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Divisional Superintendent,
Pakistan Railways,
Multan.

**Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, For Divisional Superintendent,
Pakistan Railways, Multan's Tender Notice for Dry Cleaning Works.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Pakistan Railways, Multan's Tender Notices published in daily "The Nation" on 8th July, 2017. It is observed that the advertisements are in violation of the PPRA Rules 2004.

As per advertisement, "The Competent Authority i.e. Divisional Superintendent Pakistan Railways Multan reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason". It is not complying with PPRA Rules 2004, Rule 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 the 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.

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

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PAKISTAN RAILWAYS

Divisional Office Multan

TENDER NOTICE

- ① Sealed Tenders are invited for Dry Cleaning of all types of coaches of through passing trains at Multan and Khanewal Station for the period of 3+1 years by undersigned.
- ② The tender documents can be obtained from Rolling Stock Section (R.S Branch) of Divisional Superintendent Office Multan on cash payment of Rs.5000/- (Non Refundable) during office hours from 10-07-17 to 24-07-17.
- ③ The tenderer should accompany a cash deposit receipt / bank draft in favour of Divisional Account Officer Pakistan Railways, Multan of Rs.50,000/- which will be refunded on completion of contract if awarded. Earnest money in case of unsuccessful bidders will be released as soon as the case is evaluated. The offer without earnest money is liable to be rejected.
- ④ Tender will be received up to 11:30 hours on 25-07-2017 and will be opened on same date in the office of Divisional Account Officer Pakistan Railways Multan at 12:00 hours on the same date in the presence of tenderers or their representatives, who wish to be present at that time on the dates. While submitting quotation, envelop should be marked "Tender Notice for Dry Cleaning, watering and hose down of all type of coaches of through passing trains at Multan & Khanewal stations"
- ⑤ The competent authority i.e. Divisional Superintendent Pakistan Railways Multan reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason.

(Shahzad Javed)
For Divisional Superintendent,
Pakistan Railways, Multan

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