

**INVITATION TO BID**  
**PROCUREMENT OF 48,100 (±15%) KGS ALUMINIUM PHOSPHIDE TABLETS FOR**  
**YEAR 2026-27**

**Pakistan Agricultural Storage and Services Corporation Limited (PASSCO)**, a Public Limited Company, invites sealed bids from well reputed Companies/ Firms/ Suppliers for procurement of **48,100 (±15%) Kgs Aluminium Phosphide Tablets** as per given below specifications (approved by Department of Plant Protection) and other terms & conditions. The Bidders must possess valid three (03) year experience in supplying required items to Public/ Private Sector Organizations and should be registered with Department of Plant Protection, Government of Pakistan and all relevant taxation Departments/ Authorities. Moreover, Company/ Firm/ Suppliers are required to render a fresh certificate of assurance from their manufacturers for provision of required stock of Aluminium Phosphide Tablets to PASSCO, as per specifications given below:-

<b>As per letter issued by Department of Plant Protection M/O National Food Security &amp; Research, under Ordinance Pesticides 1971 vide No.1-18/2023-Reg. dated 19.01.2024</b>		
a.	Aluminum Phosphide content by weight, Aluminum Phosphide must be free from Pb, Cd & As.	Min: 56%
b.	Inert substances as hydroponic and fire retardent agents and tablets aids.	Max: 44%
c.	Total release of PH <sub>3</sub>	Gas: 33%
d.	Tablets shall start evolving PH <sub>3</sub> gas only after 30 minutes of tablets being unpacked. Weight of Tablet:	3.0 Grams
e.	Appearance: Grayish solid tablets with dark carbide smell	
f.	Evolving of PH <sub>3</sub> gas shall stop after 120 hours of un-packing of tablets, Ash must be free of Pb, Cd and As.	
g.	Tablets when exposed to atmospheric humidity and temperature shall not show any evidence of spontaneous composition. Safety is to be guaranteed by using suitable fire, retardent agent.	
h.	If required by purchaser, the tablets may contain a chemical emarating separate warning gas, such as NH <sub>3</sub>	
i.	The tablets must be resistant against abrasion and shall not be in a broken condition when un-packed.	

2. The Bidding shall be conducted in line with rule 36 (a) **“Single Stage – One Envelope Procedure”** of the Public Procurement Rules, 2004. All bidders shall quote their rates inclusive of all government applicable taxes & 0.25% stamp duty, loading, unloading charges etc. on delivered basis at PASSCO Godowns Khanewal. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security (as per Rule 25 of PPRA Rule) in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft, Cashier’s Cheque or Banker’s Cheque issued by any scheduled Bank in Pakistan in favour of PASSCO. The successful bidder will deposit 5% Performance Security/ Guarantee of actual contracted amount/ value before signing of agreement. **Cash, Personal Cheque, Call Deposit Receipt (CDR) or Security Deposit Receipt (SDR) will not be accepted and bid shall be rejected.** The Company shall bear all cost associated with the preparation and submission of its documents, while PASSCO, in no case shall be responsible or liable for those cost, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

3. The Advertisement alongwith Bid Document can also be viewed on the websites of EPADS V2.0 [www.epads.gov.pk](http://www.epads.gov.pk), PASSCO [www.passco.gov.pk](http://www.passco.gov.pk) and PPRA [www.ppra.org.pk](http://www.ppra.org.pk). Bids can only be **submitted online via EPADS V2.0**, whereas bids submitted manually shall be rejected.

4. The offered bids shall remain valid for **One Hundred Twenty (120) days** from the bid submission deadline. All bids received shall be opened and evaluated in manner prescribed in the bidding documents uploaded on EPADS V2.0. The bid will be opened as per below mentioned schedule:-

Quantity required by PASSCO	Price of bidding documents	Pre-Bid Meeting for any Clarification	Last date for purchase of bidding documents	Bid security	Date of opening of technical proposals / bid submission date
<b>48,100 (±15%) Kgs Aluminum Phosphide Tablets</b>	<b>Rs. 5,000.00</b>	<b>05.05.2026 (1130 Hours)</b>	<b>13.05.2026</b>	<b>Rs.3,870,000/-</b>	<b>14.05.2026 (1200 Hours)</b>

5. Bids addressed to General Manager (Commercial) should be submitted online via EPADS V2.0 by 1130 Hours, 14.05.2026 (as per Rule 28 of PPRA Rules) and will be opened at 1200 hours on the same day. However, original Bid Security instrument must reach this office on or before opening date and time of bid.
6. It is mandatory for interested parties to purchase bid documents on written request on their letter head from the office of Manager (Cash), PASSCO, Head Office, 11-Kashmir Road, Lahore, on cash payment of Rs.5,000/- Nonrefundable (Phone No. (042-99201461- 62) Ext. 1319.
7. The PASSCO Management reserves the right to reject all proposals under Rule 33(1) of PPRA Rules. Interested parties can obtain further information from the office of Officer Incharge (Commercial) during office hours (**0800 hours to 1600 hours**) on telephone No. 042-99201466- Ext. 1403.

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