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ABBREVIATIONS

ADB Asian Development Bank

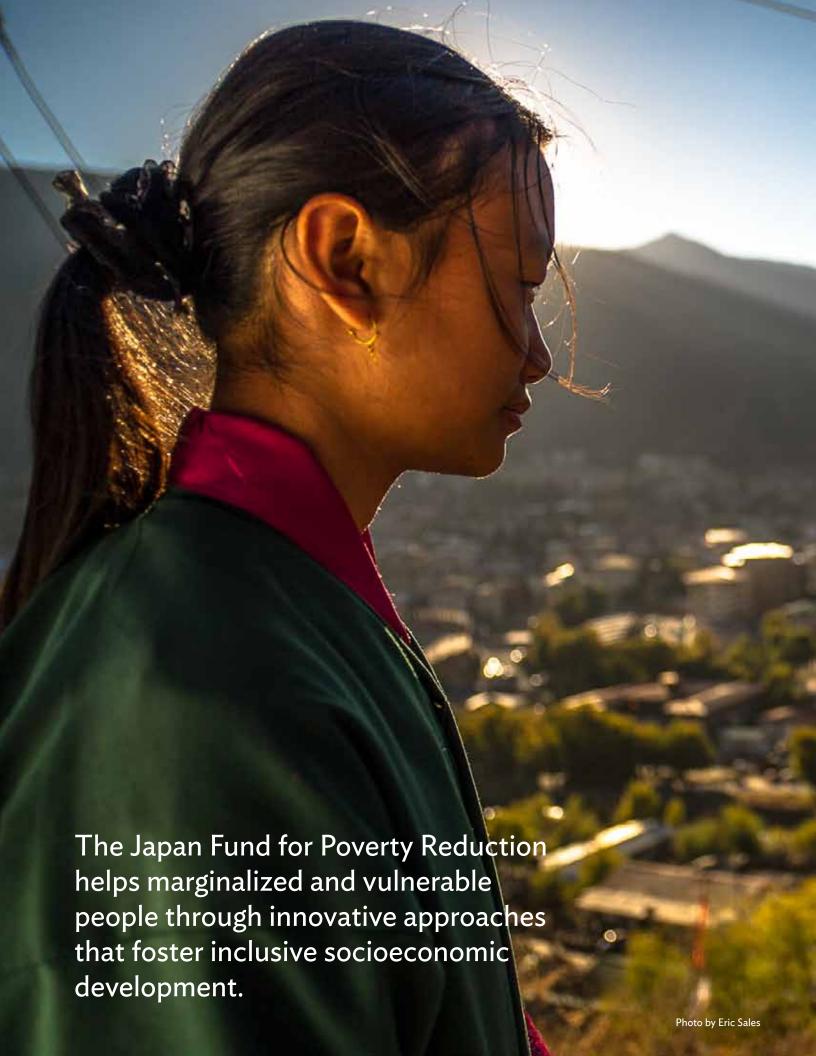
DMC developing member country

JFPR Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction

JICA Japan International Cooperation Agency

NGO nongovernment organization

OCO Office of Cofinancing Operations





Overview

The Annual Report 2016 of the Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction (JFPR) is the 16th report for the fund. Covering the period from 1 January to 31 December 2016, it presents the background and rationale, project implementation progress, and achievements of the JFPR.

Established in May 2000, the JFPR provides direct grant assistance to the poorest and most vulnerable groups in developing member countries (DMCs)¹ of the Asian Development Bank (ADB), while fostering long-term social and economic development.²

On 6 October 2009, the ADB Board of Directors approved the Revised Operating Framework for the JFPR,³ combining Japan's project grant and technical assistance support under one umbrella. As a result, the JFPR has provided financial support to ADB's technical assistance program for DMCs since 2010.

This report contains general information about the two financing modalities of the JFPR—project grants and technical assistance—and gives details about their operational performances in 2016.

Objectives

The JFPR seeks to add substantive value and development impact to ADB assistance. It does so through grants for poverty reduction and technical assistance activities that are in line with ADB's priorities, as laid out in the midterm review of the bank's long-term strategic framework for 2008–2020 (Strategy 2020). The efforts of the JFPR must also be compatible with, and complementary to, the broad thrusts of ADB country partnership strategies.⁴

The JFPR sets out objectives for its two financing modalities as follows.

ADB. Members. http://www.adb.org/about/members.

The Government of Japan established a similar facility, the Japan Social Development Fund, at the World Bank.

³ ADB. 2009. Revised Operating Framework for the Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction. Manila.

⁴ ADB. 2014. Midterm Review of Strategy 2020: Meeting the Challenges of a Transforming Asia and Pacific. Manila. Strategy 2020 has refocused ADB operations on three development goals: inclusive economic growth, environmentally sustainable growth, and regional integration.

Project grants aim to

- support well-targeted poverty reduction and social development activities that have a direct impact on the poor and on socially or economically excluded or vulnerable groups,
- (ii) stimulate the self-help capacities of the poor and vulnerable groups,
- (iii) promote the widespread participation of stakeholders at the community level, and
- (iv) impact positively on DMCs' operations and approaches to sustainable poverty reduction.

Technical assistance projects are designed to

- strengthen the capacity of executing agencies and other development partners to implement and operate projects;
- (ii) prepare and coordinate development strategies, plans, and programs, and carry out studies on sectors, policies, and issues;
- (iii) improve knowledge of development issues in Asia and the Pacific, and foster inclusive and environmentally sustainable growth and regional cooperation and integration among DMCs; and
- (iv) analyze, plan, and prepare development projects.

Activities

Project grants. The JFPR provides grants to finance projects that are aimed directly at poverty reduction, provide innovative and demonstrable impacts, and have positive prospects of developing into sustainable activities.

Technical assistance grants. Technical assistance projects supported by the JFPR may involve a single DMC or, in the case of regional projects, a group of DMCs. These projects may assist in capacity development, policy and advisory support, research and development,

or project preparation. In special cases on a grant basis, projects may also finance technical assistance components of development projects or programs financed under ADB loans.⁵

In 2016, the JFPR gave high priority to technical assistance grants related to quality infrastructure⁶ projects that meet at least one of the following criteria: (i) resilience against natural disasters, (ii) reduction in environmental burdens and social costs, (iii) economic efficiency, (iv) ensuring safety in use and operation, and (v) development of local human resources.

Processing of Grant and Technical Assistance Proposals

Besides ADB's general procedures, JFPR grant and technical assistance proposals must comply with procedures specific to the JFPR, before receiving approval from the Government of Japan and ADB (Figure 1).

Only ADB staff can prepare grant or technical assistance proposals. Therefore, interested proponents, including nongovernment organizations (NGOs), must contact staff working in an ADB country office or those within a sector division at ADB headquarters. These staff will then submit the proposal to ADB's Office of Cofinancing Operations (OCO). The office reviews the proposal or seeks clarification from the ADB staff to ensure consistency with the JFPR's objectives and guidelines. After the interdepartmental review and approval by the director general, the ADB staff, through OCO, submit the grant or technical assistance proposal to the Government of Japan. The Government of Japan then reviews the proposal, taking on OCO's recommendations as to whether or not the proposal meets the JFPR's financing criteria. Finally, the Government of Japan either approves or rejects the proposal, or seeks further clarification.

⁵ In 2017, technical assistance types were consolidated into two categories: (i) Transaction Technical Assistance and (ii) Knowledge and Support Technical Assistance.

