

 Early Warning System

ADB-58274-001

Regional : Supporting Cooperation Around Trade and Transport
Facilitation for Stronger South Asia Integration



Quick Facts

Countries	Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2025-08-15
Borrower	Regional - Asian Development Bank
Sectors	Industry and Trade, Law and Government, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 1.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1.00 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the proposed knowledge and support TA project aims to facilitate implementation of trade and transport facilitation initiatives in South Asia by supporting: (i) the conduct of analytical studies on a broad spectrum of issues affecting cross-border transport and trade along key subregional trade routes, including digital trade facilitation, and initial implementation of selected recommendations; (ii) engagement with trade-related private sector entities; and (iii) organization of platforms for subregional dialogue, knowledge sharing, and capacity building.

Output 1: Cross-border trade and transport facilitation measures enhanced;

Output 2: Private sector engagement strengthened;

Output 3: Best practices and benefits of trade and transport facilitation advocated and disseminated.



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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The TA financing amount is \$1,000,000, which will be financed on a grant basis by ADB's Technical Assistance Special Fund (\$830,000 from TASF 8 and \$170,000 from TASF-other sources).



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Bank Documents

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