



December 19, 2025

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Director (P&D/Works),
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority,
Peshawar.

Subject: Violation of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Procurement of Goods, Works and Services Rules, 2014, Director (P&D/Works), KP Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority, Peshawar's Tender Notice for Various Upgradation Works

Dear Sir,

This is with reference to your tender notice appeared in Daily 'Mashriq' Newspaper on 18 December, 2025. 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 30-12-2025, where it does not fulfill the fifteen days of response time, and is two (2) 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 (P&D/Works), KP Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority, 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 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 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”



**KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA TECHNICAL EDUCATION
AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING AUTHORITY
GOVT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA**



NOTICE INVITING RE-TENDER
(Single Stage Two Envelope on EPADS)

KP-TEVTA invites electronic bids from well-reputed and eligible firms of engineering disciplines on EPADS in accordance with bid solicitation document (BSD) and KPPRA Procurement Rules against the below mentioned developmental works of KP-TEVTA.

S.No	Name of Work	Est. Cost PKR	PEC Firm Category	Earnest Money	Last Date & Time
1	Solarization of KP-TEVTA Head office	17.641M	C-8 or above	2% of Estimated cost	Pre Bid Meeting 23-12-2025 at 10.30 AM Bid Submission: 30-12-2025 (10.00 AM) Bid Opening: 30-12-2025 (10.30 AM)
2 (i)	Strengthening of IT Lab at Government Technical & Vocational Training Center (B) at Yar Hussain, Swabi	9.254M			
(ii)	Upgradation of Government Technical and Vocational Center BOYS Swat Mingora to the Level of Center of Excellence (CDE)	19.432			
(iii)	Upgradation of Government Technical and Vocational Center BOYS Dera Ismail Khan to the Level of Center of Excellence (CDE)	14.867			

Terms & Conditions:

- Bidding Documents can be downloaded from the KP-TEVTA website (www.kp-tevta.gov.pk) and EPADS (eprocure.gov.pk).
- The bidder shall submit Technical & Financial bids in soft (high-resolution) form on EPADS on or before the last date and time mentioned above, strictly in accordance with the evaluation criteria of each scheme.
- Tender Document Fee of Rs. 6,000/- (non-refundable), deposited at Bolk, KTH Branch, Peshawar, A/C Title: MD KP-TEVTA, A/C No: 3004607348, must be submitted before the due date and time at the office address mentioned below.
- Complete details of bid security/ additional security (Bank Name, CDR Number(s), Date(s)) shall be uploaded electronically on EPADS and the original CDR, in sealed envelope, must be submitted in favor of Managing Director KP-TEVTA, as per KPPRA Notification No. SRD (14)/Vol-1-24/2021-22 dated 10-05-2022/8058-71.
- Bids submitted without tender fee and bid security shall be treated as non-responsive.
- The bidder must be registered and active on: (i) EPADS, (ii) KPRA, (iii) PEC (relevant category), and meet any other specific requirements mentioned in the evaluation criteria.
- All applicable Government notifications regarding taxes, procurement rules, and KPPRA policies shall apply.
- Bid security of the three lowest bidders shall be retained as per rules.
- The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any/all bids or cancel the tender process at any stage in accordance with KPPRA Rules.
- Clarifications/queries, if any, may be submitted through EPADS or email at kptehta123@gmail.com.

Director (P&D/Works)
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