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Deputy Director (P), Water and Sanitation Agency (FDA), Faisalabad.

Sub: <u>Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Deputy Director (P), Water and Sanitation Agency (FDA), Faisalabad's Tender Notice for Installation of Meters.</u>

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Water and Sanitation Agency (FDA), Faisalabad's Tender Notice, published in daily "Nawaiwaqt" on 6th January, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per the advertisement, 15 days of response time is not given and the last date for the submission of tender is on 16-01-2017, which is 4 days short. It is violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Rule No.14 (1). Stated as under:

14. Response time:- (1) The procuring agency may decide the response time for receipt of bids or proposals (including proposals for pre-qualification) from the date of publication of an advertisement or notice, keeping in view the complexity of the procurement, availability and urgency but, in no circumstances, the response time shall be less than fifteen days for national competitive bidding and thirty days for international competitive bidding from the date of publication of advertisement or notice.

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.



WATER AND SANITATION AGENCY (FDA) FAISALABAD

TENDER NOTICE

Sealed bids are invited for the follow work from the approved contractors who have deposited their Enlistment/ Renewal Fee for the financial year 2016-17.

I	Sr.	Name of Work	T.S. No.	Estimated	Earnest	Tender	Time
I	No.		& Date	Cost (Rs)	Money (Rs)	Fee (Rs)	Limit
	1.	Installation of 1/2" dia	1080/PD(FF)	80,73,000/-	2% of	2,000/-	03 Months
		Domestic Water Meters	Dt: 09-12-2016		Estimated Cost		

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- 1. Tender documents can be obtained from the office of Deputy Director French Funded Project, WASA near Novelty Bridge, Samundari Road, Faisalabad, immediately after advertisement of tender notice through newspapers and uploading the notice on PPRA website with 2% (two percent) Earnest Money of the Estimated Cost in shape Deposit-at-Call from the Scheduled Bank. The bids will be opened in Committee Room, French Funded Project, near Novelty Bridge, Samundari Road, Faisalabad. Bids receiving time is 12:30 pm and opening time of bids is 01:00 pm on 16-01-2017 (Monday).
- 2. Earnest Money must be accomplished with the tender which should be valid for at least sixty (60) calendar days after the date specified for opening of the bids otherwise it will not be entertained.
- Tenders shall be opened in the presence of interested bidders or their representatives who may care to be present.
- Procedure of open competitive bidding Single Stage One Envelope System.
- 5. If any further information required regarding the tenders please visit the office of the undersigned during working hours.

(SAQIB RAZA) Deputy Director (P) Water and Sanitation Agency, Faisalabad

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