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**Sub: Violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules 2014, Project In-charge, Medicinal Plan Botanist Pakistan Forest Institute, Peshawar's Tender Notice for Miscellaneous Equipment.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Medicinal Plan Botanist Pakistan Forest Institute, Peshawar's Tender Notice published in daily "Aaj" on 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the KPPRA Rules 2014.

As per the advertisement, 15 days of response time is not given and the last date for submission of bids is given on 28-04-2017, which is 3 days short. It is a violation of KPPRA Rules 2014, Rule No.34 (1). Stated as under:

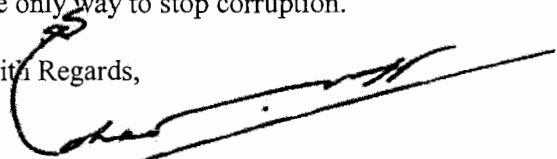
Also, the bidding documents can be purchased till 27-04-2017, which means tender documents are not available for the bidders for 15 days. The rule "Response Time" includes purchase of tender documents for the bidder from the date of publishing of advertisement till the date of submission of bids. Therefore, the advertisement is in violation of P KPPRA Rules 2014, Rule No.34 (1). Stated as under:

*34. Response time.---(1) The procuring entity 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 contract's complexity, and urgency. However, under 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 in the national newspaper.*

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge under Rule No 54, 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, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
2. Director General, NAB, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
3. Chief Secretary, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
4. Registrar, Peshawar High Court.
5. Managing Director, KPPRA, Peshawar.



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## **TENDER NOTICE**

Pakistan Forest Institute (PFI), Peshawar invites sealed tenders from NTS/GST registered firms for purchase of following equipment under the ADP project titled "Maintaining Biological Diversity of Medicinal Plants through Local Community Participation in Arid Zones of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa" in accordance with tender documents, which can be obtained from office of undersigned, on payment of Rs.100/- (Non-refundable), during office hours up to 27/04/2017.

| S. No. | Equipment  | Specifications   |
|--------|--|--|
| 1      | Processing and packing unit for Plantago ovata Machine | Motor electric 1HP (1 No.), Grinder 2 Feet (1 No.), Pulley 1 Feet (1 No.), Pulley 2 inches (1 No.), Lever (1 No.), Bearing (3 No.), Keel (1 No.)                     |
| 2      | Jamba  | Jali (3 Nos.), Electric Motor H&P (1 No.), Pulley (3 Nos.), Bearing big (1 No.), Bearing small (6 Nos.), Pattion (3 Nos.), Rod iron (1 Nos.)                         |
| 3      | Sorter   | Iron Stand (1 No.), Keel (1 No.), Pedestal Fan (1 No.)   |
| 4      | Grader   | Iron Mesh, 60x80x90 Grade (3 Nos.)   |
| 5      | Plantago ovata Packing Machine (Sachet)                | Size of Sachet (37X50 MM), Material Weight (10 Gram per Sachet), Electric Motor (0.5 HP (1/2)), Patti Size Ruler (2 inches), Production Speed (3000 Sachet per hour) |

Processing and packing unit for Plantago ovata Machine will be installed either at D.I. Khan or Peshawar 1. All specifications, terms & conditions are mentioned in the tender documents, which will be acceptable to all interested bidders.

- The sealed tenders must reach in office of the undersigned by 28/04/2017 at 2:30 pm positively. The tenders will be opened by the committee on the same day at 3:00 pm in the presence of tenderers or their representatives present on occasion.
- A call deposit equal to 2% of the tender price (refundable) must be attached with tender in the form of Pay Order/Demand Draft in favour of Medicinal Plant Botanist, PFI, Peshawar.
- All taxes shall be charged as per Government Rules.
- Incomplete tenders/bids shall not be entertained.
- PFI may reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid or proposal. PFI shall, upon request, communicate to any contractor or consultant who submitted a bid or proposal, the grounds for rejection of bids or proposals.

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CORRUPTION"**

**Project Incharge**  
**Medicinal Plant Botanist**  
**Pakistan Forest Institute, Peshawar**



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