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Secretary,  
District Council,  
Abbottabad,  
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Sub: Violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules 2014, Secretary, District Council, Abbottabad's Quotation Notice for Miscellaneous Works on Vehicle.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to District Council, Abbottabad's Quotation Notice, published in daily "Aaj" on 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2016. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the KPK Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules 2014.

1. As per the advertisement, no information regarding issuance of bidding documents is given for the bidders. Therefore, the advertisement is in a violation of KPPRA Rules 2014, Rule No.33 (5). Stated as under;

*33. Bid solicitation documents. (5) Solicitation documents shall be made available to the bidders from the date of their issuance to the closing date on submission of required fee by the prospective bidder whether in person or, if so requested through an authorized request in writing. In case the request is made through courier, it shall accompany a bank draft in favor of the procuring entity including the cost of return delivery.*

2. Also, 15 days of response time is not given and the last date for the submission of bids is given as 29-02-2016, which is 9 days short and is violation of 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.*

3. Also, District Council, Abbottabad reserves the right to accept or reject any quotation without any reason. Therefore, the advertisement is in a violation of KPPRA Rules 2014, Rule No.47 (1). Stated as under;

*47. 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. The procuring agency shall upon request communicate to any supplier or contractor who submitted a bid or proposal, the grounds for its rejection of all bids or proposals, but is not required to justify those grounds.*



The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding mis-procurement charge under Rule No 54, with request to re-invite the quotation 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 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.





## کوٹیشن نوٹس

ڈسٹرکٹ کونسل ایبٹ آباد کو گاڑی نمبر A-1285 کو درج ذیل کام کروانے کیلئے کوٹیشن درکار ہیں جو کہ مورخہ 29/02/2016 تک دفتر زیر دستخطی پہنچانی ہوں گی اور وہ اسی روز کھولی جائیں گی نیز مجاز اتھارٹی بغیر وجہ بتائے کسی بھی کوٹیشن کو منظور یا مسترد کر سکتی ہے۔

(1) گیر مکمل	(2) گوڈ ایل	(3) وارنگ مکمل
(4) بپر، بانٹ مرتی	(5) اے سی مرتی مکمل	
(6) آئل پمپ	(7) جنرل اوور ہالنگ	

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