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Major,
Acting Commanding Officer,
10 Corps Data Centre,
Abbottabad, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
Tel: 0304-3350002.

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Major, Acting Commanding Officer, 10 Corps Data Centre, Abbottabad's Tender Notice for Supply of Miscellaneous Items.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to 10 Corps Data Centre, Abbottabad's Tender Notice published in daily "Express" on 3rd February, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the PPRA 2004.

1. As per advertisement, 15 days of response time is not given and the date for submission of tender is on 13-02-2017, which is 4 days short. It is a violation of PPRA Rules 2004, No.13 (1). Stated as under:

13. Response time. - (1) The procuring agency 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 individual procurement's complexity, availability 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.

2. Also, there is no information regarding issuance of bidding documents for bidders, which is violation of PPRA Rules 2004, Rule No. 23 (1) & (2). Stated as under:

23. Bidding Documents:- (1) Procuring agencies shall formulate precise and unambiguous bidding documents that shall be made available to the bidders immediately after the publication of the invitation to bid.

(2) For competitive bidding, whether open or limited, the bidding documents shall include the following, namely:-

- (a) invitation to bid;*
- (b) instructions to bidders;*
- (c) form of bid;*
- (d) form of contract;*
- (e) general or special conditions of contract;*
- (f) specifications and drawings or performance criteria (where applicable);*
- (g) list of goods or bill of quantities (where applicable);*
- (h) delivery time or completion schedule;*
- (i) qualification criteria (where applicable);*
- (j) bid evaluation criteria;*
- (k) format of all securities required (where applicable);*
- (l) details of standards (if any) that are to be used in assessing the quality of goods, works or services specified; and*
- (m) any other detail not inconsistent with these rules that the procuring agency may deem necessary.*



3. Also, only the date and time of opening of tenders is mentioned whereas it should also include the date and time of submission of tender that shall be on the same day. Therefore the advertisement is in violation of PPRA Rules 2004, Rule 28(1). Stated as under;

28. Opening of bids. – (1) The date for opening of bids and the last date for the submission of bids shall be the same. Bids shall be opened at the time specified in the bidding documents. The bids shall be opened at least thirty minutes after the deadline for submission of bids.

It is mentioned in PPRA ‘Tender Guidelines’ on their website, that Tender Notice should contain closing date, time and place for receiving bids, as well as time of public opening of bids (Copy Attached).

4. Also, “10 Corps Data Centre, Abbottabad reserves the right to accept/reject any or all tenders/quotations without any reason”. It is a violation of PPRA Rules 2004, Rule No.33 (1). Stated as under;

33. 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.

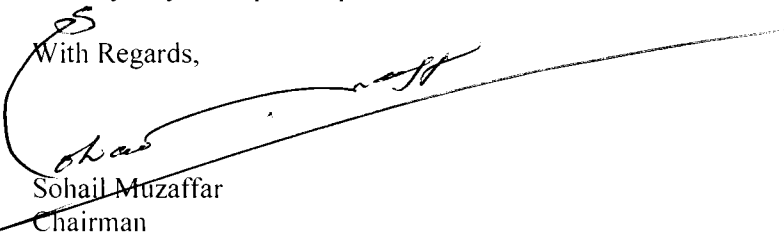
5. Also, “10 Corps Data Centre, Abbottabad reserves the right to increase/decrease the quantity”. Any change in tender conditions, specifications and quantity after bid opening by procuring agency is not allowed under Rules. However according to PPRA Rules 2004, No. 42 (c) (iv), repeat orders cannot exceed more than 15% of the original quantity. Stated as under;

*42. Alternative methods of procurements.- A procuring agency may utilize the following alternative methods of procurement of goods, services and works, namely:-
(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 50, 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. Secretary to Prime Minister, Islamabad.
2. Director General, NAB, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
3. Chairman, Prime Minister’s Inspection Commission, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



ٹینڈر نوٹس



1- 10 کورڈینا سینٹر کو مندرجہ ذیل کیلئے ”اشیاء کی ڈیلیوری خرچہ بذمہ سپلائر“ کی بنیاد پر سر بمبر ٹینڈرز مطلوب ہیں۔ ٹینڈرز 13 فروری 2017 دن 1000 بجے تک 10 کورڈینا سینٹر ایبٹ آباد کو بوساطت پاکستان ملٹری اکیڈمی کاکول (ایبٹ آباد) پہنچ جانے چاہئیں۔

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| a. Face Plate | m. Repair of ACs |
| b. IOs | n. Heavy Duty Drill Machine |
| c. Steel Nail | o. Drill Bits 18” |
| d. Cable Cat 5 & 6 | p. Drill Bits 24” |
| e. Toner HP Laser Jet CP-1525N | q. LAN Tester |
| f. Toner HP Laser Jet 4015N | r. Punching Machine |
| g. Duct 16 x 25 & 16 x 38 | s. Rowel Bolt |
| h. Duct 40 x 40 | t. Labeling Tool Cartridge |
| i. Power Cable | u. Cell |
| j. Blank DVD | v. Antivirus |
| k. Repair of HP Laser Jet 4015N | w. Operating Sys/Utility Softwares |
| l. Repair of UPS | x. RAM/HDD |

2- شرائط و ضوابط:

- ا۔ پیشکشیں 25 جون 2017 تک مؤثر تصور ہوں گی۔
- ب۔ سپلائر کرایہ بار برداری اور دیگر تمام چارجز برداشت کرے گا۔
- ج۔ ڈیلرز / فرمز کو جنرل سیلز ٹیکس ڈیپارٹمنٹس سے رجسٹرڈ شدہ اور موثر پروموشنل ٹیکس سرٹیفکیٹ کا حامل ہونا چاہیے۔
- د۔ ٹینڈرز / کونٹینڈرز لیٹر ہیڈ پر درج ہونے چاہئیں۔
- ر۔ انکم ٹیکس کی کٹوتی مروجہ ریٹس کے مطابق کی جائے گی۔
- ز۔ زیر دستخطی کو مقدار میں کمی / بیشی اور کسی ایک یا تمام ٹینڈرز / کونٹینڈرز کو بغیر وجہ بتائے منظور / مسترد کرنے کا حق حاصل ہے۔

میجر

ایکٹنگ کمانڈنگ آفیسر

10 کورڈینا سینٹر ایبٹ آباد

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Procurement Guide Lines

DESIRABLE MINIMUM INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED IN TENDER NOTICE

1. Name of procuring agency.
2. Tender number (for identification)
3. Procurement Title (indicating type and quantity).
4. Contact person (for seeking bidding documents).
5. Last date for obtaining bidding documents and its price (if any).
6. Closing time and date as well as place for receiving bids.
7. Time and Place of public opening of bids (Bids must be opened on the closing date).
8. Amount of bid security (%age of bid price).
9. Time period for performance of contract.