

 Early Warning System

WB-P153501

Center South Road Corridor Project



Quick Facts

Countries	Kazakhstan
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Canceled
Bank Risk Rating	A
Borrower	KazAutoZhol JSC
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 645.24 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 645.24 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1,466.00 million



Project Description

According to bank documents, the project road consists of a 688 km section of road from Karagandy to Burylbaital, an essential link in the corridor between Almaty and Astana. The corridor will provide an all-weather divided highway connecting Kazakhstan to Western China and Russia. It will be constructed along the existing road alignment, and will accommodate a duplicated carriageway, i.e., the new road will improve the existing 2-lane single carriageway road to 4-lane dual carriageway road and consist of 4 x 3.75m lanes, 3.75m shoulders, and a 3 to 6m median strip. It will be designed for a traffic speed of 120 kilometres / hour (km/hr) and axle loads up to 13 tonnes. Bridges, overpasses, and pedestrian and animal passes will be included where required and informed by social impact assessments. The proposed development objective is to make safe and sustainable improvements to transport and freight connectivity between Almaty and Astana, and improve access to economic opportunities.



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Bank Documents

- [Integrated Safeguards Data Sheet \(Appraisal Stage\) - Center South Road Corridor Project - P153501 \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Integrated Safeguards Data Sheet \(Concept Stage\) - Center South Road Corridor Project - P153501 \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Kazakhstan - Center South Road Corridor Project : environmental and social impact assessment - executive summary \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Kazakhstan - Center South Road Corridor Project : environmental assessment : Environmental and social impact assessment \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Kazakhstan - Center South Road Corridor Project : environmental management plan \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Kazakhstan - Center South Road Corridor Project : resettlement plan \(Vol. 2\) : Appendixes \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Kazakhstan - Center South Road Corridor Project : resettlement plan : Resettlement policy framework \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Kazakhstan - Center South Road Corridor Project : resettlement plan : Temporary land acquisition plan \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Project Information Document \(Appraisal Stage\) - Center South Road Corridor Project - P153501 \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
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