

Federal Board of Revenue

Revenue Division - Government of Pakistan

Corrigendum-01

(Extension in Bid Submission Date)

Hiring of Law Firms for Provision of Legal Services

Issuance Date	2 nd May, 2025			
Reference No.	No.5(7)Secy(Admn)/2025			
Title	Hiring of Law Firms for provision of Legal Services			
Bid Submission Date	Initial Date	9th May, 2025	Revised Date	19 th May, 2025

- 1. This is with reference to the Federal Board of Revenue subject advertisement (Invitation to Bid) dated: 16/04/2025 published in various leading newspapers and uploaded over Public Procurement Regularity Authority (PPRA), (https://www.ppra.org.pk) and Federal Board of Revenue (https://www.fbr.gov.pk/tenders) websites and E-PADS along with the corresponding Bidding Documents (Invitation to Bid).
- This is to inform that the due date for submission of bids has been extended. Now the bids can be delivered to the address below by or before 19th May, 2025 on or before 1030 hours (Pakistan Standard Time).
- 3. Moreover, some amendments have been made in Invitation for Bid document which are appearing in Addendum No. 1 that is uploaded at the website of Federal Board of Revenue (https://www.fbr.gov.pk/tenders) and E-PADS.
- 4. All other terms and conditions of the subject advertisement (Invitation to Bid) and corresponding Request for Bids for the subject/title procurement activity remain unchanged until and unless expressly modified so in writing.

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FEDERAL BOARD OF REVENUE Invitation to Bid "Hiring of Law Firms for provision of Legal Services"

 Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) invites sealed proposals from top-tier law firms with specialized expertise in the fields of Taxation and Custom matters, registered with Income Tax and Sales Tax Departments to provide the legal services as described in the bidding document. One law firm will be selected for each regional packages as indicated below:

Packages	Locations of FBR Offices		
Package 1: South	Karachi, Hyderabad, Sukkur, Quetta, Gwadar, Gaddani		
Package 2: Central	Lahore, Multan, Sahiwal, Faisalabad, Sargodha, Multan, Bahawalpur, Sialkot, Gujranwala, DG Khan		
Package 3: North	Islamabad, Rawalpindi, Peshawar, Abbottabad, Kohat, Gilgit Baltist		

- 2. Bidding documents are available on e-PADS and FBR/PPRA Websites i.e. <u>https://www.ppra.gov.pk & https://www.fbr.gov.pk/</u> and can be downloaded free of cost. Encrypted electronic bids duly completed and in conformity with Bidding Documents must be submitted online on e-Pak Acquisition and Disposal System (e-PADS) website till 10:30 AM dated 09.05.2025 and bid shall be opened on the same day & date i.e. at 11.00 a.m. in the presence of available representatives of the Legal Firms. All the bidders acquiring bidding documents online will intimate the department at the email address at the end of the advertisement.
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through "Open Competitive Bidding" using Single Stage Two Envelope procedure as specified in the PPRA Rules for the subject procurement and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the PPRA Rules, 2004. The "Quality Cost Based Selection" will be adopted in line with the Public Procurement Rules, 2004 and any Regulations, Regulatory Guides, Procurement Guidelines or Instructions issued by the Authority (from time to time).
- 4. Interested eligible bidders may request further information/clarification by email at hasham.malik@fbr.gov.pk during official Business Days and timing at the address given below, at the latest Seven (07) days before the proposal submission deadline.
- 5. The document in hard/ printed form; on specific request via official email or printed over official letterhead duly signed and stamped by the authorized signatory, can be sent through courier for a non-refundable amount of PKR 5,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.
- 6. The proposals must be delivered to the address below on or before **10:30 AM** dated **09-05-2025**. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened the same day at 11:00 am. This advertisement is also available on the PPRA website at www.ppra.org.pk.
- A Pre-bid Meeting will take place on 24-04-2025 at 2:30 PM at Conference Hall, FBR HQ, Constitution Avenue, G-5/2, Islamabad. The bidders who wish to join the meeting virtually can join by using the following link <u>https://vlc.fbr.gov.pk/meeting/ (Meeting ID: 506506,</u> <u>Passcode: 0510, Date:24-04-2025 at 2:30 PM)</u>.
- 8. Sealed bids (as prescribed in Bid Data Sheet of the Bidding Document) in accordance with the provisions of Rule 36(a) of Public Procurement Rules, 2004 and terms and conditions defined in

the bidding document, supported by bid security PKR. 1,000,000 (One million Only), in the shape of pay order/demand draft/ call deposit/banker's cheque in the name of Secretary (Administration), FBR (HQ), Islamabad should reach Room 506, Fifth Floor, Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) HQ, Islamabad on/or before 10:30 AM by 09-05 2025.

9. In case opening date(s) is declared as a Public Holiday by the Government, the next working date shall be deemed to be the date for submission and opening oftender(s) at the same time and place. FBR may reject all bids at any time prior to the acceptance of a bid by invoking rule 33 of Public Procurement Rule (PPR), 2004.

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