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TL16/0808/15B

Procurement Specialist,
Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education Department,
Government of Punjab,
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Lahore.
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**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Procurement Specialist, Specialized
Healthcare & Medical Education Department, Lahore's Pre-Qualification Notice for
Pharmaceutical Manufacturers & Sole Agents of Foreign Principals.**

Dear Sir

This is with reference to Section Officer (Purchase-I), Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education Department, Lahore's reply dated 28th July, 2016 on TI- Pakistan's letter dated 19th July, 2016 on the cited subject.

This is to inform you that you are only allowed to charge for the pre-qualification document fee, which shall be the printing cost only and cannot include the cost of travelling and lodging of relevant experts in the pre-qualification fee as informed in your letter. You are kindly advice to reduce the amount of pre-qualification document fee costing as PRs 15,000/- and only charge for the printing cost.

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.

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 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.



No. SO(P-I)Health /2009/PPRA
GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB
SPECIALIZED HEALTH CARE &
MEDICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Dated Lahore the 28th July, 2016

To,

✓ **MR. Sohail Muzaffar,**
Chairman, Transparency International-Pakistan,
5-C, 2nd Floor, Khayaban-e-Ittehad, Phase VII,
Defence Housing Authority, Karachi.

Subject: **VIOLATION OF PUNJAB PROCUREMENT RULES 2014, PROCUREMENT SPECIALIST, SPECIALIZED HEALTHCARE & MEDICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, LAHORE'S PRE-QUALIFICATION NOTICE FOR PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS & SOLE AGENTS OF FOREIGN PRINCIPALS.**

Kindly refer to your letter No.TL16/1907/15A dated 19-07-2016 on the subject captioned above.

2. This is to inform that the prequalification fee of Rs. 15,000/- which is being asked from the pharmaceutical manufacturers and sole agents are not only for printing and provision of documents. It includes the cost of travelling and lodging of relevant experts which will visit the sites of the applicants/firm. These experts will visit the sites of firm all over Pakistan who have applied for prequalification.


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A copy of the above is forwarded for information and necessary action to the:-

1. Additional Secretary (Staff) to Secretary SHC & ME Department.
2. P.S. to Special Secretary SHC & ME Department.
3. P.A. to Procurement Specialist SHC & ME Department.


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