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S/P Headquarter,
Balochistan Constabulary,
Quetta.

**Subject: Violation of Balochistan Public Procurement Rules 2014, S/P Headquarter,
Balochistan Constabulary, Quetta's Tender Notice for Supply of Fuels and Fuel Additives and
Lubricants and Anti Corrosive Materials.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your tender notice appeared in Daily 'Express' Newspaper on 16 August 2024. The said advertisement is in violation of Balochistan Public Procurement Rules 2014, Rule No. 16 'Response Time'.

In the tender notice, the submission and opening dates of bids is given on 28-08-2024, where it does not fulfill the fifteen days of response time, and is two (2) days less. It is a violation of Balochistan Public Procurement 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:

S/P Headquarter, Balochistan Constabulary, Quetta is requested to rectify the given mistake and issue corrigendum in accordance with Balochistan Public Procurement Rules 2014, Rule No. 16 to avoid mis-procurement under Rule 57.

Transparency International Pakistan is striving for across the board application of Rule of Law, which is the only way to stop corruption, and achieve against Zero tolerance against corruption.

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. Chief Secretary, Government of Balochistan, Quetta.
2. Managing Director, Balochistan, Public Procurement Regulatory Authority, Quetta.



Note:

This is to clarify that Transparency International Pakistan is not a complainant, it acts as a 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, and a three member bench in case of Mukhtar Ahmad Ali vs the Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad, headed by Chief Justice Qazi Faiz Isa in the landmark judgment on 16 October 2023, in CP No. 3532/2023, has declared that

“What previously may have been on a need-to-know basis Article 19A of the Constitution has transformed it to a right-to-know, and the Access to information is no longer a discretion granted through occasional benevolence, but is now a fundamental right available with every Pakistani which right may be invoked under Article 19A of the Constitution”

TENDER NOTICE		
<p>The S/P HEADQUARTER BALOCHISTAN CONSTABULARY QUETTA invites bids from eligible Bidders for supply of following items: TSE-242508518071 Only electronic bid will be submitted, No physical bid is required. 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 BPPRA GOB. Tender Fee Rs.1000/-</p>		
S.No	Class of Object	Bid Security
1	Fuels and Fuel Additives and Lubricants and Anti corrosive Materials (Total Item(s) Count: 1)	2%
<p>Procurements shall be made under the Balochistan Public Procurement Rules - 2014. Eligibility of Bidders: 1 Assignments of Similar Nature and Complexity 6,500,000 in Previous 3 Years Turn over of at least 5,000,000 PKR in 2 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 ineligible and non-responsive Firm must be registered with Income Tax Authorities Must unconditionally agree with all term and conditions and instructions specified in the bidding documents and contract agreement Must agree to supply the goods within stipulated time period (90) The firm must quote the financial bid rates in mounds:40 kg 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 2 % specified above in the name of the under signed from a scheduled bank. Tender Documents: The Bidding Document can be obtained electronically from www.bppra.gov.pk Issuance of tender Documents: Complete Bidding Document can be viewed at www.bppra.gov.pk Last Date of bid submission: Bid can only be submitted electronically latest by 28 August, 2024 till 11:00 AM through supplier dashboard. Tender opening: All tenders will be opened on same day at 12:00 PM on EPPS System Address: office of the Additional Inspector General of Police/Commandant Balochistan Constabulary, Headquarters, Baddarino, Gulistan Road Quetta. Phone no. 0619201472 Fax no. 9201401 Email: balochistanconstabulary@gmail.com</p>		
<p>S/P HEADQUARTER BALOCHISTAN CONSTABULARY QUETTA</p>		
<p>PRQ No.550/15-08-2024</p>		