

GOVERNMENT OF SINDH SINDH PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY



No.:LC/SPPRA/CMS-3803/23-24/0 68

Karachi, dated the 21 July, 2023

To,

The Executive Engineer,

Karachi Development Authority,

KARACHI.

SUBJECT:

DECESION OF THE REVIEW COMMITTEE OF SPPRA AGAINST THE REVIEW APPEAL SUBMITTED BY M/S MUHAMMAD AZEEM SHAH KHETRAN.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the subject cited above and to enclose herewith a copy of the decision of Review Committee meeting held on 22.06.2023 against Review Appeal submitted by M/s Muhammad Azeem Shah Khetran on NIT No T01912-22-0002 and T01912-22-0007 for your information.

ASSISTANT DURECTOR

A copy is forwarded for information and necessary action:

- 1. The Chairperson / Members of the Review Committee (All).
- 2. Assistant Director (I.T), SPPRA (with an advice to post the decision on the Authority's website in terms of Rule-32(11) of the SPP Rules, 2010).
- 3. M/s Azeem Shah Khetran, Suit B-11, KDA Overseas Apartments Block 13 Gulshan-e-Iqbal Karachi, (the Appellants)





DECISION OF REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING OF SPPRA UNDER RULE-32 OF THE SPP RULES 2010 HELD ON 22.06.2023

M/s Muhammad Azeem Shah Khetran the Appellant

V/S

The PD, (Mega Project) Local Government Department..... the Procuring Agency

1. Introduction:

- 1.1. The Project Director, (Mega Project) Local Government Department "The Procuring Agency" invited bids for procurement of various works as per details mentioned below;
- NIT No. LGD/MEGA/ADP/2022-23/456 dated 05.11.2022 & SPPRA Website vide Serial No. T01912-22- 0002.
- NIT No. LGD/MEGA/ADP/2022-23/57 dated 20.03.2023 & SPPRA Website vide Serial No. T01912-22- 0007.
- 1.2. The appellant mentioned in his appeal that he had participated in Work No. 5 of NIT No. 57 and Work No. 01,07,09,13 and 14 in NIT No. 456.
- 1.3. The Appellant submitted that technical proposals were opened by the Procurement Committee but sufficient tie has lapsed financial bid had been forged / falsified by the PC.
- 1.4. The Appellant approached to CRC on 05.05.2023 but CRC failed to decide the matter within 7 days. Therefore, the appellant submitted a Review Appeal before the Review Committee on 25.05.2023 with a request to decide the matter within best interest of justice.

2. Proceedings of the Meeting:

2.1. Meeting started with recitation of verses from the Holy Quran. Chair welcomed the participants and asked about the appellant. The staff informed that the appellant appeared before the Review Committee in the first meeting held on 07.06.2023 but the Procuring Agency did not appear. The Appellant and the Procuring Agency have been invited second time to appear before the Committee on 22.06.2023. Meanwhile a letter dated 14.06.2023 was received from the appellant wherein the appellant submitted that after review / scrutiny of bids, it was found that his firm was not lowest in any work, hence satisfied with the whole process and have already withdrawn call deposit submitted with bids.

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3. Observations of the Review Committee:

- 3.1. The Review Committee observed that the behaviour of the appellant towards his appeal showed that he had filed the frivolous appeal as he has not pursued his appeal seriously.
- 3.2. The Committee noted that that submission of frivolous Review Appeals is not only hampering smooth working of the Authority but also causing huge loss of time and resources to the exchequer.
- 3.3. The Review Committee is of the unanimous opinion that the appellant has filed this review appeal to misuse the forum of the Review Committee for ulterior motives.

Decision of the Review Committee

The Review Committee after due deliberations has decided as under;

- 1. Dismiss the instant Review Appeals being frivolous.
- 2. Impose a penalty on the appellant an amount equivalent to ten times of the amount paid as Review Appeal fees. The appellant is directed to pay an amount of Rs.200,000/-(Rupees Two Hundred Thousand only) as penalty in shape of Pay Order in favour of SPPRA within 15 days from the issuance of this decision failing which no Review Appeal of the appellant shall be considered.

(Manzoor Ahmed Memon)

Member SPPRA Board

(Member)

(Engr. Syed Muhammad Shakaib)

Independent Professional

(Member)

(Syed Adill Gilani)

Member SPPRA Board

(Member)

(Khair Muhammad Kalwar) Special Secretary, P&D Department

(Member)

(Rubina Asif)

Managing Director, SPPRA

(Chairperson)