



# Vanuatu: COVID-19 Fiscal Response Program

Project Name	COVID-19 Fiscal Response Program	
Project Number	54179-001	
Country	Vanuatu	
Project Status	Approved	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	ND	
Source of Funding / Amount	Grant 0776-VAN: COVID-19 Response Program concessional ordinary capital resources lending / Asian Development Fund <span style="float: right;">US\$ 16.93 million</span>	
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development	
Sector / Subsector	Agriculture, natural resources and rural development - Agricultural production Finance - Small and medium enterprise finance and leasing Health - Disease control of communicable disease Public sector management - Public expenditure and fiscal management - Social protection initiatives	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming	
Description		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy		
Impact	Adverse impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the economy, health systems, and social services minimized	
<b>Project Outcome</b>		
Description of Outcome	Adverse effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on individuals and businesses mitigated	
Progress Toward Outcome		
<b>Implementation Progress</b>		
Description of Project Outputs	Health sector responses to COVID-19 implemented Measures for supporting employment and businesses implemented Food security and education support programs implemented	
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)		
Geographical Location	Nation-wide	
<b>Safeguard Categories</b>		
Environment	C	
Involuntary Resettlement	C	
Indigenous Peoples	C	
<b>Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects</b>		
Environmental Aspects		
Involuntary Resettlement		
Indigenous Peoples		
<b>Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation</b>		
During Project Design		
During Project Implementation		
Responsible ADB Officer	Singh, Shiu Raj	
Responsible ADB Department	Pacific Department	
Responsible ADB Division	Pacific Liaison and Coordination Office in Sydney, Australia	
Executing Agencies	Ministry of Finance & Economic Management P.M.B. 058 Port Vila Vanuatu	
<b>Timetable</b>		

Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	02 Jul 2020 to 08 Jul 2020
MRM	25 Nov 2020
Approval	03 Dec 2020
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	03 Dec 2020

## Grant 0776-VAN

	Financing Plan		Grant Utilization			
	Total (Amount in US\$ million)		Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	16.93		Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	16.93	-	0.00	0.00		%
Counterpart	0.00		Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	-	0.00	0.00		%

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