



China, People's Republic of: Urban-Rural Integration Water Distribution Project

Project Name	Urban-Rural Integration Water Distribution Project		
Project Number	47923-001		
Borrower/Company	CHINA WATER AFFAIRS GROUP LTD.		
Country	China, People's Republic of		
Location			
Approval Number	7395/63		
Type or Modality of Assistance	7395	Loan	USD 100.00 million Committed
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth		
Drivers of Change	Private sector development		
Sector / Subsector	Water and other urban infrastructure and services - Urban water supply		
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming			
Responsible ADB Department	Private Sector Operations Department		
Responsible ADB Division	Infrastructure Finance Division 2		
Responsible ADB Officer	Roberts, Scott C.		
Project Sponsor(s)			
Description	Access to safe and reliable water is a basic human need that remains unmet for hundreds of millions in the PRC: one in two (700 million) are forced to consume water below WHO standards. Furthermore, an imbalance in the quality of water supply is observed. Rural and semi-urban communities are particularly disaffected, bearing disproportionate impact on economic livelihoods and health. About 53% of rural residents lack household tap connections, relying instead on wells and other communal supplies for basic supply. In those communities water is supplied often below national quality standards, caused by inadequate treatment and/or contamination from pipelines with high leakage during distributions. The proposed project will support China Water Affairs Group Limited (CWA) in expanding water distribution network into semi-urban and rural communities.		
Objectives and Scope			
Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy			

Safeguard Categories

Environment	B
Involuntary Resettlement	B
Indigenous Peoples	C

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects
Involuntary Resettlement
Indigenous Peoples
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

Timetable for assistance design, processing and implementation

Concept Clearance	-
Due Diligence	
Credit Committee Meeting	-
Approval	03 Dec 2013
Last PDS Update	28 Apr 2014

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