Early Warning System

WB-P170248

Second Programmatic Energy Sector Development Policy Credit



Quick Facts

Countries	Nepal
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2019-12-30
Borrower	Government of Nepal
Sectors	Energy, Finance
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 100.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 100.00 million



Project Description

According to the bank document, the proposed project aims to to support the government's efforts to improve the financial viability and governance of the electricity sector.

The programmatic DPC series has two pillars: (i) improving the financial viability of the electricity sector; and (ii) improving the governance of the electricity sector.

This project will support the Nepal Electricity Authority during COVID-19: "The ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has halted many of the economic activities, reduced electricity demand, and weakened the financial position of the Nepal Electricity Authority ... the proposed DPC operation continues to support key policy, regulatory, and institutional reforms to unlock the potential of Nepal's electricity sector."



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Bank Documents

- Appraisal Program Information Document (PID) Second Programmatic Energy Sector Development Policy
- Concept Program Information Document (PID) Second Programmatic Energy Sector Development Policy Cr [Original Source]
- Energy DPC 2 Program Document
- Nepal Second Programmatic Energy Sector Development Policy Credit (English)

Media

• Power-Technology Briefing: World Bank loans Nepal funds for energy development



Other Related Projects

- WB-P154693 Nepal Energy Sector Development Policy Credit
- WB-P178037 Third Energy Sector DPC