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Quick Facts

Countries	Nepal
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	A
Voting Date	2014-07-04
Borrower	Alternative Energy Promotion Center (AEPC)
Sectors	Construction, Energy, Hydropower, Infrastructure, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Grant, Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 180.00 million
Grant Amount (USD)	$ 0.50 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 368.00 million

Project Description

This project increases capacity of the national power grid and enhances renewable energy development. The South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Power System Expansion Project builds more than 200 kilometers of power transmission lines, as well as substations, along Kali Gandaki corridor in the Himalayas and Marsyangdi-Kathmandu route. The project is also building or upgrading more than 1,000 kilometers of power distribution lines in the east, central, and west regions of the country. The project is building small hydroelectric power plants, as well as mini-grid based solar and solar/wind hybrid energy systems.

Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

This project is funded by:
ADB (Loan): US$ 180.00 million
Technical Assistance Special Fund (ADB): US$ 500,000.00

European Investment Bank (Loan): US$ 120.00 million
Strategic Climate Fund (Grant): US$ 20.00 million
Government of Norway (Grant): US$ 60.00 million
Strategic Climate Fund (Grant): US$ 11.20 million

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Bank Documents

- Amendment to the Grant Agreement (Externally Financed - Government of Norway) for Grant 0397-NEP: So [Original Source]
- Amendment to the Loan Agreement (Special Operations) for Loan 3139-NEP: South Asia Subregional Econo [Original Source]
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- Attached Technical Assistance [Original Source]
- Combined Resettlement Plan and Indigenous Peoples Plan: Distribution [Original Source]
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- Contribution to the ADB Results Framework [Original Source]
- Country Economic Indicators [Original Source]
- Development Coordination [Original Source]
- Economic Analysis [Original Source]
- Environmental Assessment and Review Framework: Mini-Grid Renewable Energy [Original Source]
- Environmental Monitoring Report (January-June 2017) [Original Source]
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- Gender Action Plan: Gender Equality and Social Inclusion Plan
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- Indigenous Peoples Planning Framework: Mini-Grid Renewable Energy [Original Source]
- Initial Environmental Examination: Sample Subprojects of Mini-Grid Renewable Energy [Original Source]
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- Loan Agreement
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- Project Administration Manual
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- Project Agreement for Loan 3139-NEP and Grant 0397-NEP: South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation [Original Source]
- Project Agreement for Loan 3139-NEP and Grant 3098-NEP: South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation [Original Source]
- Project Agreement: Alternative Energy Promotion Centre
- Project Agreement: Nepal Electricity Authority
- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]
- Resettlement Framework: Mini-Grid Renewable Energy [Original Source]

Other Related Projects

- ADB-44219-018 South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Power System Expansion Project-Additional Financing