

**Pokhara Metropolitan City**  
Office of Municipal Executive  
Gandaki Province

**NEPAL URBAN GOVERNANCE AND INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT (NUGIP)**

**CLARIFICATION OF BIDDING DOCUMENT**

**Clarification (No amendment has been issued only clarification)**

Contract No. NP-DUDBC-396306-CW-RFB

**Contract title: Upgradation of Sisuwa-Sishaghat Road Pokhara**

In accordance with the Instructions to Bidders Clause 7 of the Bidding Document for the “Upgradation of Sisuwa-Sishaghat Road Pokhara, RFB No: NP-DUDBC-396306-CW-RFB”, queries submitted by the bidder(s) are listed below. The clarifications for all queries are also presented in tabular format hereunder:

S.N.	Queries	Clarifications
1	<b>Regarding Clause 2.4.2(b)(i) Construction Experience in Key activities</b> , Normally in key activities, only the quantity of key item will be asked to fulfill the criteria. But, in this particular contract two certificate with asphalt concrete pavement works each of Minimum value NRs 350,000,000 has been asked which is not fair. Hence, we kindly request you to remove the clause in Section 2.4.2(b)(i)	Refer the amendment notice published on 3 <sup>rd</sup> January, 2024 in. e-GP system, National daily news paper “The Kathmandu Post” and website of Pokhara Metropolitan City. The criterion is well described.
2	<b>Regarding Clause 2.4.2 (c) Specific Experience in managing ES aspects</b> , Most of the road projects executed in Nepal has taken care of environmental and social aspects. But there is no practice of issuing such certificates so far. Only few Nepalese contractors who has the certificate of ESMP/C-ESMP on road construction. Hence kindly request you to remove this clause 2.4.2(c)	As per the bidding document, there is no specific requirement to submit the certificates of ES experience. Any evidence showing experience in managing ES in the completed contract should be sufficient. More specifically evidence may be self-declaration from the contractor referring the contract document or the BoQ item of corresponding experience under the contract.

**Chief Administrative Officer**