

 Early Warning System

ADB-58180-001

Supporting Sustainable Forest Development in Papua New Guinea



## Quick Facts

Countries	Papua New Guinea
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2024-10-31
Borrower	Government of Papua New Guinea - Conservation and Environment Protection Authority
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Climate and Environment, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 2.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 2.00 million



### Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the proposed TA will promote sustainable forest development for Papua New Guinea by (i) leveraging the effective management of existing Protected Areas and its expansion, (ii) promote low-emission loggings and timber legality standards for sustainable forest harvest, (iii) facilitate downstream processing and access to international market for timber and non-timber products, and (iv) exploring and piloting eco-tourism linked to a sustainable financing model for biodiversity and forest conservation.



### Early Warning System Project Analysis

According to the Technical Assistance Report, the Risk Categories are:

Environment: Not Applicable

Involuntary Resettlement: Not Applicable

Indigenous Peoples: Not Applicable



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## Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

The TA financing amount is \$2,000,000, which will be financed on a grant basis by the Japan Fund for Prosperous and Resilient Asia and the Pacific (JFPR) and administered by ADB.



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### Bank Documents

- [Supporting Sustainable Forest Development: Technical Assistance Report](#)