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Project Name:	<i>Country Assistance Evaluation of Nepal</i>		
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Assignment Description: The official development assistance (ODA) of the Government of Japan to Nepal has been the foundation of the friendly relationship between the two countries. The priority areas of assistance have been: (1) poverty reduction in rural areas, (2) democratization and peace building, and (3) socio-economic infrastructure. The evaluation of Japan's ODA policies to Nepal has never been conducted. To this end, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) commissioned the International Development Center of Japan to conduct an evaluation to review Japan's ODA policies to Nepal, especially since 2006. The purposes of the evaluation are: 1) To evaluate Japan's ODA to Nepal based on its relevance, effectiveness, and process; 2) To obtain lessons and make recommendations on formulating a future assistance policy and conducting more effective and efficient assistance in the future; and 3) To be accountable for the Japanese citizens by disseminating the evaluation results.			