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### **Quick Facts**

| Countries               | Uzbekistan             |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Financial Institutions  | World Bank (WB)        |
| Status                  | Active                 |
| Bank Risk Rating        | U                      |
| Voting Date             | 2018-06-26             |
| Borrower                | REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN |
| Sectors                 | Law and Government     |
| Investment Type(s)      | Loan                   |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 500.00 million      |
| Project Cost (USD)      | \$ 300.00 million      |



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#### **Project Description**

This project provides financing for a development policy project in Uzbekistan, aimed at supporting the government in transforming into a market-based economy. According to Bank documents, there are five policy areas prioritized by the government:

- 1. Enhancing state and public institutions
- 2. Securing the rule of law and reform of the judicial system
- 3. Promoting economic development
- 4. Fostering social development
- 5. Ensuring personal and public security through inter-ethnic and religious tolerance, and constructive foreign policy

The World Bank's project will provide an organizing framework for these reforms through three policy areas:

- 1. Supporting adjustments of macroeconomic policymaking
- 2. Supporting the market formation of private sector development, including liberalizing international trade and expanding opportunities in key sectors, such as agriculture
- 3. Mitigating negative impacts on vulnerable groups due to economic reforms, and supporting increases in social safety nets and reforms to move workers from "low value-added sectors" to "high value-added sectors"



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### **Investment Description**

• World Bank (WB)



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#### **Contact Information**

No contact information provided at time of writing.

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#### **Bank Documents**

• Board Summary - Reforms for a Sustainable Transformation toward a Market Economy Development Policy [Original Source]

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