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Medical Superintendent,
District Headquarter Hospital (DHQ) Hospital,
Sibi, Balochistan.

Subject: Violation of BPPRA Rules 2014, District Health Officer, Sibi's Tender Notice for Purchase of Drugs and Medicines for District Sibi.

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your tender notice appeared in daily 'Jang' newspaper on 16th August, 2023. The said advertisement is in violation of 'The Balochistan Public Procurement Rules, 2014' Rule 16 (Response Time).

In the said tender notice, 15 days of response time is not given as the submission/ opening of bids is on 26th August'23, which is 4 days less and does not fulfill the fifteen days of response time as per BPPRA Rules 2014. Hence, it is a violation BPPRA Rules 2014, Rule No. 16.

The Rule is quoted below for your reference;

16. Response Time.— (1) Response time which shall not be less than fifteen (15) calendar days from the date of publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the newspapers or uploading on the website, as the case may be, in case of National Competitive Bidding; and shall not be less than thirty (30) days from the date of publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the newspapers or uploading on the website, in case of International Competitive Bidding;

Provided that Notice Inviting Tenders (NIT) shall be hoisted on Authority' website in case of procurement up to rupees two million (Rs.2,000,000/-) and published in newspapers in case of over two million on or before the date of issuance of bidding documents

District Health Officer, Sibi is requested to rectify the given mistake and issue corrigendum in accordance with BPPRA Rules 2014 to avoid mis-procurement.

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Regards,


Advocate Daniyal Muzaffar,
Trustee/Legal Advisor
Transparency International Pakistan

Copies forwarded for the information with request to take action under their mandate to:

1. Caretaker Chief Minister, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
2. Chief Secretary, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
3. Secretary Health, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
4. Managing Director, BPPRA Balochistan, Quetta.



Note:

TI Pakistan act as whistleblower and operate under Article 19-A, of the Constitution of Pakistan which gives the right to public to know how government is being run by public officers. Article 19-A makes the right to access of information pertaining to a public authority a fundamental right, Justice Syed Mansoor Ali Shah in his landmark judgment in case of Ataullah Malik v. Federation of Pakistan includes following order;

Right to information is another corrective tool which allows public access to the working and decision making of the public authorities. It opens the working of public administration to public scrutiny. This necessitates transparent and structured exercise of discretion by the public functionaries. Article 19-A empowers the civil society of this country to seek information from public institutions and hold them answerable. PLD 2010 Lahore 605.

S.No	Class of Object	T/Fee
1	Purchase of Drugs and Medicines (Local Purchase) (Medicines related items) for District Sibi	100%

(TENDER NOTICE)

The EXPENDED PROGRAMME ON IMMUNIZATION SIBI invites bids from eligible Bidders for supply of following items.
TSE-232463348011

Note: In All Procurements of GOB Whether Through Electronic or Manual Bid Submission, It is Mandatory For All Bidders to Get Registered At Electronic Public Procurement System of BPPRAGOB. Bid Security 5%

Procurements shall be made under the Balochistan Public Procurement Rules - 2014, Eligibility of Bidders: 3 Assignments of Similar Nature and Complexity 1,500,000 in Previous 2022. Turn over of at least 1,500,000 PKR in 2022 Subsequent Previous Years Presence in Active Tax Payer List. Sales Tax Certificate The bidding firm must not be currently blacklisted by any procuring agency of Pakistan. JV is not permissible. Submission of the required Bid Security In case Bid Security is not found as required during financial evaluation the bidding firm shall be declared as in-eligible and non-responsive. Submission of the required Bidding document Fee Procedure Of Procurement: Single Stage Two Envelope Bidding Procedure Bid Security: The bids must accompany Bid Security in the form of Deposit at Call of 6 % specified above in the name of the under-signed from a scheduled bank. Tender Documents: The bidding documents can be obtained from the office of the under-signed 1,000 PKR Issuance of tender Documents: From the date of publication of NIT to 26 August, 2023 during office hours on working days. Last Date of bid submission: The Tenders must be submitted latest by 26 August, 2023 till 11:00 AM Tender opening: All tenders will be opened on same day at the office of the under-signed at 12:00 PM Address: DH office Sibi
Phone no: 3328094423 Email: sarnadqadir18@gmail.com

**DISTRICT HEALTH OFFICER
SIBI**

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