Early Warning System

ADB-53280-001

Building Capacity of Developing Member Country Journalists in Asia and the Pacific

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Quick Facts

Specific Location	Region-wide
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Sectors	Communications, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 0.75 million
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Project Cost (USD)	$ 0.75 million

Project Description

According to the bank document, the knowledge and support technical assistance (TA) will continue ADB''s support to Developing Member Country (DMC) journalists so that they become more likely to cover wider range of economic and social development issues facing Asia and the Pacific region. Capacity building programs are expected to deepen their understanding of increasingly complex nature of economic and social development issues intertwined across sectoral and thematic areas, and for DMC journalists through their published articles to contribute to local policy debates for making informed policy decisions aligned to the SDGs. The TA will deliver

i) a DMC Journalist Program developed and delivered during ADB''s annual meetings; and

(ii) outreach program targeting renowned and influential global, regional, and/or national media for opinion-leaders.

The project outcome aims to improve DMC journalists' coverage of complex social and economic development issues.

Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

Technical Assistance Special Fund US$ 750,000.00

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There is no further information being disclosed at this stage of the project

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Bank Documents

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