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Deputy Director (Canal Effluent),
Director of Roads-II, PDA House Commercial Complex,
Hayatabad, Peshawar.

Subject: Violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules, 2014, Deputy Director (Canal Effluent), Director of Roads-II, PDA House Commercial Complex, Hayatabad, Peshawar's Tender Notice for Various Constructions Works

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your tender notice appeared in Daily 'Express' Newspaper on 08 April, 2026. 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 date of bid is given on 20-04-2026, where it does not fulfill the fifteen days of response time, and is two (02) 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.

Deputy Director (Canal Effluent), Director of Roads-II, PDA House Commercial Complex, Hayatabad, Peshawar 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 misprocurement 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 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 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”

GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA PESHAWAR DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (PDA)
(NOTICE INVITING TENDER THROUGH EPADS)

Peshawar Development Authority (PDA) invites bids through EPADS, for the following work, from the eligible contractors / firms in accordance with Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement, Regulatory Authority (KPPRA) Rule 2024 on "Single stage Two-envelope system" under Rule 14(2)(4). The bidder shall be registered with: (i) a PDA Account and E-procurement System (EPADS) (ii) Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) for the year 2023-2026 (iii) Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Revenue Authority (KPRRA) (iv) Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) (VAT return) (v) or linked with PDA/Provincial Establishment Committee (PEC) for the current year, having sufficient experience in the field of work given below, on percentage above/ below an BQ/ Engineer cost estimate (BQ/2023).

Sl	Name Of Work	Est. Cost (Rs. Millions)	Document Bidding Fee	Submission Up To Date & Time	Date & Time Of Opening
MAJOR/NEAR DIVISION A MANAGEMENT OF URBAN/INDUSTRIAL EFFLUENTS AND SOLID WASTE POLLUTING THE MAJOR CANALS OF PESHAWAR VALLEY (AOP No. 199/2001/23)					
1.	Sub Head: Construction of Interceptor Sewer along Khasi Khawar Canal Package-2 (Main Collector Road-Subsidiary Raha (Contract))				
1	SEWER 61, 2A, 6A, 4A, 6B & 04 Sewer (Connection) Balance Work I	60.00	3000/-	26.04.2024 02:00 Pm	26.04.2024 02:30 Pm
1)	Balance Work (I) Restoration of road & Sewer Connection at Sewer 10 (Package-04, Lower 11 (Balance work) (I) not bid date. Restoration of road work sewer 10 A11	37.64	3000/-	26.04.2024 02:00 Pm	26.04.2024 02:30 Pm
1a)	Balance Work (I) Restoration of road & Sewer Connection at Sewer 12 & 13 (Package-04) Sewer work-I (Package-04, Horizontal branch sewer, Restoration of road work sewer 13.	65.01	3000/-	26.04.2024 02:00 Pm	26.04.2024 02:30 Pm
1a)	Construction Rehabilitation of not full depth (Roadside) (Sewer 21 (I))	63.25	3,000/-	26.04.2024 02:00 Pm	26.04.2024 02:30 Pm
1	Sub Head: Construction of Interceptor Sewer Along South Bank of Wazir Canal at RB 16-09/15-09/16 Lower end Road-Sewer sewer	239.50	30000/-	26.04.2024 02:00 Pm	26.04.2024 02:30 Pm
1	Balance work-I (Package-1) Home Connection, Sewer 02 to 04 and Rehabilitation of Road work				
1.	Sub Head: Construction of Interceptor Sewer Along Subal River Canal Sewer-17 (I) Home Connection Road Rehabilitation Package-4/Phase 07 Road (I) Comp-Worked (the Road-Work (I))	127.75	30000/-	26.04.2024 02:00 Pm	26.04.2024 02:30 Pm
1	Subal River Canal Sewer 17, Rehabilitation of road work (Sewer-17)				

TERMS & CONDITIONS:
 1. The Bidders are advised to read and understand the criteria provided in the BIDDY for PEC Category and specialized codes and other requirement. 2. The eligible contractors / Bids / contractors can obtain Sample tender form, Bid Solicitation Documents/Bidding or Contract Data/BQ/From the official website of EPADS <https://www.epads.gov.pk/>, which can be obtained from the office of the undersigned or downloaded from EPADS. 3. The bidder shall submit their proposal and financial bid (in the stipulated as per approved BIDDY) and criteria, through EPADS before bid date and time for submission of bid. Furthermore the contractor / firm / contractor must upload all mandatory documents like PDA/Provincial establishment/return PEC Registration, NTN/Archeal, CRP (Active), Affidavit of assets been disclosed/No objection by the Government/land documents (if any) Autonomous body, etc. on EPADS as per the required criteria. 4. The bidder shall be required to furnish, in physical form, only the following documents: (i) Original bid security / additional security (if any) in accordance with the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (KPPRA) Code and Notification No. SRO 141/PEC-1-340003-21/0706-71 dated Peshawar, 2023/2022, in the prescribed Bid Security format (BQ) in favor of the Director General, PDA, along with the bidding document (form) specified above. (ii) An affidavit confirming that the bid security / additional security (if any) have been uploaded on EPADS. (iii) An affidavit certifying that the staff prepared by the Technical Bid shall be deployed at the project site to the office of the undersigned through registered post/airmail before the date and time. 5. The required technical bid shall be opened (if/whensoever from EPADS) in the office of the Chairman procurement committee on the date and time mentioned above, in the presence of bidder or their representatives who are to be present. 6. Technical bids shall be evaluated after the criteria mentioned in the bid solicitation documents. 7. The Financial bids / Proposals of only technically responsive and qualified bidders will be opened in the presence of bidder/their representatives (who may file to attend) on the date & time to be notified later on. Whereas, the Financial bids of technically non responsive bidders shall be returned unopened to the respective contractors. 8. In case if BIDDY Proposals are not opened on the above mentioned date due to unforeseen reasons, then shall be reopened on the next working date at the same place & time. 9. The content of the bid, uploaded by the bidder on EPADS, shall be readable, complete /defective/overwriting/ by hand/ modification shall be considered non-responsive. 10. Clarifications/queries, if any, shall be addressed/communicated through EPADS or from the office of the undersigned within the office hours before bid date and time for submission of bid. 11. Pre-bid meeting will be held on 15/04/2024 at 10:00 pm in the office of Director Canal Effluent/Director Sewer-I, PDA, 11, J.I. Government House (Fardul, Fardul & any other) will be deducted as per prevailing Government policy. 12. The procuring entity may reject all bids or any proposal/bid at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid as proposals. The procuring entity shall upon request communicate to any contractor who submitted a bid or proposal the grounds for rejection or of all bids or proposals as per EPPRA Rule-7. 13. Submission of the bid by the contractor/ firm implies that they are fully conversant with the site, scope of work and terms and conditions laid down in the tender/ bid document. 14. Any fees not reflected in the BQ and required at site, shall be paid in accordance with MTS-2023/procuring market rates for RSI after the approval of the procuring authority. 15. If the bid becomes 04, it will be marked through rates. 17. Validity of bid will be 90-days from date of opening of the tender. 18. All other terms and conditions shall remain intact as per publications and rules framed by Provincial Government.

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