



Lao People's Democratic Republic: Trade Facilitation: Improved Sanitary and Phytosanitary Handling in Greater Mekong Subregion Trade Project

Project Name	Trade Facilitation: Improved Sanitary and Phytosanitary Handling in Greater Mekong Subregion Trade Project	
Project Number	43120-026	
Country	Lao People's Democratic Republic	
Project Status	Approved	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Grant	
Source of Funding / Amount	Grant 0546-LAO: Trade Facilitation: Improved Sanitary and Phytosanitary Handling in Greater Mekong Subregion Trade Project concessional ordinary capital resources lending / Asian Development Fund US\$ 10.00 million	
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth Regional integration	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development	
Sector / Subsector	Industry and trade - Trade and services	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements	
Description		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy		
Impact	The Project is Aligned with: Current project AFF products become safer, more efficiently produced, and traded in greater quantities. Overall project Unchanged and aligned with the Lao PDR MAF's Agricultural Development Strategy, 2011 2020	

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome	Current project Enhanced SPS management systems Overall project Unchanged
Progress Toward Outcome	

Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs	Current project Strengthened surveillance and inspection programs Overall project Unchanged
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)	
Geographical Location	

Safeguard Categories

Environment	C
Involuntary Resettlement	C

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 Individual consultants: 31 contracts; 98pm (intl); 186 pm (natl) (\$2.274m)
 Least cost selection: 2 contracts; 7.5pm (intl); 7.5 pm (natl) (\$0.155m)
 Single source Selection : 5 contracts; 29pm (intl); 84 pm(natl) (\$0.757m)
 Advance contracting of PMU project management and financial consultants in Q4 2017 for the following positions: international project management and procurement advisor; national financial management specialist; national procurement specialist; project administrative assistant; secretary.

Procurement NCB: Multiple contracts (\$2.964m)
 Shopping: Multiple contracts (\$0.098m)
 Direct Purchase: Multiple contracts (\$0.089m)

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Executing Agencies *Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry*
Department of Livestock and Fisheries
Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry

Timetable

Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	15 May 2017 to 17 May 2017
MRM	04 Aug 2017
Approval	03 Oct 2017
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	09 Oct 2017

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Financing Plan		Grant Utilization			
	Total (Amount in US\$ million)	Date	ADB	Others	Net Percentage
Project Cost	10.32	Cumulative Contract Awards			
ADB	10.00	-	0.00	0.00	%
Counterpart	0.32	Cumulative Disbursements			
Cofinancing	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	%

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