

 Early Warning System

ADB-57201-001

Lao People's Democratic Republic: Strengthening Public Procurement
and Financial Management Capacity



Quick Facts

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| Countries | Laos |
| Financial Institutions | Asian Development Bank (ADB) |
| Status | Approved |
| Bank Risk Rating | U |
| Voting Date | 2023-12-08 |
| Borrower | Government of Laos - Ministry of Finance, State Audit Organization |
| Sectors | Law and Government, Technical Cooperation |
| Investment Type(s) | Grant |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 1.80 million |
| Project Cost (USD) | \$ 1.80 million |



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the technical assistance will strengthen public procurement and state audit functions of the Government of the Lao People's Democratic Republic (Lao PDR), contributing to stronger accountability mechanisms for more effective and transparent delivery of government investment program and use of public funds. Strengthened accountability mechanisms will in turn contribute to enhanced reliance on country systems, and the efficient and effective implementation of ADB-funded projects.



Investment Description

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The TA financing amount is \$1.8 million, of which (i) \$0.8 million will be financed on a grant basis by ADB's Technical Assistance Special Fund (TASF 7) public debt management set-aside to support activities under output 1 and (ii) \$1.0 million will be financed on a grant basis by the United States Agency for International Development to support activities under output 2, and administered by ADB.



Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

- [Project Disclosure PDF](#)
- [Strengthening Public Procurement and Financial Management Capacity: Technical Assistance Report](#)