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Secretary,  
School Education Department,  
Government of Punjab,  
Lahore.

**Sub: Violation of Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, Project Director, Children Library Complex, Lahore's Tender Notice for Purchase of IT and Office Equipment.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Children Library Complex, Lahore's Tender Notice, published in daily "Express" on 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Punjab PRA 2014.

As per advertisement, "the quantity of items may be varied as per the demand of development phase", 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 PRA 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.

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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.



Government of the Punjab  
School Education Department  
Children Library Complex  
4-Shahra-e-Awan-e-Tijarat, Lahore.

### Tender Notice

Children Library Complex intends to purchase "Goods" for its ADP approved scheme, as per detail given below. The sealed tenders, as per Single Stage-Two Envelope Procedure, prescribed in PPRA Rules-2014, are invited from Income Tax / Sales Tax registered Manufacturers / Authorized Dealers / Supplier Firms / Person, for supply / installation of the following items.

Name of the scheme: Standard MIS and Interactive-web Portal Development for Children Library Complex, Lahore.

Package No.	Items	Qty. In Nos.
<b>IT Equipment-CLC/SMIS/04/2017-18</b>		
1.	Desktop Computers	10
2.	UPS	10
3.	Laptops	03
4.	Networking & Accessories	Lumpsum
5.	iPad 12.9"	30
6.	Braille Displays (Focus 80-Blue)	02
<b>Office Equipment-CLC/SMIS/05/2017-18</b>		
1.	Visitor Information System	Complete Installation
2.	Interactive Collaboration Tools with Gorilla Glass Touch Screens / LED / LCD	08
3.	Audio Visual System	01

- Bidders may bid for one or more packages. Bids will be valid for a period of 60 days.
- Single Stage-Two Envelope Procedure prescribed in Rule-38-2(a) PPRA-2014 shall be followed. Tender containing Technical & Financial Separate Bids, duly completed, signed stamped, sealed and in complete conformity with bidding Documents should be submitted / furnished in respect of all the above bids.
- The bids should be dropped in the tender box placed at the reception of the Children Library Complex, 4-Shahra-e-Awan-e-Tijarat, Lahore, by closing date i.e., **25-10-2017 till 11.00 a.m.** The tenders shall be opened publically on the same day at **11.30 a.m.** in the office of the Project Director, Children Library Complex, 4-Shahra-e-Awan-e-Tijarat, Lahore.
- A complete set of bidding documents of the above mentioned tenders containing detailed specifications of the above items and other terms and conditions can be purchased from Admin Officer / Budget Officer, Children Library Complex, Lahore on or before closing date by the interested bidders on submission of a written application on firm's letter pad at the address given below and upon payment of non-refundable fee of Rs. 1,000/- for each tender. The bidding documents are available to the interested firms / prospecting bidders, immediately, after publication of the bidding notice. Admin Officer may also be contacted for further queries during office hours on any working day.
- The Financial bids of the tender must be accompanied by a bid security of 5% of the estimated price in the shape of pay Order / CDR / Bank Draft in the name of Project Director, Children Library Complex, 4-Shahra-e-Awan-e-Tijarat, Lahore.
- Advertisement may also be seen on the websites [www.dc.punjab.gov.pk](http://www.dc.punjab.gov.pk) & [www.ppra.punjab.gov.pk](http://www.ppra.punjab.gov.pk).
- Tenders received through Telex / Fax and Mail after 11.00 a.m. of the closing date will not be entertained / considered.
- 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 quantity of items may be varied as per the demand of development phase.

Project Director  
Children Library Complex  
4-Shahra-e-Awan-e-Tijarat, Lahore

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