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Quick Facts

Countries	Kyrgyzstan
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2019-09-16
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Climate and Environment, Energy, Technical Cooperation, Transport, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 10.00 million
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Project Description

DESCRIPTION

Under this project ADB is providing 10 million USD to Kyrgyzstan with the purpose to provide facilities for a series of small-value activities to support and complement larger projects financed by the Asian Development Bank (ADB) in the country. In particular, the facility will fund:

(i) project preparatory support for design and procurement readiness of ensuing projects;

(ii) small pilot projects to demonstrate new technologies, international standards, and management approaches for potential scale-up under ensuing projects;

(iii) project implementation support for ongoing ADB projects to ensure the efficient delivery of project outcomes; and

(iv) capacity building and supplemental support for completed ADB projects in operation and maintenance (O&M;), asset management, facility upgrading to meet critical needs, and post-disaster rehabilitation assistance.

Activities under the facility will improve the efficiency, sustainability, responsiveness, and readiness of ADB-financed operations. They will contribute to the achievement of the outputs and outcomes of the linked ADB-financed projects. Each activity will be linked to a planned, ongoing, or completed ADB-financed project. Under the current CPS, priority sectors are agriculture, natural resources, and rural development; education; energy; public sector management; transport; and water and other urban infrastructure and services.

Outputs and outcomes of the project:

The following outputs will contribute to the achievement of the outputs and outcomes of the linked ADB-financed projects.

- Output 1: Project implementation readiness for ensuing projects improved. The facility will support project preparation, design activities, and institutional strengthening for investments to be financed under one or more ensuing ADB-financed projects, including the Naryn Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Development Program the country's first results-based lending operation planned for 2019 approval.
- Output 2: New technology, innovation, or improvement in design standards pilot-tested. The facility will support pilot-testing advanced technologies and management approaches to reduce life-cycle costs, improve service efficiency and quality, and minimize negative environmental and social impacts. Development of road asset management is an example of a new technology or management approaches activity under the facility.
- Output 3: Project efficiency and sustainability enhanced. The facility will enhance project efficiency and sustainability, including capacity and implementation support for ongoing projects, post-disaster rehabilitation, O&M;, and upgrading of completed infrastructure investments to conform with up-to-date performance standards.

The first activity to be financed under the facility and under Output 3 will enhance the sustainability of a completed ADB-financed investment in urban water project. It will support the physical upgrades of the chlorine neutralization unit at the Osh-Plotina water treatment plant, completed in September 2016 under the Emergency Assistance for Recovery and Construction project. The unit will be upgraded to a higher international standard and provide 400,000 people with access to safe and reliable water supply.

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- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

Contact Information

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Bank Documents

- Activity Administration Manual
- Activity Report [Original Source]
- Environmental Assessment and Review Framework [Original Source]
- Facility Agreement
- Facility Agreement (Special Operations) for Grant 0001-KGZ: Multisector Activities Support Facility [Original Source]
- Initial Environmental Examination [Original Source]
- Land Acquisition and Resettlement Framework [Original Source]
- List of Indicative Activities [Original Source]
- Multisector Activities Support Facility: Activity Administration Manual [Original Source]
- Multisector Activities Support Facility: Environmental Assessment and Review Framework [Original Source]
- Multisector Activities Support Facility: Land Acquisition and Resettlement Framework [Original Source]
- Multisector Activities Support Facility: Osh-Plotina Water Treatment Plant Initial Environmental Exa [Original Source]
- Multisector Activities Support Facility: Procurement Plan [Original Source]
- Multisector Activities Support Facility: Report and Recommendation of the President [Original Source]
- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]

Other Related Projects

- ADB-52256-007 Naryn Program Readiness
- ADB-52256-010 New Water Intake to the City of Osh
- ADB-52256-009 Kyrgyz Republic : Almaty–Bishkek Economic Corridor Regional Improvement of Border Services Project Readiness
- ADB-52256-011 Enhancing climate-resilient ground water management approaches
- ADB-52256-012 Additional Financing for Naryn Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Development Program