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Quick Facts

Countries	Pakistan
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2021-03-30
Borrower	Government of Pakistan
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 2.00 million

Project Description

With the aim of gender mainstreaming in Pakistan's energy sector, this subproject seeks to " enhance women's participation in the energy sector as employees, services providers, consumers, and entrepreneurs". This will be done through the following interventions: (i) conduct of a gender diagnostic of the energy sector while establishing a baseline on women's participation in the energy sector value chain; (ii) formulation of a national gender mainstreaming policy for the energy sector; (iii) demonstration a replicable model of technical training for women on solar technology; and (iv) design and implementation of gender and leadership training for women and men personnel of selected energy sector organizations."

This subproject will be supporting the preparation and implementation of the 'Energy Sector Reforms and Financial Sustainability Program, Subprogram 2'.

According to the bank document, the national gender mainstreaming policy developed via this subproject will strengthen gender inclusion in the energy sector. The emphasis of the policy will be on the following: (i) increasing women's participation as technical and skilled employees in the energy sector value chain; (ii) improving women's access to affordable, reliable, and sustainable energy solutions; and (iii) strengthening institutional capacities of actors in the energy sector to mainstream gender in policies, procedures, operations, and services.

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Bank Documents

- Project Disclosure PDF [Original Source]

Other Related Projects

- ADB-54111-007 Subproject 3: Integrating Gender Design Features in Project Preparation, Supporting Monitoring, and Reporting on Gender Equality Results in Central and West Asia Operations
- ADB-54111-011 Subproject 6: Strengthening Gender Capacity of Pakistan's National Transmission Company
- ADB-54111-009 Subproject 10: Mainstreaming Gender in Project Preparation for Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kyrgyz Republic, and Turkmenistan
- ADB-54111-008 Resilient Livelihoods and Empowerment of Rural Women Project