


No. F. D1/AB 1(4)/AD-III/2012
Government of Pakistan
Public Procurement Regulatory Authority
(Cabinet Division)

Islamabad, the dated 21st December, 2012

Subject: **VIOLATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RULES, 2004, CHIEF ENGINEER, WAPDA, D.G KHAN'S TENDER NOTICE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BOUNDARY WALL FOR O&M COLONY KARACHI CANAL AT D.G KHAN (PUNJAB).**

Reference Transparency International-Pakistan letter No. Nil dated 11th December, 2012 on the subject noted above.

2. The violation of Rule 33(1) and Rule 23(1) committed by Water and Power Development Authority (WAPDA), D.G Khan has already been conveyed to them vide this Authority's letter No. 10(12)/DDM&IMP/PPRA/2012 dated 11th December, 2012 (copy enclosed for ready reference). The said violation has also been uploaded on the PPRA website till such time the violation is rectified.


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No.10(12)/DD M & IMP/PPRA/2012

Islamabad, the 11 December, 2012

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: **APPLICATION OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RULES, 2004**

The undersigned is directed to refer to the advertisement of Water and Power Development Authority (WAPDA) received through "email" on 10.12.2012 regarding procurement in miscellaneous sector and to state that the advertisement does not comply with the following provisions of the Public Procurement Rules, 2004 as notified by the Ministry of Finance, Government of Pakistan vide S.R.O. No.432(1)/2004 dated 8th June, 2004.

- Rule 33 (1) The procuring agency may reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid or proposal. The procuring agency shall upon request communicate to any supplier or contractor who submitted a bid or proposal, the grounds for its rejection of all bids or proposals, but is not required to justify those grounds. – **The word "rejection without assigning any reason", as mentioned in the above referred tender notice, is against this rule.**
- Rule 23 (1) Procuring agencies shall formulate precise and unambiguous bidding documents that shall be made available to the bidders immediately after the publication of the invitation to bid. – **There was no mention of immediately availability of tender documents in the above referred notice.**

2. It is requested that concerned department / organization may kindly be directed to strictly comply with Public Procurement Rules, 2004, and also to make necessary corrective measures under intimation to this Authority. Non-compliance would amount to mis-procurement.

3. A complete copy of the text of the rules and guidelines is available at PPRA website www.ppra.org.pk.


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