



## Cambodia: Capacity Development and Facilitation for Planning and Implementation of Resettlement Activities under the GMS: Rehabilitation of the Railway in Cambodia Project

Project Name	Capacity Development and Facilitation for Planning and Implementation of Resettlement Activities under the GMS: Rehabilitation of the Railway in Cambodia Project	
Project Number	37269-053	
Country	Cambodia	
Project Status	Active	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance	
Source of Funding / Amount	<b>TA 8680-CAM: Capacity Development and Facilitation for Planning and Implementation of Resettlement Activities under the GMS: Rehabilitation of the Railway in Cambodia Project</b> Technical Assistance Special Fund <span style="float: right;">US\$ 225,000.00</span>	
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development	
Sector / Subsector	<b>Transport</b> - Rail transport (non-urban)	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	No gender elements	
Description	The impact of the TA will be enhanced capacity of the government to effectively implement resettlement activities in transport projects in Cambodia. The outcome will be enhanced institutional and staff capacity of the IRC to improve the functioning of the GRM, implement resettlement programs, and implement the EIRP in a sustained and sustainable manner.	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The S-CDTA will primarily support, through consultants, the timely and effective implementation of remedial actions under the ADB Board approved recommendations on (i) compensation deficits; (ii) establishing operations and maintenance (O&M) mechanism under the recommendation on improving infrastructure facilities at relocation sites; (iii) supporting implementation of the expanded income restoration program; and (iv) determining resource requirements for the implementation of remedial actions for recommendations on grievance redress, capacity building of IRC, and extending the income restoration program.	
Impact	Enhanced capacity of IRC for better planning and implementation of resettlement activities.	

### Project Outcome

Description of Outcome	Effective and timely implementation of key remedial actions.
Progress Toward Outcome	The CRP annual monitoring report published in April 2015 concludes partial compliance of recommendations 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 and not in compliance, as yet, on recommendation 5. ADB is working closely with the Government on compliance aspects according to agreed timeframe.

### Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Accurate calculations of compensation deficits due to mis-categorization and inflation.</li> <li>2. Documentation through record of meetings and photos of all consultations undertaken.</li> <li>3. O&amp;M procedures for improved facilities at Project resettlement sites</li> <li>4. Support to IRC in planning for and efficiently implementing agreed remedial actions.</li> </ol>
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Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)	<p>IRC computation and ADB verification of compensation benefits completed for all sections. IRC house-to-house consultations started in November 2014 and were conducted following preparatory consultations with provincial officials and general group information sessions with AHS</p> <p>All site improvement works based on the assessment report of site facilities have been completed. Operations and Maintenance (O&amp;M) manuals in English and Khmer have been prepared. ADB has supported these O &amp; M activities by providing consultants for community mobilization, O&amp;M manual preparation, and training.</p> <p>A study trip by IRC staff to Thailand was undertaken in February 2015 to learn about resettlement practices and policies. Two groups of IRC staff undertook a one week course on public engagement and conflict resolution in May and June 2015, under an ADB TA. A national consultant recruited by IRC continues to provide hands-on training to all staffs connected with GRM, through ongoing GRM cases.</p>
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Geographical Location

## Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

### Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design	EIRP improvements for institutional strengthening and capacity building of self-help groups (SHGs) designed in consultation with SHGs.
During Project Implementation	Quarterly progress reports publically disclosed and quarterly consultation meetings held with community representatives and NGOs EIRP activities delivered through community groups (self-help groups).

## Business Opportunities

Consulting Services	The S-CDTA will engage two international resettlement specialists for three months each, two national resettlement specialists for six months each, and a national engineer for three months. Their inputs will be made intermittently over the period from July 2014 to July 2015. These consultants will be recruited on an individual basis
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## Responsible Staff

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Responsible ADB Division	Transport and Communications Division, SERD
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## Timetable

Concept Clearance	15 Jul 2014
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	04 Jul 2014
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	23 Mar 2016

## TA 8680-CAM

Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
04 Jul 2014	-	04 Jul 2014	31 Jul 2015	31 Dec 2016	-

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	04 Jul 2014	191,767.87

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