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Managing Director,
Sui Northern Gas Company Limited,
Islamabad.

Sub: Provision of Contract Documents for Pipe Laying Tenders of five years.

Dear Sir,

Transparency International Pakistan informed the Competition Commission of Pakistan that in last 05 years pipe laying contracts have been awarded by Sui Northern Gas Company without public tendering, in violation of Rule 21 of the Public Procurement Rules 2004. The rule is quoted below for your reference;


21. Open competitive bidding.- *Subject to the provision of rules 22 to 37 the procuring agencies shall engage in open competitive bidding if the cost of the object to be procured is more than the prescribed financial limit which is applicable under the sub-clause (i) of clause (b) of rule 42.*

The contracts awarded by SNGC have not only been violating the Public Procurement Rules 2004, but are also in violation of the Competition Act 2010.

It is requested that SNGC provides TI Pakistan a copy of all such contracts, under Rule 47 of the Public Procurement Rules 2004, so the contract documents can be reviewed and sent to the Competition Commission of Pakistan. It is also to inform you that TI Pakistan has made a similar request to the Sui Southern Gas Company through its letter dated 04th November 2011.

TI Pakistan is striving to have Rule of Law in Pakistan.

With Regards,


Syed Adil Gilani
Adviser