



Regional: Establishing Regional Evaluation Programs to Strengthen Evaluation Capacity

Project Name	Establishing Regional Evaluation Programs to Strengthen Evaluation Capacity	
Project Number	52359-001	
Country	Regional	
Project Status	Proposed	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance	
Source of Funding / Amount	TA: Strengthening Evaluation Capacity through the Establishment of Regional Evaluation Programs	
	Technical Assistance Special Fund	US\$ 750,000.00
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth Regional integration	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships	
Sector / Subsector	Multisector - ADB's corporate management, policy and strategy development	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	No gender elements	
Description	The proposed regional knowledge and support technical assistance (KSTA) aims to strengthen the evaluation capacity of ADB's member countries through the development of regional evaluation programs in selected regions such as the Pacific and Southeast Asia.	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	Enhancing evaluation capacity and systems are key to both improving accountability as well as better project management and design. The spillover effect on how such training can influence the governments' evaluation of government funded programs was noted. For example, there is currently no systematic government led process, in any of the Pacific member countries represented in the training, for evaluating donor funded projects other than those driven by the requirements of the development partners. Conducting ECD training at the regional level where there is a large concentration of ADB-funded projects allows for a better exchange of ideas between countries. However, having country focused programs allowed for a larger range of government staff from one country to attend and so enable a better dialogue between government departments.	
Impact	The KSTA is aligned with national development goals which will be supported by an effective evaluation system.	
Outcome	Evaluation capacity strengthened and embedded in public sector management to support national development plans and associated goals	
Outputs	Evaluation capacity of government staff strengthened Evaluation knowledge of government staff communicated Selected country evaluation systems mapped and assessed Regional evaluation program framework developed	
Geographical Location	Regional	

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design

During Project Implementation

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Timetable

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Fact Finding	07 Dec 2018 to 07 Dec 2018
MRM	-
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
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