

 Early Warning System

ADB-50114-001

Promotion of International Arbitration Reform for Better Investment  
Climate in the South Pacific



## Quick Facts

<b>Financial Institutions</b>	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	B
<b>Voting Date</b>	2016-11-08
<b>Borrower</b>	Regional
<b>Sectors</b>	Law and Government
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Advisory Services
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 0.65 million



## **Project Description**

According to ADB website, the proposed TA aims to catalyze the establishment of one single and effective commercial dispute resolution regime through international arbitration reform to boost international investor confidence in the Pacific DMCs. The TA has 3 main components: (i) assisting selected Pacific DMCs in acceding to the NY Convention; (ii) drafting new or updated arbitration laws to recognize the international arbitration agreements and implement the NY Convention; and (iii) strengthening capacity for international arbitration reforms through regional awareness building and dissemination workshops and training of arbitrators and judges on international commercial arbitration and recognition and enforcement proceedings under the NY Convention.



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## Bank Documents

- [Project Disclosure PDF](#)
- [Technical Assistance Report](#)