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Deputy Project Director,  
Competitive and Livable City of Karachi,  
Local Government Department,  
Government of Sindh,  
Karachi.

**Subject: Violation of SPPRA Rules 2010, Deputy Project Director, Competitive and Livable City of Karachi, Local Government Department, Karachi's Request for Expression of Interest For Consultancy Services.**

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your tender notice appeared in daily 'Dawn' newspaper on 8th December, 2023. The said advertisement is in violation of Sindh Public Procurement Rules 2010, Rule 18(2) 'Response Time'.

In the said notice, 15 days of response time is not given as the submission/ opening of EOI is on 08.12.2023 which is five (5) days less and does not fulfill the fifteen days of response time as per Rules. Hence, it is a violation SPPRA Rules 2010, Rule No. 18(2).

The Rule is quoted below for your reference;

*18. Response time.— (2) Subject to sub-rule (1), the response time shall not be less than fifteen calendar days from the date of publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the newspapers or hoisting in the website, as the case may be, in case of National Competitive Bidding, and shall not be less than forty five days from the date of publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the newspapers or hoisting on the website, as provided in Rule 17 (6), in case of International Competitive Bidding;*

Deputy Project Director, PIU-LG-CLICK is requested to rectify the violation and issue corrigendum in accordance with SPPRA Rules 2010 to avoid mis-procurement under Rule 56.

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. Caretaker Chief Minister, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
2. Chief Secretary, Government of Sindh Karachi.
3. Managing Director, SPPRA, Karachi.



**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 he invoked under Article 19A of the Constitution”



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**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST - SELECTION OF CONSULTANTS**

**Name of Country:** ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN  
**Project:** COMPETITIVE & LIVABLE CITY OF KARACHI (CLICK)  
**Assignment of Title:** PUBLICATION OF REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (REQI) FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR DEVELOPMENT OF COMPLETION REPORT OF CERC OF LOCAL COUNCIL FOR COMPETITIVE & LIVABLE CITY OF KARACHI (CLICK). (ACTIVITY NO:PK-LGD-385365-CS-COS)

- The Government of Sindh has received credit through EAD Govt. of Pakistan from the International Bank of Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the contract for Competitive & Livable City of Karachi (CLICK) to perform the consulting services.
- The objective of this consultancy is to assess and evaluate the overall performance of the Contingency Emergency Response Component against its intended outcomes (project development and results framework). This includes examining the relevance, efficacy, efficiency, sustainability, and impact of the CERC.
- The services are to be started by December 2023 and are expected to complete by September 2023 (6 months). Term of Reference for this consultancy services are available at PIU — CLICK Office, also downloaded from <http://click.gos.pk>
- The Project Implementation Unit, Competitive & Livable City of Karachi (CLICK) now invites consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are as under:

No.	Criterion
01	Track Record: At least 10 years of experience in designing and conducting project evaluations for international organizations, emergency projects rapid appraisals, baselines, and end-line surveys, especially in a flood emergency context.
02	General Experience: Extensive experience in the relevant sector/thematic areas. Demonstrated skills in data analysis report writing and impact evaluations
03	Relevant Experience: Experience in public sector inter-agency coordination and collaboration in flood emergency context. Familiarity with the World Bank's policies, procedures and guidelines.
04	Overall managerial capacity (Core managerial and technical staff) Experts with relevant experience in Development Projects Conducting Environmental, Social and Resettlement (ESR) (CVs will not be evaluated at this stage).

- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to the provisions of 'Conflict of Interest' under Section 3.17 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for Bidders for Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services dated November 2020.
- Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, the lead partner in the joint venture shall be fully responsible for the entire contract, if selected.
- Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultant Qualification Selection (CQS) method set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for Bidders for Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services dated November 2020.
- Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours.
- Expression of Interest must be delivered in written form to the address below (In person, by courier) by 18th December 2023.

**DEPUTY PROJECT DIRECTOR  
PIU-LG-CLICK**

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