



CLARIFICATION #3



FOR CONSULTING SERVICES FOR EMBEDDED (RESIDENT) ADVISORS FOR ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION (ERC) UNDER ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION PROJECT (POWER SECTOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ACTIVITY); REF MCA-N/ETP/QCBS/008 ISSUED ON: 2 NOVEMBER 2023

SN	Reference to the Bidding Document	Questions from Bidders	Response of Millennium Challenge Account Nepal (MCA-Nepal)
1.	Section III. Qualification and Evaluation Criteria Embedded Economic /Financial Regulatory Advisor: I. Education. • Minimum bachelor's degree or equivalent in engineering, economics, business, finance or related field. Any advanced degree in one of those fields will be an advantage.	Clarification is required whether Chartered Accountants will qualify for the position. Further, Chartered Accountants in India and a lot of other countries are recognized as Post Graduate degree1. Clarification is required on whether MCA-N would consider the same or not.	The requirement is clear. No equivalence will be made until and unless documentary evidence in support will be provided.
2.	Section III. Qualification and Evaluation Criteria Embedded Legal Regulatory Advisor: I. Education. Minimum bachelor's degree in law, public policy or similar field. Any advanced degree in one of those fields will be an advantage	Company Secretary qualification is a rigorous course that deals with company law, business law and various other legal aspects of the market. It is also considered as a Post- Graduate degree in India and many other countries. Clarification is required if MCA- N would consider the same for the mentioned education qualification.	The requirement is clear. No equivalence will be made until and unless documentary evidence in support will be provided.