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Managing Director,
Sui Southern Gas Company Ltd,
SSGC House, Sir Shah Suleman Road,
Karachi.

**Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Sui Southern Gas Company Ltd,
Karachi's Tender Notice for Construction and Commissioning (EPCC) of ten (10) LPG Air
Mix Plants in Baluchistan Province.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to SSGC, Karachi's Tender Notice, published in daily "Dawn" on 15th October, 2017. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Public Procurement Rules 2004.

The tender fee for the tender documents is charged as PRs 15,000/- in the advertisement, which appears costly in light of the Public Procurement Rules 2004. Stated as under;

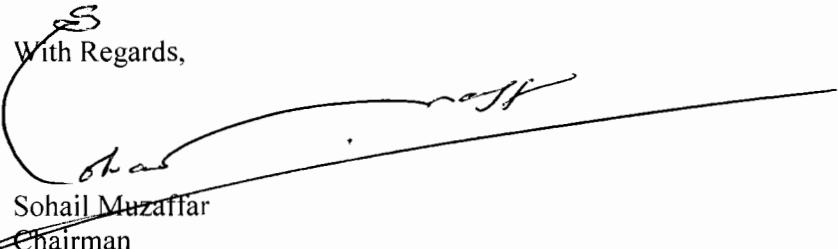
25. Bidding documents. – (5) The procuring agency shall provide a set of bidding documents to any supplier or contractor, on request and subject to payment of price, if any.

Explanation - For the purpose of this sub-rule price means the cost of printing and providing the documents only.

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.

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



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TENDER ENQUIRY # SSGC/SC/888

NOTIFICATION OF INVITING TENDER FOR ENGINEERING, PROCUREMENT, CONSTRUCTION & COMMISSIONING (EPC) OF TEN (10) LPG AIR MIX PLANTS IN BALUCHISTAN PROVINCE

SSGC is Pakistan's leading integrated gas company engaged in the business of Transmission and Distribution of natural gas under the direction of Government of Pakistan. SSGC is undertaking installation of LPG Air Mix Plants for around 100 locations of Baluchistan and Sindh. To supply Synthetic Natural Gas (SNG) as an alternate to piped Natural Gas, through gas distribution network.

The company is for above mentioned under Single Stage Two Envelope tender, providing EPC/PMC/turn key EPC for Engineering, Procurement, Construction and Commissioning of one (1) LPG Air Mix plant at each of the following loc (1) location: a) Uthal, Khuzdar, Khuzdar, Wadhwa, HSB Khuzdar, Loralai, Gila Sarhad, Zhob, Kachi Turbat & Quetta. Bids from the EPC/PMC to submit their bid in accordance with Tender document.

SSGC is interested to award the job contract for Engineering, Procurement, Construction / Installation, Commissioning / Completion of all Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Instrumentation works etc., including Pre-Commissioning and Commissioning of LPG Air Mix plants.

1. Minimum Eligibility criteria for EPC/PMC contractors:

For information and mandatory criteria are mentioned below. The tender document contains the complete list of mandatory requirements and other evaluation criteria requirements.

- The applicant should be a legally incorporated, corporate entity for the past ten years. Proprietorship, Partnership, Agency, individuals and other similar arrangements are not eligible to apply for bidding directly or on behalf of their principals.
- Applicant must be registered with Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) (C-A) (for civil) category in case of legal tender, and for international nature confirmation of tender to comply with the requirement of construction and operation of engineering Work Rules Laws 1967 including latest Revision Amendment/Structure of Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) including registration requirement.
- EPC/PMC contractor should have a minimum (10) years EPC/PMC experience in Oil and Gas Petrochemical plants. The applicant should have successfully commissioned/operated at least 02 EPC/PMC projects in Oil and Gas Petrochemical plants of worth Rs. 3,000 million or higher at varying scale during last ten (10) years.
- If tender is in consortium with other company, the lead contractor in charge will be considered as EPC/PMC contractor and shall have minimum ten (10) years of EPC/PMC experience in Oil and Gas Petrochemical plants. The lead contractor/in-charge should have successfully commissioned/completed at least 02 EPC/PMC projects in Oil and Gas Petrochemical plants of worth Rs. 3,000 million or higher at varying scale during last ten (10) years.
- Contractor including any of its subsidiaries, directors, employees, partners, associated company or affiliated company is or has been identified by the Government / State Government / Autonomous body and be considered ineligible (affiliated) including the and be provided with the bid submission.
- The bidder shall have minimum annual approval of Rs. 500 million during preceding three financial years. The bidder shall submit income tax return copies of last 2 financial years and other supporting documents for tax return requirement.

2. General Instructions:

For participation and more details interested parties can view the Tender Document or purchase of Tender fee from authorized as per details below:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date of Issue of Tender • Tender Document Fee • Mode of Payment • Last Date & Time for Submission of Pre-bid Enquiries • Last Date & Time of Submission of Tender Document / Bids • Opening of Tender Document 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tender Documents to be collected in person from the Tender Room of SSGC/SC/88-10-2017 from the address mentioned in below table on any working day from 09:00 to 15:00 during office hours. • PKR 15,000/- • Cash draft or pay order in the name of SSGC OR SSGC Cash Account. • Seven working days prior the submission of bid submission date. • 23-Nov-2017 @ 11:00 AM • Bids will be opened publicly after 30 minutes of the submission time as referred in above table.
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3. Notes:

- Tender document contains Terms & Conditions, method of procurement, procedure for submission of bids, bid evaluation, bid validity, opening of bid, evaluation criteria, clarification / rejection of bid, performance bank guarantee etc.
- Tender documents can be obtained from Tender Room, Ground Floor (2ND Building) Head Office Complex, G-9/3, Bahawal Road, Islamabad. Also by FAX or e-mail or by post of Rs. 15,000/- for Free Tender through Fax, Email / Internet / Web or SSGC's Cash Account from Monday to Friday between 09:00 to 15:00 hours.
- Request letter for acquisition of tender documents should be supported with:
 - Copy of CNIC / NTN / PAN & GST registration with one colour photograph.
 - Photocopy of the latest audit report of the year. Confirming that applicant have not deposits or payments delivered from any Government agency/authority/department in their favouring any responsibility on EPC/PMC contractor of this project.
 - Copy of all relevant Certificates/Registration letter must be attached (where required) mentioned with Terms, Bids etc.
- Bids will be opened publicly 30 minutes after bid submission time. Bids submitted after deadline of bid submission will not be considered. In case the bid opening time falls on holiday, bids will be opened on the next working day of the same time in the presence of bidders or their authorized representatives who may request to attend.
- Tenders are essential to provide correct and latest prices, e-mail & web addresses, international numbers in the form of purchase of tender documents for effective and timely communication.
- SSGC reserves the right to reject all bids or proposals and cancel the bidding process before acceptance of bid or Proposal.
- Quoted price shall be inclusive of all taxes, except GST, which shall be mentioned separately.

For further details, please visit SSGC website www.ssgc.com.pk. The above information is also available in PDFs website www.ssgc.org.pk and contact: Sr. Civil Manager Tendering Pk# 82 - 21 - 99021225, Manager (L.F.) Pk# 82 - 21 - 99021276, Assistant Manager (S.D.) Pk# 82 - 21 - 99021238 or Assistant Engineer (P) Pk# 82 - 21 - 99021276. seems@ssgc.com.pk

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