Quality infrastructure as defined in the Memorandum of Understanding for Strategic Partnership for Sustainable and Inclusive Development through Promotion of Quality Infrastructure Investment in Asia and the Pacific, between the Japan International Cooperation Agency and ADB, and dated 17 December 2015. However, the JFPR's focus on quality infrastructure is not limited to those projects conducted under the Memorandum of Understanding.

Figure 1: Approval Process for Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Grant and Technical Assistance Proposals

ADB staff prepare grant or TA proposals

OCO receives and reviews draft proposals

Formal submission of proposal to the Government of Japan through OCO

Government of Japan approval

ADB = Asian Development Bank, OCO = Office of Cofinancing Operations, TA = technical assistance. Source: ADB, Office of Cofinancing Operations.

Accountability and Transparency

As stated in the arrangement letter between the Government of Japan and ADB, which became the basis for the Revised Operating Framework for the JFPR (footnote 3), ADB, as trust fund administrator, has to "carry out such administration in accordance with its normal practices and standards and with the same degree of care as it uses in the administration of its own funds."

Consultants are therefore recruited, and goods are procured, under the JFPR according to ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants⁷ and Procurement Guidelines.⁸ The payment of JFPR expenditures conforms to ADB's standard disbursement procedures, and financial records and accounts are audited annually by independent auditors and included in the JFPR annual report.

To harmonize and coordinate project proposals with the policies and programs of the Government of Japan, project officers must consult with the local embassy of Japan⁹ and the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) before submitting proposals to OCO. The proposals are

then screened, based on the criteria and focus areas that ADB and the Government of Japan agree on at the start of each year. As with project proposals in all other areas of ADB operations, JFPR project proposals must comply with ADB's safeguard policies for resettlement, indigenous peoples, gender, and the environment; and with ADB's public communications policy, which covers information disclosure and external relations.

During project implementation, ADB staff should monitor and evaluate the output and outcome of JFPR activities, as they would for all other ADB-financed projects or technical assistance. Monitoring and evaluation are based on the design and monitoring framework agreed to with various stakeholders (communities, local and central governments, NGOs, and the private sector) in consultations during project formulation. These results are then fed back to the DMCs' operations, to be replicated and institutionalized.

To further promote Japanese visibility in the field, the projects should ideally complement and have synergies with JICA projects and technical cooperation activities; utilize Japanese human resources; or use Japanese technology, knowledge, and expertise.

⁷ ADB. 2013. Guidelines on the Use of Consultants by Asian Development Bank and Its Borrowers. Manila.

⁸ ADB. 2015. Procurement Guidelines. Manila.

⁹ For regional projects, mission leaders are required to consult with the embassies of all countries mentioned in the proposal.

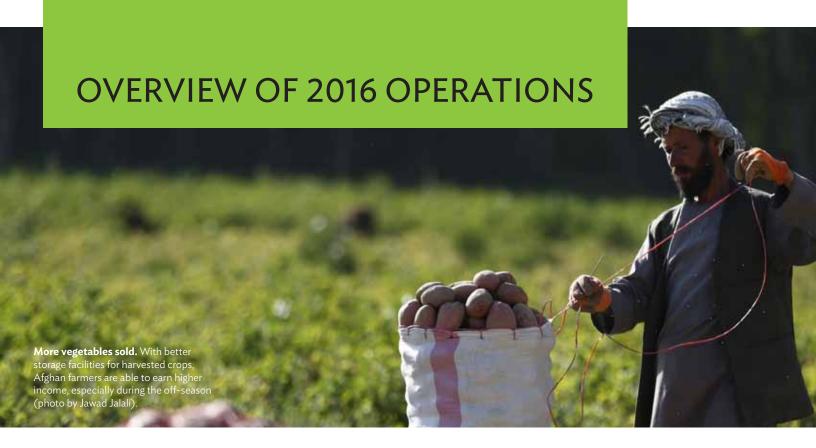
Contributions of the Government of Japan

In May 2000, the Government of Japan made an initial contribution of ¥10.0 billion (about \$92.6 million) to the JFPR. This was followed, in March 2002, by an additional contribution of ¥7.9 billion (about \$61.1 million) and the transfer of \$90.0 million by the government from the Asian Currency Crisis Support Facility to the JFPR. The government made 13 further contributions, including an additional ¥4.6 billion (about \$39.3 million) in 2016, bringing the total to about \$742.1 million.¹⁰

Commitments and Financial Status

By 31 December 2016, the JFPR had committed a total of \$522.3 million for 174 grants and \$267.4 million for 224 technical assistance projects. Outstanding amounts totaled \$509.5 million for 169 grants and \$257.4 million for 217 technical assistance projects. Agreement letters were signed and in effect for these grants and technical assistance projects. By the end of 2016, about \$65.1 million was available for further commitments. Appendix 1 presents the year-end audit report and financial statements for 2015 and 2016.

The other contributions before 2015 were made in March 2003, ¥7.1 billion (about \$59.9 million); March 2004, ¥2.6 billion (about \$23.3 million); March 2005, ¥1.9 billion (about \$18.0 million); March 2006, ¥1.8 billion (about \$15.5 million); March 2009, ¥3.2 billion (about \$32.5 million); March 2010, ¥4.9 billion (about \$52.9 million); January 2011, ¥4.9 billion (about \$58.5 million); January 2012, ¥4.0 billion (about \$51.9 million); March 2012, ¥445.0 million (about \$5.4 million); January 2013, ¥4.8 billion (about \$53.8 million); January 2014, ¥4.9 billion (about \$47.0 million); and January 2015, ¥4.8 billion (about \$40.3 million).

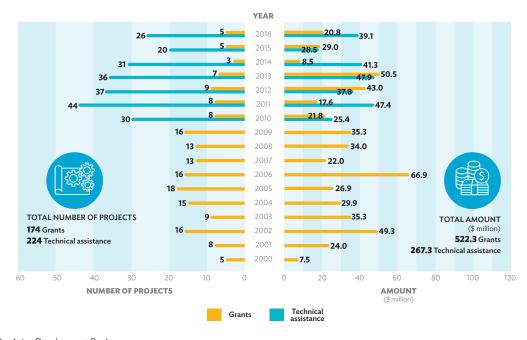


Processing and Approvals

Appendix 2 lists the JFPR projects approved by ADB during 2007–2016. Figure 2 shows the number and amount of ADB-approved JFPR projects from 2000 to 2016.

Project grants. In 2016, ADB approved five grants worth \$20.8 million for four countries. As of 2016, Mongolia had the highest number of JFPR projects, with 21 approved projects; followed by the Philippines and Cambodia, with 13 projects each. Figure 3 shows the distribution,

Figure 2: Number and Amount of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Projects, 2000–2016



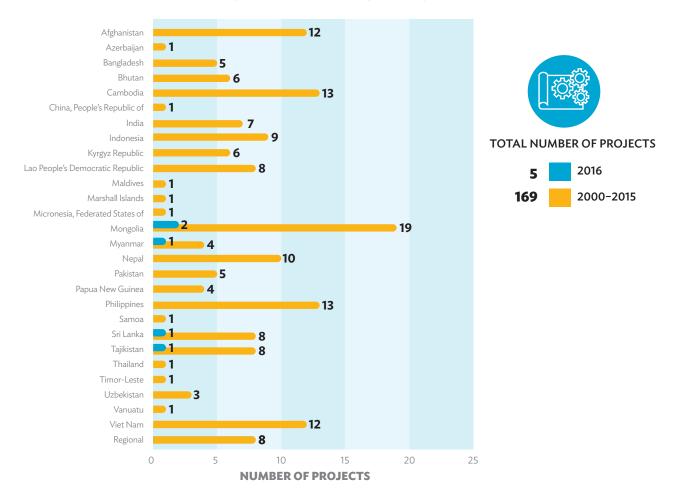


Figure 3: Number of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Grants by Country, 2000-2016

ADB = Asian Development Bank.
Source: ADB, Cofinancing Database.

by country, of projects approved in 2016 as well as cumulative approvals for 2000–2016.

