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Director (Works & Projects) GIK Institute,
Topi, Swabi.

Subject: Violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules, 2014, Director (Works & Projects) GIK Institute, Topi, Swabi's Tender Notice for Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Change over Switch with Breakers for Kisok no. 06

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your tender notice appeared in Daily 'Mashriq' Newspaper on 23 November, 2024. The said advertisement is in violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules, 2014, Rule No. 34 'Response Time'.

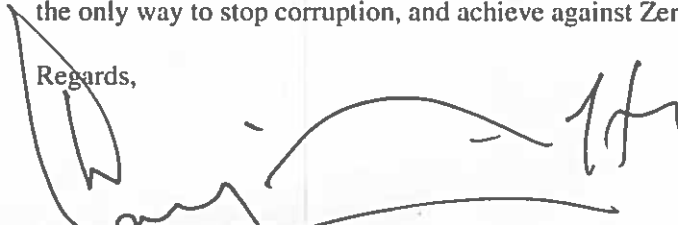
In the tender notice, the submission and opening dates of bids is given on 03-12-2024, where it does not fulfill the fifteen days of response time, and is four (4) days less. It is a violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules, 2014, Rule 34. The Rule is quoted below for your reference;

34. Response time.---(1) The procuring entity 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 contract's complexity, 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 in the national newspaper.

Director (Works & Projects) GIK Institute, Topi, Swabi is requested to rectify the given mistake and issue corrigendum in accordance with Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules, 2014, to avoid mis-procurement under Rule 54.

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 Mazaffar,
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 Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.
2. Managing Director, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement Regulatory Authority, Peshawar.



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 Faez 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”

**GHULAM ISHAQ KHAN INSTITUTE
OF ENGINEERING SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY**

TENDER NOTICE ----- No. GIKI/WD/0001

Sealed Bids (Single stage one envelope), in Pak rupees, are invited from registered firms for Supply, installation testing & commissioning of Charge over switch with breakers for block no.06.

- Interested firms are requested to take the following points into consideration before submitting their bids.
- Your sealed bid as per format at annex A (download from GIKI Website) along with company profile must be delivered to the office of the undersigned on or before 03 Dec 2024, at 11.00 AM. Any bid received later than the scheduled date and time will be rejected and returned unopened.
- All proposals must be valid for a period of thirty (30) days from the closing date of the Tender Notice.
- The bid shall be completed and signed by an authorized representative of the supplier.
- The quoted price should include sales tax of any other taxes as per Govt rules (if applicable).
- Delivery will be made to GIK Institute, Topi, Swabi.
- Payment will be made within 2-3 weeks after acceptance of the items subject to deduction of taxes as per law.
- Providing of sample for each item is mandatory before supply.
- In the case of any arithmetical discrepancy between the unit rate and the total amount quoted, then the unit rate shall prevail both for the evaluation of quotations and for the subsequent purchase order.
- Tender fees 2000/- non refundable and 2% bid security (CDR) must be submitted with the bid.
- The proposals will be opened in the presence of available bidders at 1130 hours on the same day i.e 03 Dec 2024 in the office of Director (Works & Projects), GIKI, Topi, Swabi. The Institute reserves the right to accept or reject any tender and to annul the tender process or reject all tenders at any time prior to the award without incurring any liability.
- For any query/detail contact Engr. Inam Ull Haq (0314-9444589)

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