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Quick Facts

Countries	Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2019-10-31
Borrower	Regional
Sectors	Law and Government, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Fund
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 3.00 million

Project Description

According to bank website, "The transaction technical assistance facility (TRTA facility) will provide environment and social risk management, capacity building, and support to future and ongoing projects within the South Asia region. The TRTA facility will strengthen the capacity of key government units, civil society, academe, consultants, and contractors to design, implement, and monitor robust measures that address project risks to people and the environment. It will support environment and social safeguards due diligence, consultation, supervision, monitoring, and grievance redress in ADB-funded projects in all the South Asian countries and sectors within these countries.

The key activities of the TRTA facility include (i) demand-driven assistance on project processing and implementation; (ii) conduct of workshops and related training programs on environment and social safeguards; (iii) use of advanced technology to improve efficiency in data collection during project processing and implementation; and (iv) development of knowledge products on safeguard implementation best practices."

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Bank Documents

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