In 2016, East Asia had the highest number of approved projects, with two projects (Figure 4). In terms of total approvals during 2000–2016, Southeast Asia led, with 65 approved projects; followed by South Asia, with 39.

In terms of sector distribution of projects approved in 2016, agriculture, natural resources, and rural development projects accounted for 76.9% of total grants approved, with \$16.0 million (Figure 5). Agriculture, natural resources, and rural development projects,

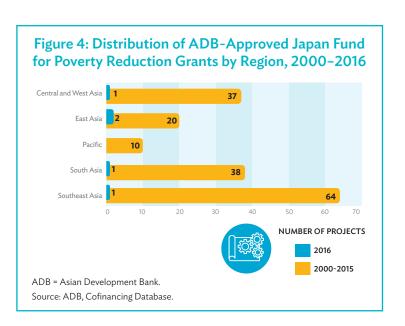
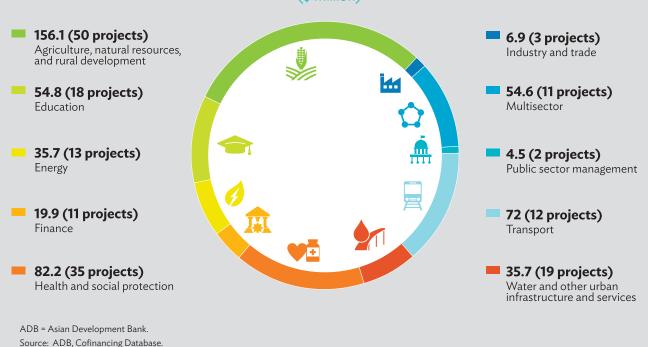


Figure 5: Amount of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Grants by Sector, 2016 (\$ million)



ADB = Asian Development Bank.
Source: ADB, Cofinancing Database.

Figure 6: Amount of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Grants by Sector, 2000–2016 (\$ million)



with \$156.1 million, made up 29.9% of the cumulative grants for 2000–2016 (Figure 6); followed by health, with \$82.2 million (15.7%); and transport, with \$72.0 million (13.8%).

Technical assistance. In 2016, ADB approved 26 technical assistance projects totaling \$39.1 million. DMCs in Central

Asia and Southeast Asia received the most approvals, with six technical assistance projects approved in each region. Meanwhile, there were five technical assistance projects approved in South Asia, while East Asia had four technical assistance approvals. Mongolia received the most technical assistance approvals, with four; followed by Sri Lanka, with three (Figure 7).

Afghanistan Armenia Bangladesh Bhutan Cambodia Cook Islands India TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS Kiribati 🔁 1 Kyrgyz Republic 1 26 Lao People's Democratic Republic Maldives 1 2000-2015 Micronesia, Federated States of Mongolia Myanmar 1 Nepal 11 Pakistan 2 Papua New Guinea Philippines Solomon Islands Sri Lanka Tajikistan 13 Thailand 1 Timor-Leste Tonga 1 Uzbekistan Vanuatu 📙 1 Viet Nam Regional 0 10 15 20 25 30 35 40 45 50

NUMBER OF PROJECTS

Figure 7: Number of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Technical Assistance Projects by Country, 2010–2016

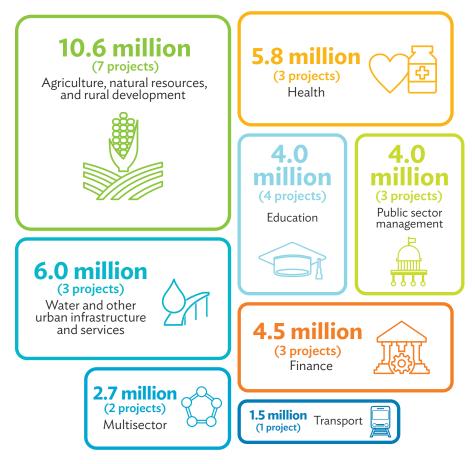
ADB = Asian Development Bank. Source: ADB, Cofinancing Database.

In terms of distribution of technical assistance approved in 2016, the sector of agriculture, natural resources, and rural development had the largest share, totaling \$10.6 million and representing 27.1% of the total amount (Figure 8). Technical assistance for public sector management, at \$36.1 million, made up 14.5% of the

cumulative total for 2010–2016 (Figure 9); followed by water and other urban infrastructure and services, with \$26.5 million (10.7%).

Appendix 3 summarizes the five project grants and 26 technical assistance projects approved in 2016.

Figure 8: Amount of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Technical Assistance by Sector, 2016 (\$ million)



ADB = Asian Development Bank. Source: ADB, Cofinancing Database.

Figure 9: Amount of ADB-Approved Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Technical Assistance by Sector, 2010–2016 (\$ million)



Letters of Agreement

Project grants. Of the 174 JFPR project grants approved by ADB since 2000, 169 have taken effect. In 2016, five grants were approved, with one project taking effect by 31 December 2016.

Technical assistance. Of the 224 technical assistance projects approved by ADB since 2010, 217 have taken effect. Of the 26 projects approved by ADB in 2016, 19 were in effect as of 31 December 2016.

Box 1 features selected grant and technical assistance signing events in 2016.



BOX 1: SIGNING OF THE JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION LETTERS OF AGREEMENT IN 2016

26 JANUARY 2016

Mongolia, ADB Sign Grant Agreements for Tourism, Schools, and Housing



ADB Mongolia Resident Mission Country Director Robert Schoellhammer and Mongolia's Minister of Finance and ADB Governor Bolor Bayarbaatar signed three JFPR agreements at a high-profile signing ceremony on 26 January in Ulaanbaatar. The agreements will develop sustainable tourism around Khuvsgul Lake, upgrade school dormitories in Mongolia's western region, and improve affordable housing in Ulaanbaatar. The ceremony was attended by the Japan Ambassador, the Minister of Environment, members of Parliament from Khuvsgul, and the Ulaanbaatar Vice-Mayor as well as other prominent officials and representatives of civil society organizations. The signing received broad media coverage, reflecting the importance of JFPR support to Mongolia.

Source: ADB. 2016. Grants Signed to Promote Khuvsgul Tourism, School Dormitories, Affordable Housing. Manila. https://www.adb.org/news/grants-signed-promote-khuvsgul-tourism-school-dormitories-affordable-housing.

17 MAY 2016

 ${\it Myanmar, ADB Sign JFPR Grant Agreement on Economic Empowerment}$



Myanmar Permanent Secretary of Finance Maung Maung Win, Hotels and Tourism Director General Tint Thwin, and ADB Myanmar Country Director Winfried Wicklein signed the grant agreement for the Economic Empowerment of the Poor and Women Project on 17 May in Nay Pyi Taw. The project provides skills training, technology, and finance to help the poor and women set up sustainable crafts and food product businesses targeted at tourists. Hotels and Tourism Minister Ohn Maung and ADB Office of Cofinancing Operations Senior Advisor Tatsuya Kanai witnessed the event.

