



India: Jharkhand Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project

Project Name	Jharkhand Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project	
Project Number	52028-004	
Country	India	
Project Status	Proposed	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Loan	
Source of Funding / Amount	Loan: Jharkhand Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project	
	Ordinary capital resources	US\$ 175.00 million
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships Private sector development	
Sector / Subsector	Water and other urban infrastructure and services - Other urban services - Urban flood protection - Urban policy, institutional and capacity development - Urban sewerage - Urban water supply	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming	
Description	The proposed Jharkhand Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project (JURLIP) will be ADB's first urban project in the state. The Asian Development Bank (ADB) will bring its extensive experience and lessons learned from implementing physical infrastructure development, institutional capacity building, and urban sector reforms in other states of India and elsewhere. For example, the proposed project will finance initial operation and maintenance (O&M) of physical infrastructure to ensure sustainability until the policy reforms are in place. Similarly, the capacities of staff will be developed by the private operators during initial 5- 10 years of O&M phase for subsequent sustainable delivery of the urban services.	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The JURLIP will support urban service improvement strategies and policy initiatives of the Government of Jharkhand (GOJ) to contribute to improved urban living under the Jharkhand Vision and Action Plan 2021. The project will complement ongoing efforts of the GOJ for urban infrastructure and service improvement and institutional reforms under various national flagship programs.	
Impact	Quality of life of urban inhabitants enhanced	
Outcome	Urban service delivery and governance in six project towns improved	
Outputs	Basic urban infrastructure in six project towns improved Capacity of state institutions, urban local bodies, and communities in urban service delivery improved	
Geographical Location	Jharkhand	
Safeguard Categories		
Environment		B
Involuntary Resettlement		B
Indigenous Peoples		B
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	Advance contracting is proposed to be undertaken for PMU consultant. The project readiness of more than 30% of contracts in award stage is expected to be achieved at the time of loan negotiations, expected in the first quarter of 2020.	
Procurement	Advance contracting is proposed to be undertaken for majority of works contracts. The project readiness of more than 30% of contracts in award stage is expected to be achieved at the time of loan negotiations, expected in the first quarter of 2020.	
Responsible ADB Officer	Sanjay Joshi	
Responsible ADB Department	South Asia Department	

Responsible ADB Division	Urban Development and Water Division, SARD
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Timetable	
Concept Clearance	11 Sep 2019
Fact Finding	14 Sep 2019 to 20 Sep 2019
MRM	26 Nov 2019
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	11 Sep 2019

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