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Implementing Agencies: Ministry of Education

### **Key Dates**

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Board Approval date:14-Feb-2013

Planned Mid Term Review Date:01-Mar-2016

Original Closing Date:31-Aug-2018

Effectiveness Date:26-Apr-2013
Actual Mid-Term Review Date:-Revised Closing Date:31-Aug-2018

### **Project Development Objectives**

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The Project Development Objective is to assist the Government of Yemen in improving student learning and equitable access to basic education in selected governorates and schools.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

### Components

Name

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Component 1: Improving the Quality of Basic Education and Enhancing Student Performance:(Cost \$24.00 M)

Component 2: Promoting Equitable Access to Quality Education:(Cost \$33.30 M)

Component 3: Developing the Institutional Capacity:(Cost \$5.20 M)

Component 4: Project Management:(Cost \$3.50 M)

### **Overall Ratings**

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO	<ul><li>Satisfactory</li></ul>	<ul><li>Moderately Unsatisfactory</li></ul>
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	<ul><li>Satisfactory</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Moderately Unsatisfactory</li> </ul>
Overall Risk Rating	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>

## Implementation Status and Key Decisions

The World Bank Team commends the Ministry of Education, the Project Administration Unit and the Public Works Project for their continued commitment to the project. The current political conditions that led to the World Bank suspension of disbursements on March 11, 2015, have unfortunately put most activities on hold.

# Risks

## **Systematic Operations Risk-rating Tool**

Risk Category Rating at Approval Previous Rating Current Rating

Political and Governance	 <ul><li>High</li></ul>	<ul><li>High</li></ul>
Macroeconomic	 <ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>
Sector Strategies and Policies	 <ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>
Technical Design of Project or Program	 <ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>
Institutional Capacity for Implementation and Sustainability	 <ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>
Fiduciary	 <ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>
Environment and Social	 Low	Moderate
Stakeholders	 Moderate	Moderate
Other	 	
Overall	 <ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>	<ul><li>Substantial</li></ul>

### Results

### **Project Development Objective Indicators**

▶ Percentage of students at grade 3 in selected cluster schools having acquired basic reading skills (Percentage, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2018

▶ Number of students in selected schools have better learning environment (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	250000.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2018

▶ Gender Parity Index (GPI) improved by ten percent in project intervention areas (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.85
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2018

### **Overall Comments**

### **Intermediate Results Indicators**

▶ Reading skills progra	am implemented (Text, Custom)			
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.0	Scaling-up of teacher training for Grade 1 reading skills well-under way, including training of 29 master trainers (22 males and 7 females), 308 trainer of trainers, 3,967 teacher trainers (3642 males and 325 females), and 30,438 first year teachers and school administration (9,820 and 20,618, respectively)	Scaling-up of teacher training for Grade 1 reading skills well-under way, including training of 29 master trainers (22 males and 7 females), 308 trainer of trainers, 3,967 teacher trainers (3642 males and 325 females), and 30,438 first year teachers and school administration (9,820 and 20,618, respectively)	Cumulative evaluation and revision of teaching and learning materia
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2015
▶ New teachers are be	tter qualified due to induction pro	gram (Number, Custom)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	25000.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	15-Jan-2015	28-Feb-2017

#### Comments

Due to the current conflict situation in the country, there is no data collected on this indicator.

▶ Establishment of a sample-based assessment system to evaluate Grade 3 early reading skills at a national level, providing
accurate results for each governorate (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.0	Grade 3 baseline test has been completed.	Grade 3 baseline test has been completed.	2017 test results analyzed and shared
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	29-Feb-2016

### ▶ Items Bank for Grade 9 examinations in Arabic, Math and Sciences developed (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.0	No items bank for Grade 9 examination.	No items bank for Grade 9 examination.	Grade 9 examination administered using the new reliable tools
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2018

## ▶ Learning environment is improved in selected overcrowded schools through building additional classrooms (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	29-Feb-2016

### ▶ Learning environment is improved in selected cluster schools through rehabilitation (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	150.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2017

▶ Number of girls receiving CCT incentives for better attendance and performance increased in the governorates of Hodeidah
and Lahej. (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	39791.00	39791.00	65000.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	29-Feb-2016

### ▶ Additional female teachers are contracted and deployed in target areas (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	700.00	700.00	700.00
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2017

### ▶ Restructuring of the MOE adopted and implemented (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.0	Not yet.	Not yet.	Training of about 2,000 MOE, GOEs and DOEs staff completed
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2017

### ▶ EMIS is operational at both central level and in the governorates (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target	
Value	EMIS software developed	Partially achieved	Partially achieved	EMIS operational and deployed at central and local levels	
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	15-Jan-2015	28-Feb-2017	

#### Comments

Due to the current conflict situation in the country, there is no data collected on this indicator.

▶ Key policies adopted and being implemented (Text, Custom)						
	Baseline	Actual (Current)	End Target			
Value	0.0	No policies adopted.	No policies adopted.	Teachers and ECE policy frameworks are being implemented		
Date	05-Sep-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	28-Feb-2017		
▶ National Education Vision for Ye	National Education Vision for Yemen(NEVY) adopted (Text, Custom)					
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target		
Value	0.0	Five working papers for ENVY completed.	Five working papers for ENVY completed.	National consultation on the NEVY completed and NEVY adopted		
Date	05-Dec-2012	15-Jan-2015	10-Jun-2015	30-May-2015		

#### **Overall Comments**

## **Data on Financial Performance**

## Disbursements (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Disbu	ırsed
P130853	IDA-H8250	Effective	XDR	43.10	43.10	0.00	12.28	30.82		28%

## **Key Dates (by loan)**

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Orig. Closing Date	Rev. Closing Date
P130853	IDA-H8250	Effective	14-Feb-2013	27-Feb-2013	26-Apr-2013	31-Aug-2018	31-Aug-2018

#### **Cumulative Disbursements**



## **Restructuring History**

There has been no restructuring to date.

# Related Project(s)

There are no related projects.