



15th June 2011

Mr. Muhammad Shakil Durrani,
Chairman,
Water And Power Development Authority,
701, WAPDA House, Lahore.

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, WAPDA, Expression of Interest Notice for the Services of Advertising Agencies.

Dear Sir,

The Director, Public Relations, Water And Power Development Authority, Lahore's Expression of Interest notice for the services of advertising agencies, published in daily "Dawn" on 15th June 2011, is against the Public Procurement Rules 2004, as WAPDA has not mentioned anything about the pre-qualification documents to be collected by bidders in the tender advertisement, which is a violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004. The rule is stated below for your reference;


16. Pre-qualification process.- (1) *The procuring agency engaging in pre-qualification shall announce, in the pre-qualification documents, all information required for pre-qualification including instructions for preparation and submission of the pre-qualification documents, evaluation criteria, list of documentary evidence required by suppliers or contractors to demonstrate their respective qualifications and any other information that the procuring agency deems necessary for prequalification.*

(2) *The procuring agency shall provide a set of pre-qualification documents to any supplier or contractor, on request and subject to payment of price, if any.*

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.

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With Regards,


Syed Adil Gilani
Chairman

Copies forwarded for the information of:

1. Chairman, Public Accounts Committee, Islamabad.
2. Chairman, NAB, Islamabad.
3. Registrar, Supreme Court.
4. Auditor General, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.

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SERVICES OF ADVERTISING AGENCIES REQUIRED

WAPDA invites eligible advertising agencies having complete visual, creative and marketing unit in Lahore. Agencies must indicate their capabilities for providing the services to look after its display and classified advertising in view of present and upcoming development activities. Interested agencies must provide the following information about their firm:-

- Company profile
- Accreditations Certificate from PAA and APNS
- Previous experience of developing media campaigns, particularly for utilities/services sector organizations
- Existing support infrastructure to undertake the job
- Information on affiliated national / international public relations specialist firms
- Technical and professional expertise, facilities, etc.
- Capital of Company (Financial Statements for the last three years)

Expression of interest must reach the Director Public Relations WAPDA, G-32 WAPDA House Lahore by not later than **June 30, 2011**.

The short-listed agencies will be later on invited to make a comprehensive presentation to the Selection Committee/ Authority.



Director Public Relations WAPDA
G-32 WAPDA House, Lahore

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