

 Early Warning System

WB-P179749

Uttarakhand Disaster Preparedness and Resilience Project



Quick Facts

Countries	India
Specific Location	Uttarakhand
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	A
Voting Date	2024-04-01
Borrower	Government of India - Uttarakhand State Disaster Management Authority, Government of Uttarakhand
Sectors	Humanitarian Response, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 135.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 200.00 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this project is to enhance the climate and disaster resilience of select critical public infrastructure in Uttarakhand and strengthen the capacity of the State Government to respond to emergencies, including fires.

Components:

Enhancing Infrastructure Resilience

Improving Emergency Preparedness and Response

Preventing and Managing Forest and General Fires

Project Management

Contingency Emergency Response Component

Front End Fee



Early Warning System Project Analysis

The environmental and social risks are considered Substantial. The exact nature of environmental and social risks and impacts of the project will only be known during the subproject-level assessments. Possible environmental risks related to the project activities include impacts on environmentally sensitive areas resulting from subproject locations and associated project activities within or close to such areas and adverse impacts from construction activities. The latter might include health and safety risks to communities and occupational health and safety risks to workers due to negative impacts from debris, waste, dust, and noise, as well as the disruption of service provision and/or usage of buildings during retrofitting works. Possible social risks include (a) sexual exploitation and abuse/sexual harassment (SEA/SH) risks due to project-induced labor influx; (b) minimal physical displacement (approximately 80 project-affected families) and economic displacement (300 project-affected families) from limited private land acquisition (approximately 40 ha) for bridges and approach roads under Component 1, including temporary restrictions of villagers from accessing Van Panchayat forest land for activities under Component 3; (c) inadvertent exclusion of vulnerable people from accessing project benefits such as knowledge and training; and (d) noncompliance with labor standards. The possible weak capacity of multiple implementing institutions to effectively manage, monitor, and report on environmental and social risks could also lead to negative impacts.



Investment Description

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A PROPOSED LOAN IN THE AMOUNT OF US\$135 MILLION:

Component 1 - Enhancing Infrastructure Resilience (Total: US\$50 million; IBRD: US\$40 million; Government: US\$10 million)

Component 2 - Improving Emergency Preparedness and Response (Total: US\$56 million; IBRD: US\$44.8 million; Government: US\$11.2 million)

Component 3 - Preventing and Managing Forest and General Fires (Total: US\$45 million; IBRD: US\$36 million; Government: US\$9 million)

Component 4 - Project Management (Total: US\$17.4125 million; IBRD: US\$13.8625 million; Government: US\$3.55 million)

Component 5 - Contingent Emergency Response Component (CERC) (US\$0)



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