Source: ADB. 2016. ADB, Japan-Assisted Project to Promote Tourism Jobs in Mon State. Manila. https://www.adb.org/news/adb-japan-assisted-project-promote-tourism-jobs-mon-state.

ADB = Asian Development Bank. Photos: ADB Photo Library.

31 AUGUST 2016

Myanmar, ADB Agree to Improve Disaster Resilience in Chin State



Director General, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, and Irrigation Khant Zaw; Director General, Ministry of Planning and Finance Nwe Nwe Win; and ADB Myanmar Resident Mission Country Director Winfried Wicklein signed a grant agreement for vital emergency support to Chin State on 31 August in Nay Pyi Taw. Backing the Chin State Livelihood Restoration Project, the grant aims to restore rural roads and community infrastructure damaged by Cyclone Komen in 2015.

Source: ADB. 2016. ADB, Myanmar Sign Grant Agreement for Improved Disaster Resilience in Chin State. Manila. https://www.adb.org/news/adb-myanmar-sign-grant-agreement-improved-disaster-resilience-chin-state.

15 NOVEMBER 2016

Financing Agreements Signed for Tajikistan Road, Water Projects



Tajikistan's Minister of Finance Abdusalom Qurboniyon and ADB Tajikistan Resident Mission Country Director C.C. Yu signed financing agreements totaling over \$95 million for Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation road and water resource projects on 15 November in Dushanbe. The projects aim to improve road connectivity between Dushanbe and Kurgonteppa, and boost food security in the Pyanj River Basin. First Deputy Prime Minister and ADB Governor Davlatali Said and Japan Ambassador Hajime Kitaoka also attended the event.

Sources: ADB. 2016. ADB-Financed Road Upgrade to Improve Dushanbe-Kurgonteppa Connectivity. Manila. https://www.adb.org/news/adb-financed-road-upgrade-improve-dushanbe-kurgonteppa-connectivity-0.

ADB. 2016. ADB to Improve Water Resource Management in Pyanj River Basin. Manila. https://www.adb.org/news/adb-improve-water-resource-management-pyanj-river-basin.



Disbursements

Cumulative JFPR project disbursements from 2000 to the end of 2016 totaled \$507.0 million (Figure 10). Appendix 4 lists the disbursement figures for each project.

Project grants. Project grant disbursements in 2016 totaled \$28.1 million, 9.8% more than the \$25.6 million in

2015. Cumulative JFPR grant disbursements from 2000 to the end of 2016 amounted to \$357.5 million.

Technical assistance. Disbursements for technical assistance projects in 2016 totaled \$34.4 million, compared to \$35.0 million in 2015. Cumulative JFPR technical assistance disbursements from 2000 to the end of 2016 amounted to \$149.5 million.

Figure 10: Disbursement of Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Project Grant and Technical Assistance by Year, 2000–2016 (\$ million)



ADB = Asian Development Bank.
Source: ADB, Cofinancing Database.

Success Stories from the Field

Since the JFPR was established in 2000, about 169 JFPR project grants have been implemented across Asia and the Pacific. Of these, 143 have been completed and their results and lessons are documented in project reports and implementation completion memorandums to help

guide similar or related initiatives in the future. Although the projects vary in scope and thematic focus, they all work with the poorest and most vulnerable communities and households to improve their health, welfare, job opportunities, and other socioeconomic conditions. Box 2 features some recent JFPR projects that have changed people's lives for the better.

BOX 2: SUCCESS STORIES FROM THE FIELD



Profit from potatoes. Afghan workers in a potato-sorting plant in Bamyan, where cold storage facilities have provided extra income for farmers (photo by Jawad Jalali).

AFGHANISTAN: SIMPLE STORAGE YIELDS PEAK PRICES

In the picturesque, mountainous province of Bamyan in central Afghanistan, the rich soil and cool climate are well-suited for growing vegetables. Bamyan's carrots, cauliflower, lettuce, potatoes, and onions are highly regarded in the markets of Kabul, the country's capital.

Despite their popularity, Bamyan's vegetables traditionally have garnered minimal profits for farmers.

Potatoes sell for the equivalent of about \$0.11 per kilogram immediately after harvest. If stored and sold during the offseason, the same potatoes can yield double or triple the price.

I can make a considerable income from selling potatoes after harvest by storing them until the market price is at its peak.

- Ms. Gul Bahar, who cultivates a 1.2 hectare farm in Bamyan Province

Farmers in the area, including many women who cultivate fields while men seek work in distant provinces, have long struggled to find effective ways to store their harvests until prices rise, often losing as much as 40% of their vegetable crops to decomposition and soil-borne diseases.

A project supported by ADB and the JFPR has built about 1,100 vegetable storage facilities for the farmers of Bamyan Province. Made of stone or brick, the underground structures deter pests, maintain a steady temperature and humidity, and require no power to operate. Local farmers have been able to store their vegetables for 3–5 months, with losses of only about 2%.

The \$18.5 million project is also providing broader support for vegetable farmers in Kabul and Parwan provinces, and for oilseed producers in Nangarhar and Balkh provinces. It has provided more than 2,000 storage facilities for potatoes and onions, financed machinery upgrades at processing facilities in Jalalabad and Mazar-e-Sharif, helped form 55 women's associations and community organizations, and provided training to about 10,000 farmers.^a

Source: ADB. 2016. *Afghanistan: A Simple Solution for Farmers*. Manila. https://www.adb.org/results/afghanistan-simple-solution-farmers.



Financial stardom. The promotional poster for the television series produced, with cofinancing from the JFPR, to increase financial literacy in Mongolia (photo by Enerelt Enkhbold).

MONGOLIA: TV DRAMA PLOTS COURSE TO FINANCIAL LITERACY

In Mongolia, the global financial crisis, a dry spell, and yet another *dzud* (long, severe winter) from 2008 to 2010 pointed out the obvious: with no financial safety nets, vulnerable households needed financial education.

With this objective in mind, an innovative project assisted by ADB and the JFPR used storytelling to help people protect themselves with increased savings and better financial planning.^b

Under the project, a 2014 survey found that television was the main source of information for around 80% of Mongolians.

Since serial dramas were very popular, they were identified as the most effective vehicle for messages on financial literacy.

The project developed a soap opera called "A Course that Helps You Become a Millionaire," which became the second mostwatched program nationwide in 2015.

The 24-episode series revolved around six characters from different socioeconomic backgrounds, each with a common purpose: to enhance their personal financial management skills by attending the course. Throughout the episodes, the characters faced and solved financial challenges, mostly related to bank loans and savings.

"I think the TV series illustrated very well the importance of savings. I started saving 10% of my (monthly) salary since I watched it," said 27-year-old D. Yanjmaa Yanjmaa from Ulaanbaatar.

A subsequent survey showed that, after watching the TV series, the proportion of Mongolians exploring their financial options increased from 58% to 72% and, for instance, a majority now compare the interest rates of loans and savings services.

Source: ADB. 2016. TV Drama Promotes Financial Education in Mongolia. Manila. https://blogs.adb.org/blog/tv-drama-promotes-financial-education-mongolia.



Healthy and happy. The children of Phapheung, Khoun District, now lead healthier lives thanks to assistance that created model healthy villages in the Lao People's Democratic Republic (photo by Jake Padua).

LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC: IMPROVING VILLAGE HEALTH

In Xiengkhoung Province of the Lao People's Democratic Republic (Lao PDR), Neng Yong Lee takes pride in his village, which was declared a "model healthy village" by the Government of the Lao PDR in 2012.

