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Quick Facts

Countries	Sri Lanka
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2016-09-22
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 24.42 million

Project Description

DESCRIPTION

The proposed Transport Project Preparatory Facility (the Project) will improve the startup efficiency of priority transport projects in the road, railway, and port subsectors by (i) preparing the feasibility studies, detailed design, and procurement documents, and (ii) providing implementation support during the inception stage of project implementation.

PROJECT RATIONALE AND LINKAGE TO COUNTRY/REGIONAL STRATEGY

The country's economy faces several short-term challenges in 2016 as the government seeks to undertake difficult reforms to re-start fiscal consolidation and tackle high priority, structural reforms, but it has favorable medium-term prospects given that the issues are being dealt with proactively. To attain high, inclusive, and sustained growth, the country needs to further invest in its international and domestic transport infrastructure.

IMPACT

Transport projects successfully implemented.

CONSULTING SERVICES

Advance contracting and retroactive financing will be used to expedite the project implementation. Consulting firms and individual consultants will be selected for preparing feasibility study, detailed engineering, procurement documents, and safeguards documents, and for providing support during the inception stage of project implementation. All consultants will be recruited in accordance with ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants (March 2013, as amended from time to time).

PROCUREMENT

In case that goods and/or works will be required, all procurement of goods and works will be undertaken in accordance with ADB's Procurement Guidelines (April 2015, as amended from time to time).

Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

Loan 3425-SRI: Transport Project Preparatory Facility
Concessional ordinary capital resources / Asian Development Fund US$ 24.42 million

Contact Information

ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF ADB

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Bank Documents

- Project Agreement for Loan 3425-SRI: Transport Project Preparatory Facility (Road Development Author [Original Source]
- Project Agreement for Loan 3425-SRI: Transport Project Preparatory Facility (Sri Lanka Ports Authori [Original Source]
- Project Disclosure PDF
- Technical Assistance Loan Agreement (Special Operations) for Loan 3425-SRI: Transport Project Prepar [Original Source]
- Transport Project Preparatory Facility: Procurement Plan [Original Source]
- Transport Project Preparatory Facility: Project Administration Manual [Original Source]
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