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Director General,
Parks and Horticulture Authority,
Lahore.

Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Director Horticulture, Parks and Horticulture Authority, Sahiwal's Tender Notice for Beatification of Parks, Green Belts and Median etc.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to PHA, Sahiwal's Tender Notice published in daily "Express" on 6th August, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the PPRA Rules, 2014.

As per the advertisement, "Number of plants/grass area can be increased or decreased at the time issuance of supply order", whereas per rules, any change in tender conditions, specifications and quantity after the opening of the bid by procuring agency is not allowed under Rules. However, according to PPRA 2014, Rule No. 59 (c) (iv), repeat orders cannot exceed more than 15% of the original quantity. Stated as under;

*59. Alternative methods of procurements.- A procuring agency may utilize the following alternative methods of procurement of goods, services and works:
(c) direct contracting: a procuring agency shall only engage in direct contracting if any of the following conditions exist:
(iv) repeat orders not exceeding fifteen per cent of the original procurement;*

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.



PARKS & HORTICULTURE AUTHORITY, SAHIWAL

TENDER NOTICE

For the purpose of beautification of Parks, Green Belts, Median etc of city Sahiwal, PHA Sahiwal is intended to make rate contract for the financial year 2017-18. Interested plant Growers / Nursery Owners / Contractors are invited to submit Bid / Rate on prescribed tender document. The tender documents along with detail species of plants, quantity, size etc can be obtained from the office of Director Horticulture, PHA, during the office hours immediately after the publication of this advertisement on payment of Rs.500/- (Non-Refundable.)

TERMS & CONDITIONS:

- 1- Rate per plant must be given both in figures as well as in words.
- 2- Tender with conditions, cuttings, over writing or received after due date and time shall not be entertained.
- 3- Tender must be accompanied by earnest money amounting to Rs.10, 000/- in the shape of Call Deposit issued by any Scheduled Bank in favor of Deputy Director (Horticulture), PHA, Sahiwal.
- 4- Tender will be received in the O/O Director (Horticulture) PHA Sahiwal up to **28-08-2017** at 11:00 AM and will be opened on the same day at 11:30 AM in the presence of bidders.
- 5- The successful bidder shall deposit Rs.5, 00,000/- (Five Lac) security in shape of CDR issued by any schedule bank in favour of the Director (Horticulture), PHA Sahiwal and will be returned on completion of contract.
- 6- Successful bidder will have to complete the supply strictly as per demand & standards & specifications given in the supply order.
- 7- Earnest money shall be forfeited if successful bidder fails to supply the plants as per demand within period specified in supply order.
- 8- The plants shall be off loaded by Supplier at the point specified in the Supply Order.
- 9- Number of plants / grass area can be increase or decreased at the time issuance of supply order.
- 10- Payment shall be released to Supplier after physical verification by the Committee constituted for purpose and after deduction of Govt. taxes.
- 11- Any violation of terms & conditions may result termination of contract with forfeiture of Earnest money.
- 12- The procurement committee may reject one or all bids / proposals prior to acceptance of bid as per PPRA Rules 2014.

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