The village of Phapheung, located in the Khoun District, is of Hmong ethnic minority and its 101 households are home to 695 people, with most villagers engaged in agriculture and livestock production.

"Villagers used to live in traditional ways, literally keeping livestock inside their homes. They had little knowledge of modern health practices, little access to health care, and instead mostly relied on traditional herbal medicines. They were also used to defecating in the open," recalls Neng Yong Lee, who is a village head.

Behaviors and living conditions in Phapheung have since been transformed by a project supported by ADB and the JFPR.

The project aimed to pilot a model healthy village approach, which was defined by the government as a community-centered

approach to maintaining the basic conditions needed for inhabitants to lead healthy lives.^c The approach included eight primary health care elements: (i) health information, (ii) clean environment practices, (iii) safe motherhood, (iv) immunization, (v) nutrition, (vi) disease control, (vii) awareness and information of available treatments in health facilities, and (viii) availability of essential drugs and drug kits.

"The key ingredient for the successful development of model healthy villages was to change people's mind-set about health and health practices," explains Prasongsidh Boupha, Director General of the Department of Planning and International Cooperation, Ministry of Health. "Aside from providing drugs and drug kits, we educated villagers to improve their ability to plan, implement, and manage primary health care activities."

The project impressed government officials at the central and local levels, and eventually encouraged them to implement the approach nationwide. Around 5,000 villages in the Lao PDR have now been declared model healthy villages.

Source: T. Koike. ADB. Lao People's Democratic Republic: Improving People's Health Conditions through a Model Health Village Approach. Unpublished.



The fabric of community. Tshering Yangchen from Ugyentse, Bhutan, earns vital income and has a stronger say in community decisions thanks to assistance from the JFPR (screen capture from video).

BHUTAN: RURAL WOMEN BECOME MORE ENTERPRISING

In Ugyentse, a corner of southwestern Bhutan that is so remote it is easier to reach via India, Tshering Yangchen tends to her farming tasks. Like many women in rural Bhutan, Tshering had few options to do anything other than subsistence agricultural work. However, since the opening of a new enterprise in her small town, she has been able to spin her spare time into vital income.

"We had no income before the weaving program started. It was only after this weaving center opened that we started to earn some money," says Tshering.

The weaving center in Tshering's town was established as part of a nationwide ADB and JFPR project to set up enterprises that give women in rural Bhutan the chance to earn their own livelihoods and have a stronger say in how their communities are run.

The JFPR provided the raw materials and looms, while the local community provided the labor. Some of the traditional garments

produced can fetch hundreds of dollars in bigger towns where the nonprofit Tarayana Foundation helps market and sell them.

In the neighboring village of Yoseltse, an enterprise of 12 women specializes in more "earthy" endeavors. They harness the power of earthworms to produce organic fertilizer to sell in the market. They also produce an inexpensive fuel from animal waste for cooking at home.

"I used firewood to cook meals, but we had to walk to the forest and back to collect wood," says Norbu Zangmo of Yoseltse. "We couldn't use electric stoves because they are expensive to run. Now we can use biogas instead, and we are very grateful."

The JFPR project has shown success in reducing women's unemployment, boosting the number of women-owned microenterprises, and allowing women's voices to be heard when community decisions are taken.

Source: ADB. 2015. It's a Woman's Business in Rural Bhutan. Manila. https://www.adb.org/news/videos/its-womans-business-rural-bhutan.

^a ADB. 2012. Grant Assistance to the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan for Enhanced Agricultural Value Chains for Sustainable Livelihoods. Manila. (G9167).

^b ADB. 2010. Grant Assistance to Mongolia for Promoting Inclusive Financial Services for the Poor. Manila. (G9152).

c ADB. 2009. Grant Assistance to Lao People's Democratic Republic for Developing Model Healthy Villages in Northern Lao People's Democratic Republic. Manila. (G9137).

Monitoring and Consultation

The agreement establishing the JFPR requires representatives of the Government of Japan to undertake monitoring visits to JFPR project sites. In 2016, OCO, together with the ADB Executive Director for Japan and the director's advisors, traveled on coordination and monitoring missions to visit JFPR project sites in Cambodia, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, and Tajikistan. These missions met with project beneficiaries, ministry of finance officials, heads of executing and implementing agencies of projects, representatives of NGOs and community leaders, and officials from the Embassy of Japan and JICA (Box 3).

Completed Projects

As of 31 December 2016, 139 of the 174 project grants approved since 2000 had been completed—132 of them in 2004–2015, and seven in 2016. In 2016, OCO received eight implementation completion memorandums detailing the results, lessons, and recommendations from completed JFPR projects.

Participation of Nongovernment Organizations

Participation of NGOs is deeply ingrained in JFPR operations. The JFPR is widely recognized as one of the primary ADB grant facilities available to NGOs. Under JFPR projects, NGOs and community groups are routinely involved in different stages of the project cycle—from fact finding, preparation, and appraisal to implementation, monitoring, and evaluation. NGOs may provide information, organize communities, offer specialized services, or act as consultants to ADB during project supervision.

An NGO may take the initiative to bring a proposal to ADB's attention. The proposal may then be taken up by an ADB officer, who obtains the necessary project approvals. In such cases, the NGO becomes either an executing agency or an implementing agency, with partnership arrangements detailed in a memorandum of agreement. OCO receives offers of collaboration from various NGOs across Asia and the Pacific, and JFPR staff transmit these offers to the appropriate resident missions or divisions concerned. Appendix 5 lists the NGOs participating in JFPR projects.

BOX 3: JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION COORDINATION AND MONITORING MISSIONS IN 2016

OCTOBER 2016

Mission to Mongolia with the ADB Executive Director for Japan



ADB Executive Director for Japan Koichi Hasegawa (front row, center) met with Mongolia's Deputy Prime Minister Ukhnaa Khurelsukh (front row, third from left) during the JFPR monitoring and coordination mission in Mongolia, conducted 3–7 October 2016. Mr. Hasegawa, ADB Mongolia Resident Mission Country Director (2016) Yolanda Fernandez Lommen, and staff from ADB's Office of Cofinancing Operations and the Mongolia Resident Mission also met with Ministry of Finance Vice Minister Khurelbaatar Bulgantuya; governors of Orkhon, Khuvsgul, and Darkhan-Uul provinces; and implementing agencies of various ADB and JFPR projects (photo by Rhina Ricci Lopez-Tolentino).

JULY 2016

Mission to the Lao People's Democratic Republic with Advisors of the Executive Director for Japan



Advisor to the ADB Executive Director for Japan Yoko Yoshida (third from left) met with implementing agencies, community leaders, and JFPR project beneficiaries in Xiengkhouang Province during the mission to the Lao People's Democratic Republic, conducted 1–7 July 2016. Ms. Yoshida, along with staff from ADB's Office of Cofinancing Operations and the Lao People's Democratic Republic Resident Mission, also met with officials of the Ministry of Finance and the Ministry of Planning and Investment (photo by Jake Padua).

JUNE 2016

Mission to Tajikistan with Advisors of the ADB Executive Director for Japan



Advisor to the ADB Executive Director for Japan Masashi Hosomi (second from right) met with implementing agencies and community leaders, and visited JFPR project sites during the mission to Tajikistan, conducted from 30 May to 3 June 2016. Mr. Hosomi, along with staff from ADB's Office of Cofinancing Operations and the Tajikistan Resident Mission, also met with officials of the Ministry of Transport and the Ministry of Health (photo by Joy de los Reyes).

