



Regional: Regional Forum on Public Sector Accounting (Phase 2)

Project Name	Regional Forum on Public Sector Accounting (Phase 2)
Project Number	51171-001
Country	RegionalPhilippinesThailand
Project Status	Active
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 9434-REG: Regional Forum on Public Sector Accounting (Phase 2) Technical Assistance Special Fund US\$ 250,000.00
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth Regional integration
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions
Sector / Subsector	Public sector management - Public expenditure and fiscal management
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	No gender elements
Description	This regional knowledge and support technical assistance (TA) seeks to enhance the awareness and capacity of government officials in developing member countries (DMCs) on international public sector accounting standards and practices to improve their government accounting and financial reporting requirements
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The International Public Sector Accounting Standards Board (IPSASB) is a standards-setting body designated by, and operating under, the International Federation of Accountants (IFAC) . One of its main functions is to develop global high quality international financial reporting standards for the public sector. IPSASB has the long-term strategic objective of increased adoption of accrual basis International Public Sector Accounting Standards (IPSAS), which will strengthen and improve transparency of a government's financial reporting and management resulting in a more comprehensive and accurate view of its financial position.
Impact	DMC's enhanced awareness and capacity of government officials in developing member countries (DMC) on international public sector accounting standards and practices to improve their financial reporting.

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome Strengthened knowledge and understanding of accrual basis IPSAS and global best accounting practices that lead to improved transparency and accountability in DMCs' public sector financial reporting and management.

Progress Toward Outcome

Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs Conducting regional knowledge sharing forum events relating to public sector accounting.

Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)

Geographical Location Philippines - Nation-wide; Thailand - Nation-wide

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design

During Project Implementation

Business Opportunities

Consulting Services The TA will require consulting services of one national consultant, who will serve as a forum coordinator. The forum coordinator, who will provide administrative and logistical support, should be a university graduate and have substantial experience in planning and managing forums and conferences as well as managing databases. Administrative and logistical tasks will include (i) coordination with the forum venue; (ii) arrangement of travel and accommodation for the participants; (iii) assist in the preparation of forum materials, registration of the participants, preparation of agenda, and disseminating information among participants; and (iv) perform administrative and ad hoc support to ADB staff. The TA will also engage resource speakers for the forums who will deliver key messages and facilitate panel discussion on the topics of the forums that will be assigned to them.

Procurement Not applicable.

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Timetable

Concept Clearance	27 Jul 2017
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	29 Nov 2017
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	04 Dec 2017

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Milestones

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
29 Nov 2017	-	29 Nov 2017	31 Dec 2020	-	-

Financing Plan/TA Utilization

ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Cumulative Disbursements	
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others		Date	Amount
250,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	250,000.00	29 Nov 2017	70,672.83

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