estimated Cost & E/Money (2%)	T.S Authority	Completion Time	Tender Fee
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Rehabilitation of Mehboob Town Main Road (Length = 0.75 km)	Rs. 36,50,000/- Rs. 73,000/-	DO(Roads) No. 1034/S, dt. 31.05.16	02-Months	10,000/-
2	Rehabilitation of road from Lahore Multan road (G.T Road) to Chak No. 5/4-L (Length = 0.40 km)	Rs. 24,00,000/- Rs. 48,000/-	-do-	02-Months	10,000/-

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Secretary District Tender Opening Committee/  
DISTRICT OFFICER (ROADS) OKARA

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