Regional: Subproject 6: Strengthening Gender Capacity of Pakistan's National Transmission Company

Project Name	Subproject 6: Strengthening Gender Capacity of Pakistan's National Tran	nsmission Company				
Project Number	54111-011					
Country / Economy	Regional Pakistan					
Project Status	Active					
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance					
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 10073-REG: Strengthening Gender Capacity of Pakistan's National T	ransmission Company				
	Technical Assistance Special Fund US\$ 200,000					
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth					
Drivers of Change	Gender Equity and Mainstreaming Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions					
Sector / Subsector	Energy / Electricity transmission and distribution					
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming					
Description	The technical assistance subproject will support the implementation of Tranche 4 of the multitranche financing facility (MFF) for the Second Power Transmission Enhancement Investment Program in Pakistan. Specifically, it will help address the limited participation of women in technical and leadership positions in the National Transmission and Despatch Company Limited (NDTC) by promoting a workplace environmen with equal opportunities for recruitment, skills development, and professional advancement of female personnel. It will also integrate community-based skills development for women as part of the NDTC's gender-responsive sustainable business practice.					
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The subproject aims to contribute to increasing the pool of potential technical and managerial women personnel for the power subsector. In the NDTC, gender policies and mechanisms will be established to promote equality in the workplace. These encompass personnel recruitment, skills development, grievance management, and staff promotion within NDTC. Gender-responsive community outreach approaches will be integrated in the NDTC's internship and scholarship programs to promote responsible investment within the NDTC's corporate practices. These will be expanded to include community-based capacity building for women to increase their access indirect employment in services related to the NDTC's operations such as food services for workers, and health and social services. Designing these actions and implementing them will require gender diagnostic, community consultations, and training for personnel, women in communities around NDTC areas of operation, and female students of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) and technical and vocational education and training (TVET).					
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Executing Agencies

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Timetable	
Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	
MRM	
Approval	21 Dec 2022
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	24 Dec 2022

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