NOVEMBER 2016

Mission to Cambodia with Advisors of the ADB Executive Director for Japan



Advisor to the ADB Executive Director for Japan Hidemasa Fukuda (fourth from left) met with officials from Cambodia's Ministry of Economy and Finance and the Ministry of Tourism during the JFPR mission to the country, conducted 21–24 November 2016. Mr. Fukuda, along with staff from ADB's Office of Cofinancing Operations and the Cambodia Resident Mission, also met with Siem Reap Province local authorities, implementing agencies, and project beneficiaries, while also visiting JFPR project sites (photo by Edith Cruz).

ADB = Asian Development Bank, JFPR = Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction. Source: Asian Development Bank.

Outreach, Visibility, and Knowledge Sharing

As agreed with the Government of Japan, project officers are asked to help promote the visibility and local awareness of the JFPR in recipient countries. For this purpose, ADB project officers and OCO ensure that key events around projects in the field are well covered by print and electronic media; that all related publicity materials, official notices, reports, and publications explicitly acknowledge Japan as the source of funding; and that the JFPR and Japan Official Development Assistance logos are prominently displayed. JFPR projects are also encouraged to complement and seek synergies with JICA projects and technical cooperation activities.

Projects should also take advantage of Japanese human resources or use Japanese technology, knowledge, and expertise.

Officials of the Embassy of Japan and JICA, government officials, the ADB country director, and resident mission staff attend ceremonies held to mark a grant or technical assistance signing or launch. They may also attend inaugurations of facilities, the handing over of major equipment, major conferences and workshops, and similar events. These project milestones and other important JFPR events and announcements are also featured in ADB Today, ADB's daily in-house electronic newsletter. Some JFPR activities highlighted by ADB Today during 2016 are shown in Box 4.

BOX 4: JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION ANNOUNCEMENTS IN ADB TODAY, 2016

29 JANUARY 2016

ADB, Myanmar Partner to Strengthen Auditor General's Office



The Office of the Union Auditor General and ADB held a workshop on 19-22 January in Nay Pyi Taw to enhance the capacity of government staff in conducting public financial audit. Myanmar Resident Mission and Southeast Asia Department staff joined the workshop, supported under a capacity development regional technical assistance financed by the JFPR. About 60 representatives from government ministries and development partners participated.

16 MAY 2016

Vocational Training Courses Launched in Myanmar



On 12 May, Myanmar's Minister of Education Myo Thein Gyi and Myanmar Resident Mission Country Director Winfried Wicklein launched the latest round of vocational training short courses formulated and pilot tested in Nay Pyi Taw and other selected sites in Myanmar. The training is supported under JFPR technical assistance to promote skills development and inclusive growth in the country.

14 MARCH 2016ADB Holds Workshop for Balochistan Water



An inception workshop for the Pakistan: Balochistan Water Resources Development Project, financed by the JFPR, was held on 10 March in Islamabad. Pakistan Resident Mission Country Director Werner Liepach and Economic and Development unit head of the Embassy of Japan in Pakistan Takashi Harada delivered their opening remarks at the workshop, organized with the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency. Akhtar Ali from the Central and West Asia Department's Environment, Natural Resources, and Agriculture Division led the discussion on ways to increase Pakistan's food production using remote-sensing technology, with Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency support for the project.

6 JULY 2016

Support Launched for Earthquake-Affected Communities in Nepal



Nepal's Ministry of Finance and Small Farmers Development Bank launched the project for Livelihood Restoration Credit to Earthquake-Affected Communities on 29 June in Kathmandu. Nepal Resident Mission Country Director Kenichi Yokoyama delivered opening remarks and handed over credit documentation to representatives from farmers cooperatives. The credit is financed by the Disaster Risk Reduction and Livelihood Restoration for Earthquake-Affected Communities Project fund, supported by the JFPR, to provide microcredit to around 12,500 earthquake-affected households.

5 AUGUST 2016

ADB Recognized by Maldives for Tax Revenue Administration Support



The Government of Maldives recognized ADB for its support in improving tax revenue administration during the sixth anniversary celebration of the Maldives Inland Revenue Authority on 2 August in Malé. ADB's Economic Recovery Program, two completed technical assistance projects, and an ongoing technical assistance project financed by the JFPR have contributed to an increase in tax revenue from 8.1% of gross domestic product to 24.4% in 5 years.

2 NOVEMBER 2016

Off-Grid Solar Photovoltaic Minigrid System in Myanmar



Myanmar's Ethnic Affairs Minister Sai Kyaw Zaw, ADB Executive Director Won-Mok Choi, members of Parliament, officials, and villagers attended the inauguration of Myanmar's first solar minigrid system using prepaid meters on 28 October in Mandalay. Myanmar Agriculture, Livestock, and Irrigation Deputy Minister Tun Win and Southeast Asia Department's Energy Division Director Andrew Jeffries inaugurated the system. The project, financed by the JFPR, constructed 12 solar minigrid systems across Myanmar.

8 SEPTEMBER 2016 Sustainable World Cities Partnership Forum Held in Myanmar



A forum under the JFPR-financed Ulaanbaatar Urban Planning Improvement technical assistance project was held on 2-3 September in Ulaanbaatar. Representatives from the cities of Calgary, Edmonton, Ha Noi, Paris, and Yokohama shared experiences in urban planning and discussed future partnerships and knowledge exchanges. ADB will support the partnership activities of these cities under the Future Cities Program.

8 DECEMBER 2016

Seminar Held in Colombo on Credit Guarantees for Small Business

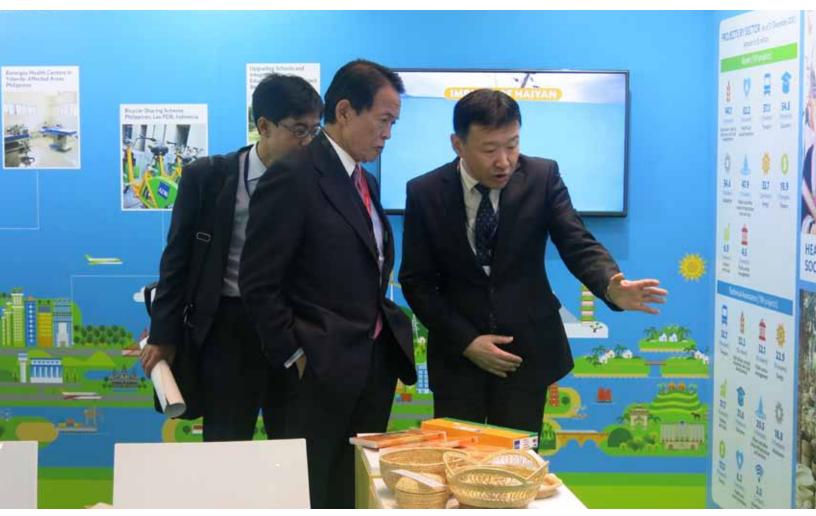


A seminar on establishing a Sri Lankan credit guarantee institution for small and medium-sized enterprises was held in Colombo on 6 December, under a JFPR technical assistance project. The event was attended by about 90 guests from both the public and private sectors. International experts from Japan, Malaysia, the Republic of Korea, and Thailand were invited to a panel session to discuss international best practices for credit guarantee schemes covering small and medium-sized enterprises.

ADB = Asian Development Bank, JFPR = Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction.

Photos: ADB Photo Library.

