

Central Water Commission
Central Project Management Unit
Dam Rehabilitation and Improvement Project
Phase II and Phase III

SI No	Ref No	Clarification requested	Reply of CWC
1.	Expression of Interest- last para	The EoI Document mentions “Consultant will be selected in accordance with QCBS method set out in the Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” – kindly advise the evaluation criteria for short listing during EoI stage	The evaluation at EOI stage will be done as per short listing criteria given in Section-II of REOI.
2.	Section I (Pt 3) Section-II (v)	We understand that credentials / past project experiences of group companies under one Holding company will be considered for the evaluation of the bidding company. Please confirm.	Yes, a wholly owned subsidiary of a Group Company partners with <i>wholly owned any entity of a Group Company</i> shall be considered as single entity. In this case past project experiences of any one Company would be considered meeting the Short listing criteria, not Group of Companies.
3.	Section-I (Pt 6)	The document mentions “following six categories or combination of two or more categories”. Our understanding is that Bidder shall show the experience with past projects in different categories and need to have atleast one project each in 3 out of 6 categories for qualification. Please confirm.	Section-I (Pt 6) is the guideline for preparation of EOI linked with providing information as requested in Annexure. The Consultants would be short listed based on the Short listing Criteria given in Section-II. It is further clarified that the bidder has to show experience of providing engineering and management consultancy for a minimum of one past project, and this assignment shall cover a minimum of three categories out of the six listed categories

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			under the given in Section-I of REOI.
4.	Section-I (Pt 6 A to F)	There are many tasks defined under each category. We understand that the past projects with at least one of those tasks or any similar task will be considered as qualified project. Please confirm.	Yes, for each category, services provided under Category A, C and D shall be for major item which is linked with relevant safety aspect of a given dam. Others are self explanatory.
5.	Section-I (Pt 6 F)	It is understood that criteria ask for Projects with Tender / Procurement Engineering for any type of Projects i.e. New / Rehabilitation while institutional development / capacity building for Dam Rehabilitation Projects. Please confirm.	The activities mentioned here are explicit and linked with dam rehabilitation aspects and not new projects.
6.	Section-I (Pt 8) Section-II (vii)	The Client Certificates may not be available for some projects and may be difficult to get now after completion earlier. We request that Contract Agreement, Website details, any other modes of communication may also be considered for evaluation in case Client Certificates are not available for some projects.	Do not agree. The REOI conditions will prevail.
7.	Section-II (i)	It is understood that the Consultant Firm needs to have past experience in atleast 3 activities but the same may be covered through different projects and not by one project as these are different type of works and may not be required to do in one	The Section-II, point no (1) specifically requires having experience of providing engineering and management consultancy for a minimum of <i>one Dam Rehabilitation and Improvement Project</i> , this assignment shall cover a minimum of three activities

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		Rehabilitation Project itself. Please confirm.	<p>out of the listed activities under the six categories.</p> <p>In general any dam rehabilitation project addresses hydrological, structural as well as operational safety aspects including institutional strengthening.</p>
8.	Clarifications (Pt 2)	It is advised that Contract Agreements of previous experiences are to be submitted. We understand the Form of Agreement (i.e. initial 2-3 pages) only to be submitted as the whole document would be running in number of pages and will also include commercial information and conditions. Also, in case of agreements in other languages it may not be feasible to get the whole document translated. Please confirm.	The copies of relevant pages of the Contract Agreement explicitly showing the information about contract value, scope of services, period of contract, date of signing, client etc. and its translation is required to be submitted by the bidder.
9.	Annexure-IV	Under Column '4' Corresponding Cost has been mentioned, whether it is project cost or consultancy fees. Also, below Notes completion cost has been asked. It is also about project cost or consultancy fee. We understand that both locations refers to consultancy fees only.	The corresponding cost refers to the Cost of similar assignments as per the six categories. The bidder is required to furnish the financial value of the Contract that has been executed by the firm against the category mentioned in Section-I of the REOI. It is not the Project Cost but the Consultancy fee.