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Chairman,
Karachi Port Trust (KPT),
Karachi.

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Estate Manager, Estate Department,
Karachi Port Trust (KPT), Karachi's Tender Notice for the Purpose of Educational Institute.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to KPT, Karachi's Tender Notice published in daily "Dawn" on 4th November, 2016. It is observed that advertisement is in violation of the Public Procurement Rules 2004.

As per the advertisement, "KPT reserves the right to reject all or any bids without assigning any reason". It is not complying with PPRA Rules 2004, No. 33, which requires that reason should be communicated to bidders. 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.

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, Karachi.
3. Chairman, Prime Minister's Inspection Commission, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



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TENDER NOTICE - Estate Department

1. Sealed bids are invited in respect of KPT Plot No. 9, measuring 258 square meters (alongwith Ground+2 Storey building), at West Wharf adjacent to TPX Police Station, Karachi on "as is where is basis" for the purpose of Educational Institute related to Marine / Port Management on Licence basis for 03 year (renewable subject to terms and conditions).
2. Tender documents can be obtained from Estate Department KPT Head Office, till 23rd November 2016 upto 1500 hours on payment of Rs. 2,000/- (non-refundable) through Pay Order in favour of Karachi Port Trust.
3. The last date of submission of tender documents is 24th November 2016 latest by 14:00 hours. The Tender documents will be opened on the same day at 14:30 hours in the office of the General Manager (CW/E), in the presence of Tenderers who desire to attend.
4. KPT reserves the right to reject all or any bids without assigning any reason.

ESTATE MANAGER, Estate Department

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