Source: ADB Today.



Showing the way. Japan's Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance Taro Aso (second from left) listens to ADB Office of Cofinancing Operations Financing Partnerships Specialist Hiroki Kasahara explain the features of a JFPR project at an exhibit held during the Annual ADB Board of Governors' Meeting in Frankfurt, Germany (photo by Eloise Valerie Martinez).

In May 2016, at the 49th Annual ADB Board of Governors' Meeting at the Messe Frankfurt in Frankfurt, Germany, OCO organized a JFPR exhibit featuring innovative and sustainable projects supported by the fund. Delegates, including high-level officials from governments around the world, visited the exhibit, which focused on the results of successful JFPR projects using posters, publications, products from livelihood projects, and other promotional materials.

The JFPR website, which is mapped to ADB's website, continues to be an important platform for disseminating information about the JFPR. To outline the fund's activities and performance to development partners and the general public, the *Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Annual Report 2015* was produced. The "Japan Funds" Facebook page was also launched to establish awareness on Japanese assistance through ADB, including the JFPR, through social media. Appendix 6 lists JFPR communication and outreach activities in 2016.



In 2017, the focal areas of OCO are

- (i) further streamlining JFPR grant and technical assistance procedures and templates;
- (ii) further enhancing coordination with regional departments to facilitate the preparation, processing, and administration of JFPR project grants and technical assistance projects;
- (iii) further promoting Japanese visibility by encouraging collaboration with Japanese NGOs, academic institutions, and the private sector, among other activities, including widening outreach through social media; and
- (iv) continuing efforts to promote knowledge management and dissemination of lessons learned, including a JFPR exhibit and seminar during the 50th ADB Annual Meeting in Yokohama, Japan, in May.

APPENDIXES

APPENDIX 1 2016 Audit Report and Financial Statements

The following pages present the independent auditor's report on the Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction's financial statements for 2016.

Deloitte.

JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (ADMINISTERED BY ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK)

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEARS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016 AND 2015

JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (ADMINISTERED BY ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK)

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016 AND 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Asian Development Bank - Administrator for Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction administered by Asian Development Bank (ADB) (the Administrator) which comprise the statement of financial position as of 31 December 2016 and 2015, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal controls. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Deloitte.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of ADB – Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction as of 31 December 2016 and 2015, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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Public Accountants and
Chartered Accountants
Singapore

17 May 2017

JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (Administered by Aslan Development Bank)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION 31 December 2016 and 2015

Expressed in Thousands of US Dollars

\$	772	\$	
\$	772	\$	
		Ψ	15,638
	277,423		301,532
	15,516		10,055
	9		0
	55		12
\$	293,775	\$	327,237
\$	254	\$	10,330
	18		20
	183,741	_	177,502
	184,013		187,852
by:	109,762		139,385
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^{0 =} less than \$500.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements (JFPR-4).

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JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (Administered by Asian Development Bank)

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the Years Ended 31 December 2016 and 2015

Expressed in Thousands of US Dollars

		2016	2015			
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS						
CONTRIBUTIONS (Note G)	\$	39,319	\$	40,291		
REVENUE						
From investments				700		
Interest income - Time deposits		1,434		700		
Interest income - Government or government guaranteed obligations		- 0		54 0		
Interest income - Securities purchased under resale arrangements		0		7		
Unrealized holding gain on investments				,		
From other sources Interest income from bank accounts		15		1		
Other income		6		14		
	_		_	776		
Total	_	1,455	_	110		
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS AND REVENUE		40,774		41,067		
EXPENSES Poverty reduction and technical assistance, net		68,720		25,159		
Administrative expenses		1,890		2,274		
Financial expenses		12		11		
Total		70,622		27,444		
CONTRIBUTIONS AND REVENUE (LESS THAN) IN EXCESS OF EXPENSES		(29,848)		13,623		
EAFCINGES		(20,010)		10,020		
EXCHANGE GAIN (LOSS), NET		225	_	(502)		
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN NET ASSETS		(29,623)		13,121		
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		139,385		126,264		
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$	109,762	\$	139,385		

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The accompanying notes are an Integral part of these financial statements (JFPR-4).

JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (Administered by Asian Development Bank)

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Years Ended 31 December 2016 and 2015

Expressed in Thousands of US Dollars

		2016		2015
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Contributions received Interest on investments received Interest earned on bank accounts Poverty reduction assistance and technical	\$	39,329 1,391 15	\$	40,116 837 1
assistance disbursed Administrative expenses paid Cash received from other source		(77,819) (1,904) <u>6</u>		(51,348) (2,278) 14
Net cash used in operating activities	_	(38,982)	_	(12,658)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Purchases of investment securities Maturities of investment securities	_	(8,510,631) 8,534,747	_	(9,409,072) 9,437,037
Net cash provided by investing activities	_	24,116	_	27,965
Net (decrease) increase in due from banks		(14,866)		15,307
Due from banks at beginning of year		15,638	_	331_
Due from banks at end of year	\$	772	\$	15,638
RECONCILIATION OF (DECREASE) INCREASE IN NET ASSETS TO NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES:				
(Decrease) Increase in net assets (JFPR-2) Adjustments to reconcile (decrease) increase in net assets to net cash used in operating activities:	\$	(29,623)	\$	13,121
Unrealized holding loss on investments				(7)
Amortization of discounts/premiums		(75)		54
Exchange (gain) loss Change in advances under poverty reduction assistance		(7)		434
and technical assistance		(5,461)		556
Change in accrued revenue		(43)		29
Change in receivable from related funds		(9)		26
Change in payable to related funds		(10,076)		10,119
Change in accrued expenses		(2)		7
Change in undisbursed commitments		6,239	_	(36,997)
Net cash used in operating activities	\$	(38,982)	\$	(12,658)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements (JFPR-4),

JAPAN FUND FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (Administered by Asian Development Bank)

Notes to Financial Statements 31 December 2016 and 2015

NOTE A - NATURE OF OPERATIONS

The Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction (JFPR) was established on 23 May 2000 when the Government of Japan and the Asian Development Bank (ADB) entered into a financial arrangement whereby the Government of Japan agreed to make an initial contribution and ADB became the administrator. Its primary objective is to foster sustainable poverty reduction and social development in the developing member countries of the Asian and Pacific Region. JFPR resources are used mainly to finance poverty reduction assistance (PRA) operations. On 6 October 2009, the operating framework for the JFPR was revised to include financing for technical assistance grants. Under the agreement between ADB and the Government of Japan, ADB may invest the proceeds of JFPR pending disbursement. The revenue from such investments may be used to cover the direct and identifiable costs incurred in the administration of JFPR.

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Presentation of the Financial Statements

The financial statements of JFPR are prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (US GAAP), and are presented on the basis of those for not-for-profit organizations.

JFPR reports donor's contribution of cash as unrestricted asset as it is made available to JFPR without conditions other than for the purpose of pursuing the objective of JFPR.

Functional and Reporting Currency

The United States (US) dollar is the functional and reporting currency, representing the currency of the primary economic environment of JFPR.

Translation of Currencies

ADB adopts the use of daily exchange rates for accounting and financial reporting purposes. This allows transactions denominated in non-US dollar currencies to be translated to the reporting currency using exchange rates applicable at the time of the transactions. Contributions included in the financial statements during the year are recognized at applicable exchange rates as of the respective dates of commitment. At the end of each accounting month, translations of assets and liabilities which are denominated in non-US dollar currencies are adjusted using the applicable rates of exchange at the end of the reporting period. Translation adjustments are accounted for as exchange gains or losses and are credited or charged to operations.

