

 Early Warning System

ADB-55355-001

Expanding Connectivity and Affordability to Address the Digital Divide



Quick Facts

Countries	Cambodia, Philippines, Vanuatu
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2022-09-19
Borrower	Regional
Sectors	Communications, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 1.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1.75 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the knowledge and support technical assistance (TA) will provide strategic assistance to select Asian Development Bank (ADB) developing member countries (DMCs) and operations to (i) identify and adopt innovative, cost-effective, and sustainable digital connectivity solutions and business models; (ii) strengthen investment strategies related to digital connectivity infrastructure; and (iii) enhance policy frameworks to improve coverage, quality, and affordability of broadband internet.



Investment Description

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Bank Documents

- [Expanding Connectivity and Affordability to Address the Digital Divide: Technical Assistance Report](#)
- [Project Disclosure PDF](#) [Original Source]