

No. F. 1(16)/DD-II/PPRA/2011
GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY
(CABINET DIVISION)
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Islamabad, the dated 10th November, 2011

SUBJECT: VIOLATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RULES, 2004,
NATIONAL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY, RE-TENDER NOTICE FOR
CONSTRUCTION OF LEFT OVER WORKS OF SECTION 1
PACKAGE-IIA – GAWADAR.

Reference Public Procurement Regulatory Authority's letter No. Nil dated 29.08.2011 on the above noted subject.

2. Your request was forwarded to National Highway Authority (NHA), Islamabad for disposal under Rule – 48 of Public Procurement Rule, 2004. The comments of Procuring Agency are enclosed for kind consideration as it may be deemed appropriate.

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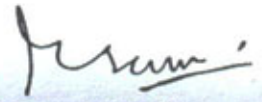
Subject: **VIOLATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RULES 2004 - NATIONAL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY - Re-tender Notice for Construction of Left Over Works of Section-I Package-IIA - Gawadar to Turbat (Km 47+200 to Km 100+800)**

Reference: i. Transparency International letter No. Nil dated 26th August 2011
ii. PPRA letter No. F.1(16)DD-II/PPRA/2011 dt 29th August 2011

Following is submitted in response to the observations raised by TI-P vide above referred letter:

- a. Cost paid to Design Consultant for "printing & providing" bid documents including drawings is normally in the range of Rs 10,000/- to Rs 20,000/-. This also includes correspondence / replies to queries through courier. Keeping in view the Project importance and corporate status of bidders, the tender documents cost in the range of Rs 15,000 - Rs 20,000 is considered appropriate.
- b. Cost of Work "Construction of Left Over Works of Section-I Package-IIA - Gawadar to Turbat (Km 47+200 to Km 100+800) is approximately Rs 1,533 million. The bidding documents for this mega project include:
 - i. Document containing Instructions to Bidders, Bid Data Sheet, Conditions of Contract Part-I and II
 - ii. General Specifications, Particular Specifications, Bill of Quantities and various Appendices
 - iii. Set of drawings containing 87 copies of A-3 size prints. The bidding document's cost of Rs 15,000/- well proportionate with the reproduction cost involved.

2. NHA does appreciate your concerns nevertheless; NHA will continue to adhere to rules and regulations currently enforced in the country in a diligent and prudent manner. NHA is a service provider and it always endeavors to make judicious use of public funds.


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- Chairman NAB, Islamabad
- Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad
- Auditor General, Islamabad

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