



22nd July, 2014

The Chairman,
Water and Power Development Authority,
WAPDA House,
Lahore.

Sub: Violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Pakistan Water and Power Development Authority's Tender Notice for Procurement, Design, Supply, Installation, Stringing, Testing & Commissioning of 132 KV Single Circuit Transmission Line.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to WAPDA's Tender Notice, published in daily "Dawn" on 12th July, 2014. It is observed that the advertisement is in violation of the Public Procurement Rules 2004.

As per the advertisement no response time is mentioned for the bidders, for the submission of bids, which is a violation of Public Procurement Rules 2004, Rule No.13 (1). Stated as under:

13. Response time.- (1) The procuring agency may decide the response time for receipt of bids or proposals (including proposals for pre-qualification) from the date of publication of an advertisement or notice, keeping in view the individual procurement's complexity, availability and urgency. However, under no circumstances the response time shall be less than fifteen days for national competitive bidding and thirty days for international competitive bidding from the date of publication of advertisement or notice.

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 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. Mr. Khurshid Shah, Leader of Opposition & Chairman, PAC, National Assembly, Islamabad.
3. Chairman, NAB, Islamabad.
4. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad.
5. Managing Director, PPRA, Islamabad.



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PAKISTAN WATER AND POWER DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

INVITATION FOR BIDS

BIDS ARE INVITED FOR PROCUREMENT, DESIGN, SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, STRINGING, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF 132 KV SINGLE CIRCUIT TRANSMISSION LINE BETWEEN DUBAIR HYDEL POWER STATION AND DASU ALONG WITH GRID STATION AT DASU DAM SITE.

Eligible Payments will be made from World Bank Loan No. P121507.

For details, please visit: www.wapda.gov.pk, www.ppra.org.pk & www.worldbank.org

Bidding documents are available at WAPDA Website for information and shall not be used for bid submission.

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