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Quick Facts

Countries	Bangladesh
Financial Institutions	Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2024-12-02
Borrower	Government of Bangladesh - Department of Public Health Engineering
Sectors	Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 200.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 250.00 million



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Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the objective of the Bangladesh City Inclusive Sanitation Project is to increase access to urban sanitation services in an inclusive manner in selected municipalities of Bangladesh.

The Project will help address gaps in sanitation service coverage in municipalities particularly in low-income communities and informal settlements that conventional sewer systems cannot reach. The Project will support different sanitation services depending on the specific needs of municipalities, which may include septic tank maintenance services, construction of communal sanitation facilities and public toilets, decentralized sewer systems, and wastewater treatment facilities. The Project will also support institutional and capacity building of project implementing agencies, development of sustainable operational models, and awareness building in beneficiary communities.

The Project will include the following components: Component 1 - Sanitation and Hygiene Improvement; Component 2 - Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building; and Component 3 - Project Management and Coordination.



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Early Warning System Project Analysis

The Project is being proposed to be Category B, considering it will finance wastewater treatment plants in decentralized locations, associated facilities, and the operation of sanitation systems. During the appraisal, the Project's Categorization will be further reviewed and finalized following the feasibility studies; Environmental and Social (E&S) assessments, and site visits.



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Estimated total Project Cost: USD250 million.

Indicative financing plan: AIIB: USD200 million; Government of Bangladesh: USD50million

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Bank Documents

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