

Government of Pakistan Commerce Division Intellectual Property Organisation Regional Office Lahore



**CORRIGENDUM Subject**: Clarification Of Cutoff Date For Procurement Of Courier Services for IPO Regional Office Lahore

Tender # TS541593E

**Email**: sanashouket@ipo.gov.pk

Reference to our original tender # TS541593E dated 11.06.2024.

Please note that the cutoff date and time for bid submission is: -

# 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024,

# 11:00 AM

Bid opening at IPO Regional Office on: -

26<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 11:30 A.M.

All other terms & conditions shall remain unchanged. (Tender documents are attached below)



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# **TENDER DOCUMENT FOLLOWS**

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# INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ORGANIZATION OF PAKISTAN REGIONAL OFFICE LAHORE

# GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN MINISTRY OF COMMERCE COMMERCE DIVISION

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# 5. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

- a. Courier Service will provide the record of the delivery of mail along with acknowledgement receipt showing date, time and name of the receiver of each communication on daily basis.
- b. IPO-Pakistan Regional Office Lahore can demand / ask for acknowledgement of urgent / important mail any time after delivery in addition or above mentioned acknowledgment.

# 6. PENALTY

- a. In case of delay in collection/ delivery of mails due to fault of the agency, IPO-Pakistan Regional Office Lahore may impose penalty on the firm in the form of deduction of payment not more than 15% of the Invoice.
- b. In case of poor service, like mis-handling, delay and misplacement on the part of Agency, the A will deduct an additional 15% of the Invoice payment.
- c. In case of violation of secrecy of the mails by the agency or any employee of it, the Organization will terminate the contract immediately and issue a certificate to this effect to the agency/ blacklist it agency along with confiscation of security payments/ imposition of penalty as deemed fit by the Organization.

# 7. TERMS OF AGREEMENT

- a. Initially the agreement for one year will be signed with the successful bidder; however, it can be extended further on mutual agreement on both parties subject to satisfactory performance of the courier company. If extension in the agreement is made, the same shall be made as per initial agreement rates and the same terms and conditions.
- b. Terms of renewal of the services will be regulated as per PPRA rules.

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- a. In case of any violation of the agreement, aggrieved party will inform the other party in writing about complain / violation to solve the matter.
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Neither party shall assign or transfer this agreement and /or any right or obligation of the service to a third party without prior written consent from the other.

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As an initiative to automate systems and improve service delivery, IPO-Pakistan Regional Office Lahore send tracking IDs to clients via SMS. To enable this service, ten thousand tracking IDs are obtained in advance from the Courier Company. To utilize the service, additional data entries of letters/correspondence being sent are necessary at the end of IPO-Pakistan Regional Office Lahore. It will be responsibility of Courier Company to depute staff (two persons) along with required logistic support (computer hardware, Barcode printer, Barcode wall etc.) who will sit in the IPO-Pakistan Regional Office Lahore for making data entries of daily dak issued by the IPO-Pakistan Regional Office Lahore in the system being maintained by the Regional Office Lahore. The current workload of IPO Regional Office Lahore is around 250 to 300 letters sent in a day. However, it may increase if the dispatch work of Trademark, Patent and Copyright branch offices/registries Lahore increased in future.

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  & local courier business both the parties will mutually discuss and agree to
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- b. Rates quoted by the firm will be final and inclusive of all taxes levied by the Government of Pakistan at the time of signing of the agreement and will be effective for the whole agreement period.
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# <u>Annex-B</u>

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	National (on the basis of presence/offices in		15	
	the No. Of Cities)		15	
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	Team			
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	<u>Of team/employees.</u>			
	Relevant Qualification of proposed managerial			
	staff with $\geq 2 \leq 5$ years' experience in		05	
	management fields.			
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	staff with $\geq$ 5 $\leq$ 10 years' experience in		10	
	management fields.			
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	Staff $\geq$ 10years' experience in management		15	
	fields.			
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	≤20		05	
	≥20 ≤40		10	
	≥50		15	

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	Audited/certified accounts or statements		
	Showing cash balances greater than 0.5 million	10	
	and less than Rs. 2 million in the relevant year.		
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#### Annex-A

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	≥5≤10years		10	11
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	National (on the basis of presence/offices in		15	
	the No. Of Cities)		15	
2.	Relevant Experience of Management and			30
	Team			
2.1	Relevant experience and Qualifications			15
	Of team/employees.			
	Relevant Qualification of proposed managerial		8.5.7	
	staff with $\geq 2 \leq 5$ years' experience in	1	05	
	management fields.			
	Relevant Qualification of proposed managerial			
	staff with $\geq 5 \leq 10$ years' experience in		10	
	management fields.			
	Relevant Qualification of proposed managerial			
	Staff $\geq$ 10years' experience in management		15	
	fields.			
2.2	Number of Clients			15
	≤20		05	
	≥20 ≤40		10	
	≥50		15	

3.	Financial strength of the firm	30
	Audited/certified accounts or statements	

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	Audited/certified accounts or statements Showing cash balances greater than 0.5 million and less than Rs. 2 million in the relevant year.	10	
	Audited / certified accounts or statements showing cash balances of more than Rs.2 million and less than 5 million in the relevant year.	20	
	Audited / certified accounts or statements showing cash balances of more than 5 million And less than Rs.5 million in the relevant year.	30	
4.	Registration with any national organization		10
	1≥5	05	
	≥6	10	

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