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Quick Facts

Specific Location	Regional
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	Govt of Cambodia, Lao, Myanmar, China, Thailand, and Vietnam
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Grant

Project Description

According to the bank document, the proposed regional knowledge and support technical assistance (TA) will support the Greater Mekong Railway Association (GMRA) in accelerating the development of rail connections among the Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS) countries by:

(i) improving the organizational structure of the GMRA;

(ii) preparing an operational readiness plan to ensure appropriate standards for technology on safety, productivity and environmental quality of railway operations;

(iii) updating the GMS railway strategy for development of missing cross-border railway links and associated domestic connections;

(iv) updating the Mekong (Sub-) Regional Transport Model (MRTM) prepared under Connecting the Railways of the Greater Mekong Subregion, and enhancing the capacity to utilize it effectively; and

(v) identifying bankable railway projects in GMS countries.

The project hopes to:

1/Organizational structure of the GMRA improved.

2/Operational Readiness Plan for the GMRA developed.

3/GMS railway strategy updated.

4/Updated GMS transport demand model prepared.

5/Bankable railway projects identified in GMS countries.

Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

There is no further information being disclosed at this stage of the project

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Bank Documents

- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]

Other Related Projects

- ADB-42518-024 Connecting the Railways of the Greater Mekong Subregion
- ADB-42518-023 Support for the Establishment of the Greater Mekong Railway Association