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#### **Quick Facts**

| Countries               | Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Myanmar, Nepal, Sri Lanka |
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| Specific Location       | Nation-wide scale to all implementing countries                |
| Financial Institutions  | Asian Development Bank (ADB)                                   |
| Status                  | Active   |
| Bank Risk Rating        | C  |
| Voting Date             | 2018-09-03   |
| Sectors                 | Industry and Trade   |
| Investment Type(s)      | Advisory Services  |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 0.50 million  |
| Project Cost (USD)      | \$ 0.50 million  |



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#### **Project Description**

According to ADB website, the TA will support the momentum and realization of SASEC countries trade facilitation initiatives by bringing policy reform actions closer to the implementation stage.

The TA will have three major outputs:

- (i) Implementation frameworks, blueprints, and roadmaps in modern customs administration complete;
- (ii) Tools to enhance transparency of standards in SPS and TBT developed; and
- (iii) Cross-border transport facilitation studies along key SASEC routes and border crossing points completed.



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#### **Investment Description**

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#### **Bank Documents**

- Implementing Trade Facilitation Initiatives under the South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Pr [Original Source]
- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]
- Terms of Reference for Consultants [Original Source]