



19<sup>th</sup> June, 2014

Mr. Vice Admiral Shafqat Javed,  
Chairman,  
Karachi Port Trust (KPT),  
Karachi.

Sub: Violation of NAB Directives dated 8/1/2014 for Not Making Available Bidding Document of Tender for "Construction and Supply of 02 NOS. ASD Type Shipping Tugs, Each Bollard Pull Capacity 75 Tons".

Dear Sir,

TI-Pakistan refers to the Karachi Port Trust's tender notice published in "Dawn" newspaper on 19<sup>th</sup> June, 2014, for "Construction and Supply of 02 NOS. ASD Type Shipping Tugs, Each Bollard Pull Capacity 75 Tons".

Karachi Port Trust in past, has consistently been violating Public Procurement Rules 2004, PPRA Ordinance 2002 and NAB directives on procurement, and this is the most recent violation of NAB directives issued under the title of "Measure for Prevention of Corruption in Public Procurement Process for Transparency and Meritocracy" (copy enclosed), according to which tender documents must be made available on KPT website.

Kindly note that the tender documents are not uploaded on KPT website which needs your attention and directions to the relevant department to follow NAB directives, and upload the tender documents on website, and issue corrigendum.

As per NAB directives dated 8/1/2014, any mis-procurement shall be liable for cognizance by NAB under relevant section of NAO 1999.

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. Secretary to Prime Minister, Islamabad.
2. Mr. Khurshid Shah, Leader of Opposition & Chairman, PAC, National Assembly, Islamabad.
3. Chairman, NAB, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



## KARACHI PORT TRUST

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### INVITATION OF BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION AND SUPPLY OF 02 NOS. ASD TYPE SHIPPING TUGS, EACH BOLLARD PULL CAPACITY 75 TONS

1. Karachi Port Trust (KPT) intends to invite Technical and Financial bids from local and international shipbuilding yards/firms/suppliers for Construction and Supply of 02 Nos. ASD Type Shipping Tugs, each bollard pull capacity 75 tons under clause 36 (b) of PPRA Rules-2004.
2. Interested firms, experienced in the work of similar nature, may obtain the bidding documents from the office of Project Manager (M) upon written request along with Fee of Rs. 2,000/- (non-refundable) in the form of a pay order/bank draft drawn in favour of Chief Accounts Officer, Karachi Port Trust.
3. The proposals are to be submitted (one original and one copy) in two separate sealed envelopes marked as "Technical offer" and "Financial offer" by 12-08-2014 at 1100 hrs. Only Technical proposals shall be opened on the same day at 1130 hrs. in the presence of bidders' representatives who wish to be present. The Financial bids shall be kept in safe custody of the department and bids of only technically qualified firms shall be opened in the presence of bidders.
4. KPT may reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid proposal. The reasons for rejection or acceptance of bids/proposals shall be communicated as per PPRA Rules-2004.

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AWARENESS & PREVENTION DIVISION

Mandated to educate, advise, assist and instruct in Prevention of Corruption and Corrupt Practices  
(Section 33B & C of NAO 1999)

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All Ministries / Divisions /  
Departments / Regulatory Bodies  
and Corporation etc. (Ist attached)

Subject: MEASURE FOR PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION IN PUBLIC  
PROCUREMENT PROCESS FOR TRANSPARENCY AND  
MERCITOCRACY

To plug the possible corruption holes during procurement process, National Accountability Bureau (NAB) under its Prevention Regime, as enshrined in section 33B and 33C of National Accountability Ordinance (NAO) 1999 read with Public Procurement Rules 2004, advises to abide by the following instructions, in order to ensure transparency in the public procurement process:

- a. Registration or enlistment of contractors on periodic basis a procurement agency is not needed under the Public Procurement Rules 2004 nor any charging of fee on this account is admissible. This practice should be stopped forthwith as it supports the Corrupt Practices of collusive limited competition to favor the favorites.
- b. A procurement agency may adopt the process of pre-qualification of contractors to establish their ability to perform for a particular work; therefore enlistment of the contractors, as condition in pre-qualification is not required and cannot be imposed as condition for pre-qualification under Public Procurement Rules 2004.
- c. It is further required to completely specify the conditions and circumstances explained in rules 15 and 16 "pre-qualification of contractors and suppliers" and "pre-qualification process" of Public Procurement Rules 2004.

- d. All procuring agencies should make available the bidding or pre-qualification documents and other related communication in *downloadable format, for any interested bidder or party, at their websites to use these documents for submitting bid(s) with admissible tender fee, if any, paid in bank as prescribes by procuring agency. This will break cartelization and collusive biddings. (Instructions under Prevention Regime of NAB)*
- e. Mis-procurement declared and falling within Rule 50 of PP Rules 2004 at any stage shall be liable for cognizance by NAB under relevant Section of NAO 1999.

2. The above information be communicated to all subordinate offices responsible for procurement processes.

3. It is to inform that these instructions are issued after consultation with Public Procurement Regulatory Authority and with the approval of DG A&P NAB HQ / President Prevention Committee on Procurement, Projects and Auctions, constituted by Chairman NAB under Section 33C of NAO 1999, please.

  
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- e. MD, Punjab Public Procurement Regulatory Authority, Lahore