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**GOVERNMENT OF SINDH**  
**SINDH PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

Karachi, dated the 31 January, 2013

1. Additional Chief Secretary (Development), P&D Department, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
2. Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
3. Additional Chief Secretary, Special Initiative Department, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
4. Senior Member, Board of Revenue Sindh, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
5. Principal Secretary to Governor Sindh, Karachi.
6. Secretary to Chief Minister Sindh, Karachi.
7. Administrative Secretaries to Government of Sindh (All).
8. Secretary to Provincial Ombudsman, Sindh, Karachi.
9. Accountant General, Sindh, Karachi.
10. Chairman, Chief Minister's Inspection Team, Karachi.
11. Chairman, Enquiries, Anti-Corruption Establishment, SGA&CD, Karachi.
12. Secretary, Sindh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
13. Inspector General of Police, Sindh.
14. Commissioners/ Deputy Commissioners (All).
15. Heads of Autonomous / Semi-Autonomous Bodies, Sindh (All).
16. Project Director, Sindh (All).
17. Transition Officers/ Administrators, Sindh (All).

**SUBJECT: COMPLIANCE OF SINDH PUBLIC PROCUREMENT RULES, 2010**

The objective of Sindh Public Procurement (SPP) Rules, 2010 is to ensure that public procurements are conducted in a fair and transparent manner in order to bring economy and value for money. The observance of these rules in letter and spirit is therefore, mandatory for all public procurement agencies. Non-observance of these rules may lead to a procurement to be declared as "mis-procurement" as defined by Rule-2 (i) (x) and may result in proceeding against a procuring agency in terms of Rule-56 of SPP Rules, 2010.

2. It has been observed with concern that Rule-18 (3) and Rule-20(1) of SPP Rules, 2010, in particular, are not being observed in its true intent. Rule-18 (3) and Rule-20(1) of SPP Rules, 2010 stipulate as under:

**Rule-18 "Response time"**

(3) *Procuring Agency shall ensure that bidding documents are available to the interested bidders from the first day of publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the newspapers or hoisting on the website, as the case may be.*

**Rule-20 "Provision of Bidding Documents"**

(1) *The procuring agency shall provide the bidding documents to all interested bidders in accordance with the procedures and requirements specified in the Notice Inviting Tender;*

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3. You are, therefore, requested to direct the procuring agencies under your administrative control to ensure that bidding documents are issued to all interested bidders from the first date of publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the newspapers or hoisting on the website, as the case may be. The procuring agencies may also be directed to send a copy of bidding documents for hoisting on the website of the Authority, so that interested bidders may also download the bidding documents from the website of the Authority, and submit the same along with tender fee, if any.

4. This may be treated most important.

  
(ASIF HYDER SHAH)  
Managing Director

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1. Director General, Audit, Sindh, Karachi.
2. Deputy Secretary (Staff) to the Chief Secretary, Government of Sindh.
3. Private Members of SPPRA Board.
4. PS to Minister for Law, Parliamentary Affairs & Criminal Prosecution Service, GoS, /  
Chairman, SPPRA Board, Karachi.