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Chairman,
National Highway Authority,
Islamabad

Sub: Complaint on the allegation of over Rs 1000 Billion Corruption, Claimed by the Minister of Communications in the Motorway Contracts awarded from 2013-18, stated to be at 3 Times higher costs than the cost of Motorway contracts in 2020/21 under his Ministership.

Dear Sir,

Transparency International Pakistan refers to the Ministry of Communication letter No. 6(3)/2020-R-I dated 7th October 2021, in which the Ministry has directed National Highway Authority as under:

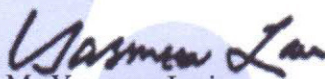
1. Necessary views/comments may kindly be furnished
2. Official website should be updated with relevant information at the earliest

TI Pakistan has checked the PPRA website and noted that information about awarded contracts from 2013 to 2021, Contract Agreement along with the mandatory BOQ rates, and rates paid to consultants are not posted there, although 07 days have been passed.

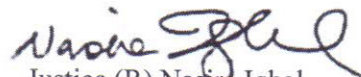
TI Pakistan requests the Chairman NHA to ensure compliance with PPRA Rule 47, as directed by the Ministry dated 07 October 2021, to avoid charge of mis-procurement under PPRA Rule 50.

TI Pakistan is striving for across the board application of **Rule of Law**, which is the only way to stop corruption and achieve zero tolerance against Corruption,

With Regards,



Ms Yasmeen Lari
Sitara-e-Imtiaz, Hilal-e- Imtiaz
Chairperson
Transparency International Pakistan



Justice (R) Nasra Iqbal
Sitara e Imtiaz
Vice Chair,
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Copies forwarded for the information with request to take action under their mandate to:

1. PSPM, Prime Minister House, Islamabad
2. Chairman National Highway Authority (NHA), Islamabad
3. Secretary Ministry of Communications, Islamabad
4. MD, PPRA, Islamabad
5. Registrar, Supreme Court of Pakistan