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Tehsil Municipal Officer,
Tehsil Municipal Administration (TMA),
Abbottabad,
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

Sub: Violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules 2014, Tehsil Nazim/ TMO, Tehsil Municipal Administration (TMA), Abbottabad's Tender Notice for Construction Works.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to TMA, Abbottabad's Tender Notice published in daily "Aaj" on 31st March, 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 10-04-2017, which is 4 days short. It is a 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.

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.

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.

