



Uzbekistan: Supporting the Improving the Governance Environment for Public-Private Partnerships for Quality Infrastructure and Services

Project Name	Supporting the Improving the Governance Environment for Public-Private Partnerships for Quality Infrastructure and Services		
Project Number	56034-002		
Country / Economy	Uzbekistan		
Project Status	Active		
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance		
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 10086-UZB: Supporting the Improving the Governance Environment for PPPs for Quality Infrastructure and Services		
	Technical Assistance Special Fund		US\$ 225,000.00
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth		
Drivers of Change	Gender Equity and Mainstreaming Governance and capacity development Private sector development		
Sector / Subsector	Public sector management / Public expenditure and fiscal management - Reforms of state owned enterprises		
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements		
Description	With the support of ADB's Improving the Governance Environment for Public-Private Partnerships for Quality Infrastructure and Services Program, a policy-based loan (PBL) of \$150 million, the Government of Uzbekistan is strategically utilizing the private sector to modernize, expand, and improve aging public infrastructure and achieve its objectives of increasing the availability, efficiency, and sustainability of public services. The public-private partnership (PPP) governance environment will be improved by developing a clear and predictable institutional and regulatory framework, a whole of government approach to low-carbon and climate-resilient infrastructure investment planning, and a transparent budgetary process that minimizes fiscal risks and ensures the integrity of the procurement process. This will ensure that private sector involvement in public infrastructure and services is obtained with the greatest benefit to the public sector (i.e., value for money), strengthens institutional governance and capacity, and supports effective private sector development.		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The SS-KSTA will provide important knowledge input and background information for conceptualization of strategically utilizing the private sector to modernize, expand, and improve aging public infrastructure and achieve its objectives of increasing the availability, efficiency, and sustainability of public services. and input for a project concept paper		
Impact	Infrastructure and Private Sector Development for Sustainable Economic Growth Facilitated		
Project Outcome			
Description of Outcome	Legal and regulatory framework including compliance with international ESG standards strengthened.		
Progress Toward Outcome			
Implementation Progress			
Description of Project Outputs	Legal and regulatory framework including compliance with international ESG standards strengthened.		
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)			
Geographical Location	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			
Responsible ADB Officer			
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Responsible ADB Department			
Central and West Asia Department			
Responsible ADB Division			
Public Management, Financial Sector and Trade Division, CWRD			
Executing Agencies			
Ministry of Finance			

Timetable	
Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	28 Dec 2022
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	03 Jan 2023

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Financing Plan/TA Utilization							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
225,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	225,000.00	-	0.00

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