Early Warning System

ADB-49441-001 Dzud Disaster Response



# **Quick Facts**

| Countries               | Mongolia  |
|-------------------------|---|
| Financial Institutions  | Asian Development Bank (ADB)                      |
| Status                  | Canceled  |
| Bank Risk Rating        | U   |
| Voting Date             | 2016-04-06  |
| Borrower                | Government of Mongolia                            |
| Sectors                 | Agriculture and Forestry, Climate and Environment |
| Investment Type(s)      | Grant   |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 2.00 million                                   |
| Project Cost (USD)      | \$ 2.00 million                                   |



#### **Project Description**

The project consists of activities relating to relief efforts addressing the most urgent survival and livelihood needs of people affacted by the harsh dzud winter weather conditions that have been prevalent in numerous districts across the country since early December 2015. The grant is part of a United Nations-led emergency response for herders and their families afflicted by a protracted climate disaster in Mongolia, known as a "dzud."

ADB's grant complements some \$2.4 million being provided by the UN and will help address the most urgent needs of the vulnerable and affected populations, including food, hay, forage, medical supplies, and fuel. In Mongolia, ADB approvals amounted to \$297.5 million in 2015, including 4 sovereign loans for \$275 million, 2 project grants for 6 million, and 17 technical assistance grants for \$16.5 million

## **Investment Description**

• Asian Development Bank (ADB)

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# **Bank Documents**

- Grant Agreement (Asia Pacific Disaster Response Fund) for Grant 0475-MON: Mongolia Dzud Disaster Res [Original Source]
- Project Disclosure PDF