

No. 661/7E Dated 23/02/16

To

The Assistant Director (M&E),  
(KPPRA) Peshawar

Subject: - **TENDER NOTICE**

With reference to your letter No KPPRA/M&E/Discrepancies/503/2015-2016/2606-09 dated 16.02.2016, it is submitted that the NIT was sent to Director Information vide this office letter No. 612/7-E, dated 08.02.2016 wherein the date of opening was 26.02.2016

It is further added for your kind information that the NIT published by the Director Information in daily News paper **Daily The News** on 11.02.2016 and in daily news paper **Daily Mashriq** on 12.02.2016 (Copy attached for ready reference).

It is very much clear in the KPPRA Rules 34(1) that "the procuring entity may decide the response time for receipt of bids or proposals including proposal for prequalification 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 15 days for national competitive bidding and thirty days for international competitive bidding from the date of publication of advertisement or notice in the national news paper.

It is further added that in the KPPRA Rules 34(2) the response time shall be calculated from the date of first publication of the advertisement in a news paper or posting on the web site, as the case may be.

In light of the above situation and quoted rules it is requested that redressed the observations raised by your office.  
DA/As above

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1. Chairman Transparency international Karachi Pakistan for information please.
2. Director HR/Finance (KPPRA), Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa for information please.
3. PS to Managing Director (KPPRA) Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa for information please.

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