



Regional: Policy Advice for COVID-19 Economic Recovery in Southeast Asia

Project Name	Policy Advice for COVID-19 Economic Recovery in Southeast Asia	
Project Number	54219-001	
Country	RegionalCambodiaIndonesiaLao People's Democratic RepublicMyanmarPhilippinesThailandTimor-LesteViet Nam	
Project Status	Proposed	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance	
Source of Funding / Amount	TA: Policy Advice for COVID-19 Economic Recovery (PACER) in Southeast Asia	
	Technical Assistance Special Fund	US\$ 5.00 million
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth Regional integration	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships Private sector development	
Sector / Subsector	Finance - Banking systems and nonbank financial institutions - Finance sector development Industry and trade - Industry and trade sector development - Small and medium enterprise development Public sector management - Economic affairs management - Public expenditure and fiscal management - Social protection initiatives	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming	
Description	The TA will support the implementation of the COVID-19 Countercyclical Pandemic Response Option loans, as well as guide developing member countries (DMCs) in Southeast Asia in formulating forward-looking plans. Experts will be engaged to help DMCs prepare recovery and transformation plans for recovery.	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The TA aims to enhance capacity of Southeast Asian DMCs to design and implement comprehensive policy responses to support economic recovery from the COVID-19 outbreak. The TA will have special focus on protecting the poor and vulnerable with due regard for gender considerations and promoting RCI.	
Impact		
Outcome		
Outputs		
Geographical Location	Cambodia - Nation-wide; Indonesia - Nation-wide; Lao People's Democratic Republic - Nation-wide; Myanmar - Nation-wide; Philippines - Nation-wide; Thailand - Nation-wide; Timor-Leste - Nation-wide; Viet Nam - 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	Consulting firm or firms, About 13 International experts, 52 person-months About 10 National experts, 68 person-months	
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Responsible ADB Department	Southeast Asia Department	
Responsible ADB Division	Regional Cooperation and Operations Coordination Div, SERD	
Executing Agencies	Asian Development Bank 6 ADB Avenue, Mandaluyong City 1550, Philippines	
Timetable		
Concept Clearance	-	
Fact Finding	17 Apr 2020 to 17 Apr 2020	

MRM	-
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
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