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**Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Executive Engineer, B&R Division (North),  
GB (PWD) Astore's Tender Notice for Miscellaneous Works.**

This is with reference to B&R Division, GB (PWD) Astore's Tender Notice published in daily "The Nation" on 13<sup>th</sup> Sep, 2018. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the PPRA Rules 2004.

As per advertisement, only the date and time for opening of tender is mentioned whereas it should also include the date and time for 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).

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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Justice Zia Perwez  
Former Judge of Supreme Court of Pakistan and High Court of Sindh  
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Copies forwarded for the information with request to take action under their mandate to:

1. Secretary to Prime Minister, Islamabad.
2. Director General, NAB, Rawalpindi.
3. Chairman, Prime Minister's Inspection Commission, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



## INVITATION FOR BIDS

GB PWD B&R Division Astore invites sealed bids from eligible bidders who can prove their eligibility and qualification as mention in the bidding documents for the following work (F.Y. 2018-19) in Gilgit-Baltistan brief description of the contracts is mentioned hereunder:-

S. No.	Description	Estimated cost * (Million)	Bid security/ Earnest Money (Million)	Cash Flow Turnover Avg. N/worth & N/W Capital for last 3 years Rs. Million.
01.	Re-Habilitation and Metalling of Damaged road from Astore Bazar to Rama Lake Phase-I	Rs. 96.356	Rs. 1.927	50% estimated cost
02.	Conversion of small suspension Bridges in to RCC in Diarmer Region (38 M at Kalafote and Zall, 37 M at Farucha, 17 M at Yanchilito, 27 M at Minlmerg, 46 M at Qamari, 12 M at Shkong, Ramkhah, Dodagal, Majini Heat Rattu, harcho Gollal and Robin and 6 M at Gorikote)	Rs. 118.771	Rs. 2.375	50% estimated cost

### Eligibility Criteria.

- e. Valid PEC Registration certificate for year 2018-19 in Category C-4 or above with specialization code CE-01 for road work & CE-02 for bridge work respectively.
- f. No litigation certificate on judicial/ Stamp paper duly attested by First Class Magistrate.
- g. At-least (01) similar nature works valuing not less than 50% of the estimated cost of the work completed in last five years.
- h. Bidders having poor performance (present/past) shall not be qualified.

### Financial Competence.

- c. On line credit for above mentioned works 50% of estimated cost.
- d. Cash flow. Average Annual turnover. Average Net worth and networking capital as mentioned.

### Availability of Major Equipment/ Machinery.

04. Concrete mixer, batching plant, vibrator, paver machine, Roller for road work.
  05. Concrete Mixer, scaffolding, shuttering, boring/ launching equipments vibrator and steel cutter machine for Bridge work.
  06. List to be provided on Judicial/Stamp paper duly attested by First Class Magistrate.
2. Bidding will be carried out by adopting "Single stage two Envelopes" procedure Bidders are required to be registered with Pakistan Engineering Council with a valid registration Certificate in Category C-4 or above with specialization code CE-01, for road work & CE-02 for bridge work for the year 2018-19.
  3. Bidders can purchase bidding document from GB PWD in the office of Executive Engineer B&R Division PWD Astore on 08-09-2018 office hours till 27-09-2018. Bids must be properly hard binded stamped, page numbered and signed by the authorized representative (authority letter by owner must be attached in documents) (spiral binding or shortcoming of any of these requirements will lead to non-responsiveness of bids). The envelope containing "Technical Bid" will be opened on 28-09-2018 at 11:00 hours in the presence of bidders authorized representatives who choose to attend. Second envelope containing "Financial Bid" of technically qualified bidder will be opened later, the date of which will be communicated after evaluation of the Technical Bids.
  4. Bid security for an amount equal to 2% of the Engineer's Estimate must accompany with "Technical Bid" Photocopy of Bid or none submission of bid Security with Technical Documents may lead the firm to disqualification/ non responsive. Bidders are required to submit their bids strictly in accordance to conditions of bidding documents/ Bid Data sheet Non compliance of Instructions to Bidders will lead to disqualification of firm/ none responsiveness of the bid at the time of opening.
  5. Firms providing unsubstantiated/ incorrect/ incomplete information are liable to disqualification or legal action. GB PWD B&R Division right to reject any or all bids as per PPRA Rule No. 33(1).

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