



**GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB  
SERVICES & GENERAL ADMINISTRATION  
DEPARTMENT**

**(I&C WING)**

Dated Lahore, the 02<sup>nd</sup> March, 2017

**NOTIFICATION**

**No. SO(CAB-I)2-9/2015.** In exercise conferred under Section 26 of the Punjab Procurement Regulatory Authority Act, 2009 (VIII of 2009), Governor of the Punjab is pleased to direct that in the Punjab Procurement Rules, 2014, the following further amendments shall be made:

**AMENDMENTS**

In the Punjab Procurement Rules 2014, after rule 46, the following new rules (46A) shall be inserted:

"(46A Selection process of firm of consultants: The following shall be the selection process of a firm of consultants in a short consultancy for purposes such as third party validation, bid evaluation, terms of reference, preparation of documents relating to prequalification and request for proposal, pre-shipment inspection, audit, simple engineering design or supervision of non-complex work, where the cost of consultancy does not exceed three million rupees:

- (a) the firm shall be selected by considering at least three quotations from renowned, registered and well reputed firms, on the basis of qualification and experience for the assignment;
- (b) the firm considered for the comparison of qualification and experience shall meet the minimum relevant qualification and the one selected to be employed by the procuring agency shall be the best qualified and fully capable of carrying out assignment; and
- (c) the procuring agency may conduct interviews for the selection of best option.

**CHIEF SECRETARY  
GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB**

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1. The Secretary to Governor, Punjab,
2. The Secretary to Chief Minister, Punjab.
3. The Registrar, Lahore High Court, Lahore.
4. The Inspector General of Police Punjab.
5. The Managing Director, PPRA.
6. All Administrative Secretaries to Government of the Punjab.
7. All Special Institutions of S&GAD.
8. All Commissioners in Punjab.
9. PSO to Chief Secretary Punjab.
10. PSO to Additional Chief Secretary.
11. PS to Secretary (I&C), S&GAD.

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