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Development Cooperation Implementation Division
STRATEGIC ROAD CONNECTIVITY AND TRADE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (SRCTIP)
Jwagal, Lalitpur
CLARIFICATION ON PREQUALIFICATION DOCUMENTS
Contract No. SRCTIP-DOR-W-NNM-ICB-3
CLARIFICATION NO. 1



Procurement of Works for Improvement of Nagdhunga - Naubise - Mugling Road and Bridges [CH: 43+542 Km to CH: 82+403 Km, Prithivi Highway],
Invitation for Prequalification Notice No.: SRCTIP/8/2077-078

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As per the provision of Instruction to Applicants ITB 7 (and Prequalification Data Sheet PDS) Clarification of Pre Application Documents and Pre Application Meeting Clarification No.-1 has been issued in the table presented hereunder:

No.	Document	Chapter/ Section	Subject/ title/Item	Queries	Clarifications
1	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section IV, Application Forms, Page 66, Application Submission Letter. PDS No. and title [insert PDS number and title]		We can't find the PDS No. in this PQ documents. As we know, it should be the RFB No. and title [insert PDS number and title] in other similar PQ documents. Please clarify.	Provide RFB No. and title in the Section IV, Application Submission Letter where it is written PDS No. and title.
2	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section III Qualification Criteria and Requirements, 4.2 (c), Page 46/Specific Experience in managing ES aspects		As we know, the Environmental Management Plan (EMP) based on FIDIC 1999 is a plan for environmental, economic and social management objectives, which covers social management responsibilities. The responsibility of ESMP set for forth in FIDIC 2017 was same as previous EMP in FIDIC 1999. There never mentioned ESMP before 2017. Please kindly clarify whether EMP can be regarded as the same effect as ESMP.	Please refer to the Provision in Requirements of Section III, Qualification Criteria and Requirements, 4.2 (c) which is self explanatory. It is further clarified that the documents comprising the requirements mentioned in above section shall be considered for evaluation.

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3	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section VI Additional Documents Section		We have scrutinized the Procurement Document for the subject Project and find out there are two different sets of Application forms respectively in Section-IV "Application Forms and Requirement" and Section VI "Additional Document Section", the latter also includes section IV-Application Forms. In order to submit a complete and correct set of prequalification documents, we would hereby kindly require your clarification on which forms this procurement requires. In our understanding, only the Applicant Forms in Section VI "Additional Document Section" having Project Director's sign and Office Seal are required in this procurement. Please confirm.	Please refer to the Point no. 5 of Prequalification Notice where it is mentioned that "The applicant shall refer to the Project's uploaded Prequalification Document instead of PPMO's generated PQ document, if any." In this matter it is further clarified that for the the PQ documents uploaded in e-GP portal of PPMO, please refer the document from page 64 onwards having Office seal and Project Director's signature. Ignore pages 1-63 of the Document. This is not part of the PQ Document for this procurement.
4.	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section IV - Bidding Forms		What are the supporting documents to be attached with the Form FIN-3.1 Sources of Finance (Credit Line)?	Please refer provision in Section III - Qualification Criteria and Requirements, 3.1 (i) for Source of Finance.
5.	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section IV - Bidding Forms		With the Form EXP-4.1 (General Construction Experience) is it necessary to provide corresponding certificates ?	Please refer to Section 1 - Instruction to Applicants (ITA) clause no. 11, 13 and 14, requiring documentary evidence establishing the Applicant's qualifications.
6.	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section III - Qualification Criteria and Requirements		In case of Key Experience, is the quantity of Key activities divided according to JV Percentage?	Please refer to Section III- Qualification Criteria and Requirements including footnotes provided which are self

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					explanatory and applicable for Key activities under 4.2(b) as well.
7.	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section III - Qualification Criteria and Requirements		Is it necessary for JV partner with higher JV% to meet the 40% turnover requirement of One partner?	Please refer to provision in Section III - Qualification Criteria and Requirements, 3.2 Average annual Construction Turnover which is self explanatory. It is further clarified that for JV members, any one member must meet 40% of the requirement.
8.	Part I, Prequalification Procedure	Section III - Qualification Criteria and Requirements		Should the documents of foreign bidders (who submitted in first 2 package/s) be notarized again or the set of valid documents previously notarized can be used again to submit the bid? For e.g : Work experience Certificates that are notarized and submitted in first 2 package's	Please refer to Section 1 - Instruction to Applicants (ITA) clause no. 11, 13 and 14. It is further clarified that the supporting documents that are notarized will enhance the credibility of document. Please submit documents independent of earlier packages.