# FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Aga Khan Road, Sector F-5/1

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# **E-Tender Notice**

### INVITATION TO BID THROUGH EPADS (PPRA) FOR HIRING SERVICES OF SECURITY GUARDS

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2. Bidding documents containing detailed Terms & Conditions, method of hiring, procedure for submission of bids, bid security, bid validity, opening of bids, evaluation criteria, clarification/rejection of bids, performance guarantee etc., can be downloaded from PPRA EPADS (eprocure.gov.pk) free of cost. Bids should be submitted electronically **ONLY** through EPADS. Manual submission of bids is **NOT** allowed. For registration and training on EPADS, prospective bidder may contact Mr. Rizwan Mahmood, Director MIS, PPRA Room No. 109, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, FBC building sector G-5/2, Islamabad, Contact No. 051-111-137-237.

3. The bids, prepared in accordance with the instructions in the bidding documents, must be submitted on EPADS as per the following schedule: -

Bid Submission Closing Date & Time	24 <sup>th</sup> June 2024. 03.00 PM
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4. FPSC reserves the right to reject all bids or proposals at any time prior to acceptance as provided under Rule 33 of Public Procurement Rules, 2004.

### Note:

- 1. All interested bidders must register themselves at EPADS at: https://eprocure.gov.pk/#/supplicr/registration. No physical bid shall be entertained.
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# 1. INTRODUCTION:

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### 1.1. SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Regular budget of FPSC for the financial year 2023-2024

### 1.2. SCOPE OF WORK:

Providing services of seven (07) Armed Security Guards and one (01) Lady Searcher at FPSC, HQs, Aga Khan Road, Sector F.5/1, Islamabad.

### 2. <u>ELIGIBILITY OF BIDDERS</u>:

In addition to the bidding criteria as laid down in clause-3 of this bidding document; standard terms and conditions, inter alia, shall be as under: -

- 2.1 The bidder is registered with PPRA e-Pak Acquisition and Disposal System (EPADS).
- 2.2 The bidder is registered with FBR for the purpose of Income Tax and Sales Tax. Certificate of Registration shall be provided by bidder.
- 2.3. Bidder has a valid vendor number issued by Accountant General of Pakistan Revenues (AGPR), Islamabad.
- 2.4. The bidder has never been black listed from any Government Organization. A certificate to this effect shall be provided.
- 2.5. The bidder is experienced in providing services of armed security guards in different Government Organizations. Moreover, the bidder shall provide proof of having an established firm/company at Islamabad or Rawalpindi.
- 2.6. Bidder should provide copy of valid / renewed notification (issued from office of the Chief Commissioner, ICT) and valid license / NOC from ICT otherwise bid will be rejected.
- 2.7 Bidders must provide registration of all guards with Social Security and EOBI.

### 3. **GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

Bidder shall produce general information regarding their business along with bids as

follows: -

- 3.1. Vendor /firm's Name and Address with bank account number & vendor number by the office of AGPR.
- 3.2. Year of establishment in Pakistan.

- 3.3. The successful bidder shall ensure that salaries, perks, privileges etc. of the security guards are governed strictly in accordance with prevailing government rules / regulations. Any subsequent change in tax regime and minimum wages (as amended time to time) would be adjusted accordingly.
- 3.4 All security guards to be provided by successful bidder to FPSC should be Ex-Servicemen/retired personnel from armed forces, Rangers or Frontier Constabulary with operational licensed fire arms. Age of security guards must not more than 50 years.

# 4. FORM OF BID(S)

The form, language and other requisites of bids shall be as follows: -

- 4.1. The bid shall be uploaded on EPADS as prescribed in E-Pak- Procurement Regulation 2023.
- 4.2. Bid related documents or correspondence may be made in English.
- 4.3. Scanned copy of proper covering letter on printed letter head of the vendor firm should be attached/uploaded. All pages of bids should be initialed / signed and shall bear official seal of the person authorized to sign/endorse.

# 5. SUBMISSION OF BID (S)

- 5.1. Opening of bids will be though EPADS in accordance with E-Pak- Procurement Regulations, 2023.
- 5.2. As per Rule 36(a) of Public Procurement Rules 2004 i.e. single stage-one envelope procedure, proposal for providing services of seven (07) Armed Security Guards and one (01) Lady Searcher shall be submitted.

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# **OPENING AND EVALUATION OF BIDS:**

- 6.1. Bids shall be opened through EPADS by the Purchase Committee of Federal Public Service Commission (FPSC) in accordance with E-Pak- Procurement Regulations, 2023 at 03:30 PM on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (Monday).
- 6.2. An evaluation report of bids made in the light of criteria laid down as per bidding documents shall be announced as provided under Rule 35 of PPRA Rules 2004, before approval of the final recommendations by the Competent Authority.

# 7. <u>CLARIFICATION OF BIDS</u>:

No bid shall be allowed (by EPADS) to be modified, altered or withdrawn after opening of the bid(s). Clarifications (if any) shall follow Rule 31 PPRA Rules 2004.

# 8. **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF BID:**

- 8.1. Bids must be uploaded on EPADS on or before 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 (Monday) by 03:00 PM.
- 8.3. No bid will be acceptable by By-hand/Postal Mail/Fax/Telegraph/E-mail, etc.

# 9. VALIDITY OF BID:

All bids should be valid upto 30-06-2025.

# **BID PRICE:**

- 10.1. Bid price for services of security guards shall be quoted on the basis of per Day/Night shift. Schedule of duty shift and number of security guards for each shift will be decided by Security Section FPSC.
- 10.2 Price should be quoted in Pakistani Rupees, inclusive of all kinds of applied taxes, such as GST, Income Tax etc. If not specifically mentioned in the bid, it would be presumed that the rates are inclusive of all taxes and deductions will be made accordingly from the bills submitted by approved firms. Any subsequent change in tax regime would be adjusted accordingly.
- 10.4 The price must also include GST/other taxes, duties and other charges as & if applicable.
- 10.5 The bidders shall be deemed to have obtained all related information as to requirement there to which may affect the bid price.

# 11. BID SECURITY:

- 11.1 The successful bidder shall furnish a bid security amounting to Rs. 65000/- in the form of bank draft or deposit at call, issued by the scheduled bank of Pakistan in favor of Secretary, Federal Public Service Commission, Aga Khan Road, Sector F.5/1, Islamabad.
- 11.2 Any bid not accompanied by the bid security shall be rejected.
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### 12. <u>AMENDMENT IN THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS:</u>

- 12.1 FPSC may at any time prior to the deadline for submission of bids, modify or amend the bidding documents by issuing addendum for any reason, as provided under Rule 23(3) of Public Procurement Rules, 2004.
- 12.2 FPSC may at its discretion extend the deadline for submission of bids; as provided under Rule (27) of Public Procurement Rules, 2004.

### 13. **RESPONSIVENESS OF THE BIDS:**

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As provided vide Rule 44(a) of Public Procurement Rules 2004.

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