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### Quick Facts

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| **Countries** | Myanmar |
| **Specific Location** | Nation-wide |
| **Financial Institutions** | Asian Development Bank (ADB) |
| **Status** | Approved |
| **Bank Risk Rating** | U |
| **Voting Date** | 2019-12-02 |
| **Borrower** | Republic of the Union of Myanmar |
| **Sectors** | Education and Health |
| **Investment Type(s)** | Advisory Services |
| **Investment Amount (USD)** | $ 26.00 million |
| **Project Cost (USD)** | $ 26.00 million |

## Project Description

According to the project document, since 2012, the Asian Development Bank (ADB) has engaged with the Government of Myanmar to help formulate and implement education reforms, particularly in secondary education and technical and vocational education and training (TVET).

The Equipping Youth for Employment Project (EYE) the first ADB loan for Myanmar's education sector aims to strengthen the country's education and skills base and promote inclusive growth and job creation. It supports reforms to realign secondary education and TVET to Myanmar's evolving workforce needs. These reforms are vital to equip youth with skills for employment in a modern economy and meet employer skill demands.

The project's impact will be education and skills base for inclusive growth enhanced, and its outcome will be secondary education subsector and TVET realigned to evolving labor force needs and equitably expanded. It has three outputs:

(i) policy frameworks and capacities for cohesive, workforce-responsive secondary education subsector and TVET enhanced;

(ii) new secondary education subsector curriculum delivered and access expanded; and

(iii) new TVET programs introduced and access expanded.

### Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

The project's total cost is $105.0 million, with $98.5 million financed by a loan from ADB.

## Contact Information

### Executing Agencies

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## Bank Documents

- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]

## Other Related Projects

- ADB-48431-003 Equipping Youth for Employment Project
- ADB-48431-002 Preparing Youth for the Workplace Sector Development Program