



28th November, 2013

The Chairman,
Pakistan Railways,
Headquarter Office,
Lahore.

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Project Director, Special Repairs of 150 DE Locomotives Project, Pakistan Railways Lahore's Tender Notice for Procurement of spare parts of Hitachi, General Motor and G.E class of Locomotives.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to Project Director, Pakistan Railways Lahore's Tender Notice, published in the "News" on 22nd November, 2013. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Public Procurement Rules 2004.

As per the advertisement Project Director of Pakistan Railways has not mentioned about the opening date and time of the bid in the advertisement, which is a mandatory requirement of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Rule No. 13. The rules are quoted below for your reference:

13. Response time:- *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.*

The above information is forwarded for the purpose of avoiding the mis-procurement charge under Rule No 50 and with request to issue a corrigendum and extend date accordingly.

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With Regards,


Syed Adil Gilani
Adviser

Copies forwarded for the information with request to take action under their mandate to:

1. Secretary to Prime Minister, Islamabad.
2. Director General, NAB (A&P), Islamabad.
3. Director General, FIA, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



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Headquarter Office, Lahore

TENDER NOTICE

Sealed Tender are invited against Tender Enquiries of Diesel Bulletin -V on FOB and FOR basis in accordance with Public Procurement Rues 2004 (single stage-single Envelop procedure)

Bulletin	Description	Selling Date	Opening Date
13-SR/150 Loco/ 2013 (DB-V)	Procurement of spare parts for Hitachi, General Motor and G.E class of Locomotives.	21-11-2013 to 01-01-2014	As Given in the Tender Bulletin

Tender documents are available in the offices of CCP, PD/SR-150 Locos Lahore, Dy: CCS Karachi Cantt and ACOS PR, Rawalpindi.

For details consult Undersigned Office.

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Project Director

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