



Hiring of Training Service Providers for Export Growth Program in the Readymade Garments and Knitwear Industries for Formal Training Institutes (FTIs) (Round III)

Punjab Skills Development Fund (PSDF) is the largest skills development fund in Pakistan, established in 2010 as a not-for-profit company set up by the Government of Punjab (GoPb).

Tender No: PSDF/EDF/Skill Development/FTI/12-23

PSDF has received funding from Export Development Fund (EDF) - Ministry of Commerce, for Skills Training Program in the Textile sector. This program has been designed in partnership with Pakistan Readymade Garments Manufacturers and Exporters Association (PRGMEA) and Pakistan Hosiery Manufacturers & Exporters Association (PHMA). The program may be expanded as per the demand from the associations / industries in future.

Aim of the Project:

Aligned with the Pakistan Vision 2025, the project aims to promote the exports by increasing the supply of skilled workforce in the value-added textile sector, narrowing the wide gap in production requirement and availability of skilled labor. Under this program, PSDF will train in demand-driven and export-related trades. The duration of the contract is one year extendable for another year on the same terms & conditions. Trainees under this program will receive hands-on experience and employment opportunities in the export related industries.

Invitation for Bids:

PSDF invites bids from Formal Training Institutes (FTIs) who are either:

1. Institutes= set up and run by the PRGMEA and PHMA.
2. Institutes set up and run by value added textile Associations representing exporters of Pakistan Custom Tariff.
3. Institutes funded by EDF.
4. Degree awarding universities / colleges representing value added textile exporters of Pakistan Custom Tariff.

The interested institutes can obtain the bidding document from PSDF e-tendering portal (<https://etender.psdof.org.pk/esop/quest/go/public/opportunity/current>) and PPRA website (www.ppra.org.pk) for below mentioned lots.

Trades		
Dress Making (Hosiery)	Industrial Stitching Machine Operator (Hosiery)	Computerized Industrial Embroidery & Designing (Readymade Garments)
Pattern Making (Hosiery)	Textile Designing (Hosiery)	Apparel Planning & Merchandising (Readymade Garments)
Merchandising Management Techniques (Hosiery)	CAD / CAM Digital Pattern Making (Hosiery)	Fashion Design (Readymade Garments)
Quality Control (Hosiery)	Fashion Design (Hosiery)	Import Export Procedure Documentation (Readymade Garments)
Import Export Procedure Documentation (Hosiery)	Industrial Stitching Machine Operator (Readymade Garments)	Merchandising Management Techniques (Readymade Garments)
CAD / CAM Computerized Pattern Designing (Readymade Garments)	Production Planning & Control (Readymade Garments)	

Important Information:

- Follow instructions on etender.psdof.org.pk.
- Bids submitted only through e-tender portal shall be accepted while submission by other any means shall be rejected.
- A separate bid for each LOT is acceptable, however, partial bid in any lot is not allowed. Bidders may submit bid in one or more lots. Contract(s) will be awarded to the bidder at the lowest evaluated cost for each lot.
- Refer bidding document for details regarding pre-bid meeting.
- Bids must be submitted through e-tender portal on or before January 23 2024 at 03:00 PM.
- The bids will be opened on the same day at 03:30 PM in the presence of the bidder's representative(s) who may choose to be present at the address below.
- In case of official holiday on the day of submission, next day will be treated as closing date.
- Procurement process shall be conducted in line with the Single Stage Two Envelope procedure of the Public Procurement Rules 2004 (Federal PPRA) and any Regulations, Regulatory Guides, Procurement Guidelines, or Instructions issued by the Authority (from time to time) and is open to all potential bidders.



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