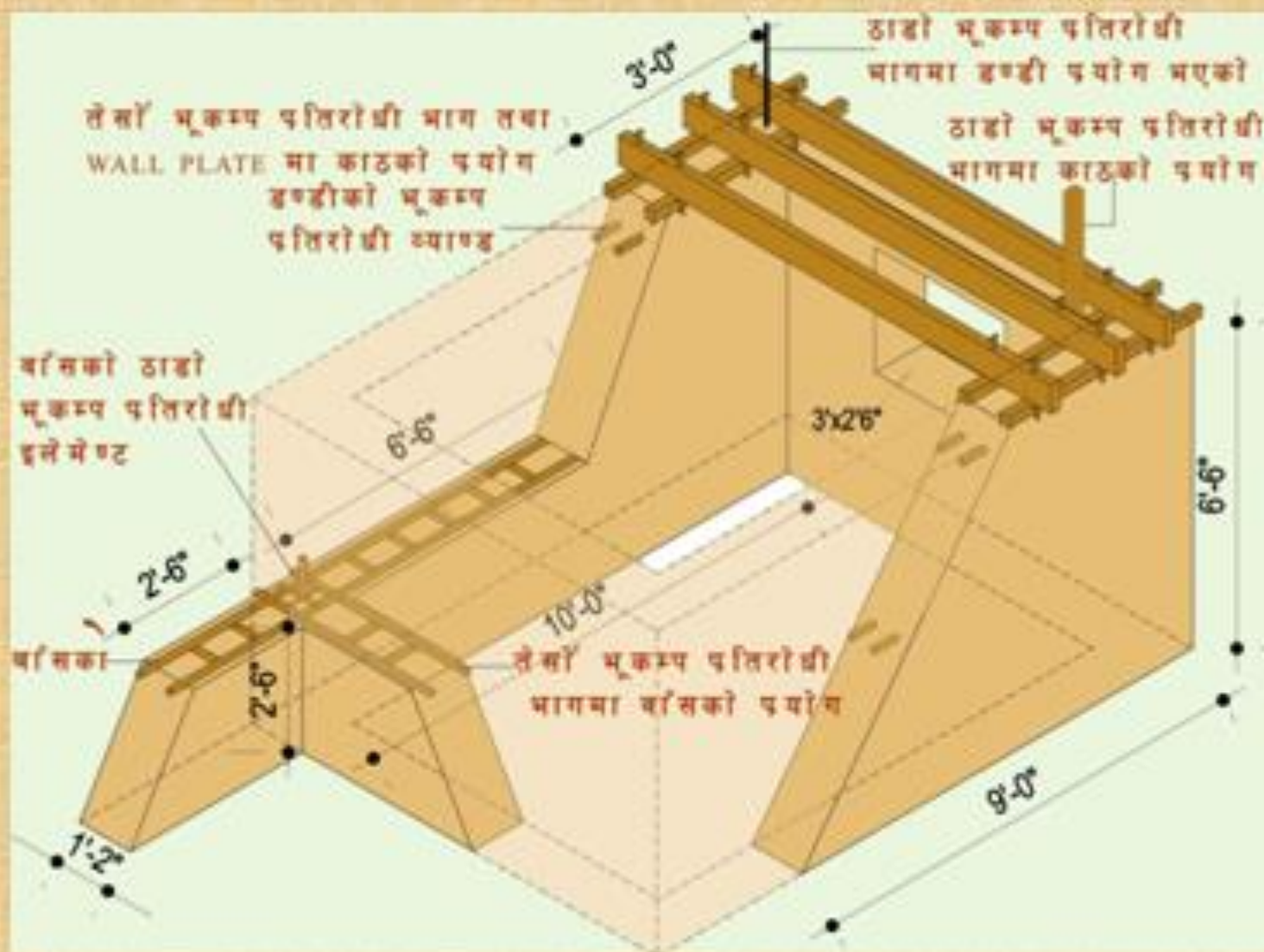


पूर्वको तालिममा प्रयोग गरिएको भूकम्प प्रतिरोधि को रूपमा प्रयोग हुन सक्ने सबै खाले सामग्री प्रयोग हुने गरी बनाईएको मोडल



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Terms of Reference (ToR) for
Opportunities for Short-term Consultancy on DRR Programme
(Disaster Risk Reduction Programme Scoping Study)

1. Background

Nepal along with other countries in South Asia is vulnerable to a number of natural and human induced disasters. Weak geology, steep slope, changing weather patterns, erosive livelihood and development practices including inappropriate land use are major root causes and driving factors of such disasters. These have been aggravated by socio-economic and regional parity as the result of disparity in access to resources, information and development outcomes.

Practical Action is currently developing its 5 year strategy for 2012 - 2017. DRR has been considered as one of the focus programmes. In this regard Practical Action likes to explore a scoping study for DRR through outsourcing of external consultants. The primary objective of the consultancy is to explore the existing policies, practices and needs in the case of DRR and identify gaps and scopes for immediate, medium and long range of time frames.