

**AUDIT OVERSIGHT BOARD  
GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN**

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**FINAL EVALUATION REPORT  
(As per Rule 35 of PP Rules, 2004)**

1. Name of Procuring Agency: Audit Oversight Board.
2. Method of Procurement: Open Competitive Bidding-Single stage two envelopes.
3. Title of Procurement: Hiring Services of External Legal Counsel.
4. Tender Inquiry No.: T # 02/ 23-24.
5. PPRA Ref. No. (TSE): TS521602E.
6. Date and Time of Bid closing: 18-10-2023 at 03:00 PM.
7. Date and Time of Bid Opening: 18-10-2023 at 03:30 PM.
8. No. of the Bids Received: Two.
9. Criteria of Bid Evaluation: Provision of information required through the Request For Proposals (RFP).  
Total: 100 marks (Technical: 80 | Financial: 20).
10. Detail of Bid (s) Evaluation: Detail is as under:

Name of Bidder.	Marks.		Evaluated Cost.	Rules/Regulations/SBD*/Policy/Basis for Rejection/ Acceptance as per PP Rules, 2004.
	Technical	Financial		
M/s. Hassan Kaunain Nafees Legal Practitioners & Advisers.	73	20	Rs.1,800,000/-	Accepted as per Evaluation Criteria included in the RFP and the procedure as laid down in Rule 36 (b) (v) of PPRA Rules, 2004. This firm emerged as a better fit as it demonstrates a more relevant experience, from a regulator's standpoint in terms of alignment with the specified evaluation criteria and nature of AOB's functions. Consequently, the committee opted to proceed further with this firm. This firm obtained 73 marks in technical evaluation and was announced technically qualified. As such their financial bid was opened by the committee. The firm quoted monthly remuneration of Rs. 150,000/- and secured 20 marks in financial evaluation. Hence, the proposal of M/s. Hassan Kaunain Nafees has been considered by the committee as most advantageous and has been accepted

				under the provisions of Rule 36 (b) (ix) of PPRA Rules, 2004. (Detail at Annex-1).
M/s. Legal Oracles.	50	-	NA	The technical bid of M/s. Legal Oracles was evaluated in light of the Evaluation Criteria as laid down in the RFP as well as the procedure provided in Rule 36 (b) (v) of PPRA Rules, 2004. As a result of the technical evaluation, this firm obtained 50 marks and stood technically disqualified, as a minimum of 70 marks was required. As such, the financial proposal of this firm was not opened. (Detail at Annex-1).

**Most Advantageous Bidder:** M/s. Hassan Kaunain Nafees, Legal Practitioners & Advisers.

11. Any other additional/ supporting information the procuring agency may like to share: Detail of evaluation at Annex-1.



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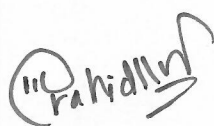
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Technical Evaluation

S/No	TORS in the Proposal for External Legal Counsel.	Total Marks.	Marks secured by Hassan Kaunain Nafees.	Status.	Marks secured by Legal Oracles.	Status.
1.	Experience & Qualification i) 15 years or more (30) ii) More than 10 years but less than 15 (20).	30	30	Qualified.	20	Not Qualified.
2.	Relevant Experience with Regulatory Bodies.	40	33		20	
3.	Accessibility Presence in Islamabad.	10	10		10	
4.	Total Marks.	80	73		50	

Financial Evaluation

S.No.	Name of Legal Firm.	Total Marks.	Marks Obtained.	Monthly Remuneration Quoted by the Firm.	Remarks.
1	M/s. Hassan Kaunain Nafees Legal Practitioners & Advisers.	20	20	Rs. 150,000/-	Since the other bidder was technically disqualified, M/s. Hassan Kaunain Nafees were given full marks in their financial bid. Monthly remuneration @ Rs. 150,000/- quoted by them is reasonable, therefore accepted.
2	M/s. Legal Oracles	20	-	-	The technical bid of the firm was examined in light of Evaluation Criteria as well as the procedure provided in Rule 36 (b) (v) of PPRA Rules. The firm secured 50 marks in technical evaluation which are less than 70 marks (threshold for technical qualification), therefore, its financial bid was not opened and thus it could not secured any mark in financial bid.



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