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Quick Facts

Countries	Bangladesh
Specific Location	Dhaka
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	A
Borrower	Government of Bangladesh
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 250.00 million

Project Description

According to the Bank’s website, the project is to develop a new inland container depot (ICD) in the north of Dhaka near Gazipur with rail link of 7.2km in length, replacing the existing Kamlapur ICD. Dhirasram Inland Container Depot (DICD) will be the largest ICD and the first ICD with public-private partnership component in Bangladesh. DICD will be operated and maintained by a private concessionaire. Institutional framework will be set up by the government where the Ministry of Railway and Bangladesh Railway will regulate and monitor DICD operation.

Early Warning System Project Analysis

A preliminary resettlement plan was prepared for the construction of the new rail link and inland container depot (ICD) from Pubail to Dhirasram railway stations and an ICD. The Project includes construction of new rail link (Approx. 7.20 km) between Pubail and Dhirasram railway stations and new ICD including ancillary works with the ICD including access for private sector investments (approx. 62.3 ha/153.9 ac.). It is anticipated that the project will need to acquire 84.3 ha (208.3 ac.) of land for the new rail line from Pubail to Dhirasram and one ICD in Dhirasram. More than 200 households are expected to be physically impacted by the project. The resettlement plan will be further enhanced to reflect a more defined area of impacts.

Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

Ordinary capital resources: US$ 250.00 million

Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Bangladesh Railway	Undisclosed	-

Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

- Project Disclosure PDF
- South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Dhirasram Inland Container Depot Project: Initial Povert

Other Related Projects

- ADB-56172-001 Bangladesh: Support for Preparation of South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Dhirasram Inland Container Depot Project