



Kiribati: South Tarawa Water Supply Project - Project Design Advance

Project Name	South Tarawa Water Supply Project - Project Design Advance
Project Number	49453-003
Country	Kiribati
Project Status	Active
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Grant
Source of Funding / Amount	Grant 6012-KIR: South Tarawa Water Supply Project - Project Design Advance concessional ordinary capital resources lending / Asian Development Fund US\$ 2.00 million
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Partnerships
Sector / Subsector	Water and other urban infrastructure and services - Urban water supply
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming
Description	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	
Impact	The project impact will be improved health of South Tarawa's population.

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome	Increased access of South Tarawa's population to safe water supplies
Progress Toward Outcome	Recruitment of consultants ongoing.

Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs	1. Water supply infrastructure, through construction of desalination plants with solar power and new water supply network infrastructure, is improved 2. Water supply infrastructure is effectively managed 3. Hygiene practices among South Tarawa's population are improved
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)	Activities will commence in 2019
Geographical Location	South Tarawa

Safeguard Categories

Environment	B
Involuntary Resettlement	B
Indigenous Peoples	C

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects	The PDA finances only consulting services for project preparatory work and project management, and is categorized as C. The project is expected to be Category B, and project documents will be updated upon completion of the detailed designs.
Involuntary Resettlement	The PDA is categorized as C and the project is expected to be categorized as B. Proposed water supply infrastructure is expected to be built mostly on government reserved/owned land but some civil works may require private lands either subject to lease or land acquisition. The project is not expected to have indigenous peoples impacts. Since the PDA will be financing detailed engineering design, safeguards documents will be updated upon completion of detailed designs.

Indigenous Peoples The project is not expected to have indigenous peoples impacts. Since the PDA will be financing detailed engineering design, safeguards documents will be updated upon completion of detailed designs.

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design

During Project Implementation The project will maintain and regularly update its website with information on the PDA project, and regularly consult with the public and civil society organizations.

Business Opportunities

Consulting Services The consultant recruitment will follow ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants (2013, as amended from time time).

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Timetable

Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	24 Nov 2017
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	28 Sep 2018

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Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
24 Nov 2017	15 Dec 2017	15 Dec 2017	30 Sep 2019	31 Oct 2020	-

Financing Plan		Grant Utilization			
	Total (Amount in US\$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	2.00	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	2.00	24 Nov 2017	0.20	0.00	10%
Counterpart	0.00	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	24 Nov 2017	0.00	0.00	0%

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