Investments

All investment securities held by JFPR are reported at fair value. Realized and unrealized gains and losses are included in revenue from investments.

Interest income on investment securities and time deposits is recognized as earned and reported net of amortizations of premiums and discounts.

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Contributions

Contributions by the Government of Japan are included in the financial statements from the date indicated by the Government of Japan that funds are expected to be made available. Such contributions and the net assets of JFPR are restricted for the payment of poverty reduction technical assistance and direct and identifiable costs incurred by ADB in the administration of JFPR.

Poverty Reduction Assistance, Technical Assistance and Undisbursed Commitments

Poverty Reduction Assistance (PRA) and Technical Assistance (TA) are recognized in the financial statements when the project is approved and becomes effective. Upon completion or cancellation of the PRA/TA project, any undisbursed amount is written back as a reduction in the PRA/TA for the year and the corresponding undisbursed commitment is eliminated accordingly.

Advances under PRA and TA are provided to the executing agency or co-operating institution for the purpose of making payments for eligible expenses. The advances are subject to liquidation and charged against undisbursed commitment. Any unutilized portion is required to be returned to JFPR.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, "Fair Value Measurement" defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability at measurement date in an orderly transaction among willing participants with an assumption that the transaction takes place in the entity's principal market, or in the absence of principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability. The most advantageous market is the market where the sale of the asset or transfer of liability would maximize the amount received for the asset or minimize the amount paid to transfer the liability. The fair value measurement is not adjusted for transaction costs.

Fair Value Hierarchy

ASC 820 also establishes a fair value hierarchy that gives the highest priority to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1), next priority to observable market inputs or market or market corroborated data (Level 2), and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs without market corroborated data (Level 3).

The fair values of ADB's financial assets and liabilities are categorized as follows:

Level 1; fair values are based on unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets.

Level 2: fair values are based on quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets or markets that are not active; or valuation models for which significant inputs are obtained from market-based data that are observable.

Level 3; fair values are based on prices or valuation models for which significant inputs to the model are unobservable.

Inter-level transfers from one year to another may occur due to changes in market activities affecting the availability of quoted market prices or observable market data.

ADB's policy is to recognize transfers in and transfers out of levels as of the end of the reporting period in which they occur.

Accounting Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires ADB's management to make reasonable estimates and assumptions that affect the reported

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amounts of assets, liabilities and uncommitted balances as of the end of the year and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the year. The actual results could differ from those estimates.

Accounting and Reporting Developments

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standard Update (ASU) 2014-09 "Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)" to improve financial reporting by creating common revenue recognition guidance for US GAAP and the International Financial Reporting Standards. In 2016, ASUs 2016-08, 2016-10, 2016-12 and 2016-20 were issued to clarify the implementation guidance on principal versus agent considerations, on identifying performance obligations and licensing, on assessing collectibility, noncash consideration, and completed contracts and contract modifications at transition, and to clarify the Codification and to correct unintended application of the guidance, respectively. A public business entity is required to apply the amendments retrospectively for annual reporting periods beginning after 15 December 2017. These ASUs are not expected to have a material impact on JFPR's financial statements on effectivity.

In August 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-14. "Not-for-Profit Entities (NFPs) (Topic 958) - Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities, "to improve the usefulness of information provided to donors and other users of not-for-profit entity (NFP) financial statements and reduce complexities or costs in preparing the financial statements. The Update significantly changes how NFPs present net assets on the face of the financial statements, as well as requires additional disclosures for expenses by nature and function and for the liquidity and availability of resources. Amendments in this Update should be applied retrospectively for annual financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after 15 December 2017, and for interim periods within fiscal years beginning after 15 December 2018. Early adoption is permitted. ADB is currently assessing the impact of this ASU on JFPR's financial statements.

In August and November 2016, FASB issued two ASUs related to statement of cash flows. ASU 2016-15, "Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230) - Classification of Certain Cash Receipts and Cash Payments," provides guidance for eight specific cash flow issues, where current standards are either unclear or deficient. ASU 2016-18, "Statement of Cash Flows (Topic 230) - Restricted Cash," requires that a statement of cash flows explain the change during the period in the total cash, cash equivalents, and amounts generally described as restricted cash and restricted cash equivalents. Amendments in these Updates should be applied retrospectively for annual financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after 15 December 2017, and for interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is permitted. ADB is currently assessing the impact of this ASU on JFPR's financial statements.

Statement of Cash Flows

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, JFPR considers that its cash and cash equivalents are limited to "DUE FROM BANKS."

NOTE C - INVESTMENTS

The main investment management objective is to maintain security and liquidity. Subject to these parameters, ADB seeks the highest possible return on JFPR's investments. Investments are governed by the Investment Authority approved by the Board of Directors

The estimated fair value and amortized cost of the investments by contractual maturity as of 31 December 2016 and 2015 were as follows:

(\$ thousand)

		31 Decer	mber 20	016		31 Decer	mber 2015			
	Es	timated Fair Value	Am	ortized Cost	Es	tímated Fair Value	Am	ortized Cost		
Due in one year or less	\$	277,423	\$	277,423	\$	301,532	\$	301,532		

The annualized rate of return on the average investments held during the year, based on the portfolio held at the beginning and end of each month was 0.47% (0.23% - 2015).

Fair Value Disclosure

The fair value of investments as of 31 December 2016 and 2015 were as follows:

(\$ thousand)

		Fai	ir Value Measurement	s
	31 December 2016	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets Investments Time deposits (\$ thousand)	\$ 277,423	\$ -	\$ 277,423	\$
		Fai	ir Value Measurement	S
	31 December 2015	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets Investments	\$ 301,532	\$ -	\$ 301,532	\$

ADB maintains documented processes and internal controls to value investment securities. If available, investment securities are fair valued based on active market quotes. Time deposits are reported at cost, which approximates fair value.

NOTE D - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Related party transactions pertain to administrative and operational expenses which are settled regularly with ADB's ordinary capital resources (OCR) or other funds. Technical assistance projects and program activities may be cofinanced by ADB's special funds and other trust funds administered by ADB (Agency Trust Funds).

The interfund account balances reported as "RECEIVABLE FROM RELATED FUNDS" and "PAYABLE TO RELATED FUNDS" were as follows:

(\$ thousand)			
	2016		2015
Receivable from:			
Regional Cooperation and Integration Fund (RCIF)	\$ -	\$	0
Agency Trust Funds - net	9		-
Total	\$ 9	\$	0
Payable to:			
OCR	\$ 212	\$	189
Technical Assistance Special Fund (TASF)	42		60
Agency Trust Funds - net			10,081
Total	\$ 254	5	10,330

0 = less than \$500.

The net interfund balances of OCR, TASF, and agency trust funds as of 31 December 2016 were subsequently settled on 19 and 23 January 2017, respectively. The net interfund balances of OCR, TASF and agency trust funds as of 31 December 2015 were subsequently settled on 27, 26 and 6 January 2016, respectively.

NOTE E - ACCRUED EXPENSES

Accrued expenses pertain to administrative and audit fees incurred but not yet paid,

NOTE F - UNDISBURSED COMMITMENTS

Undisbursed commitments represent effective PRA and TA projects which have not been disbursed as of the end of the year.

The fair value of undisbursed commitments approximates the amounts outstanding because JFPR expects that disbursements will be made for all the projects/programs covered by the commitments.

NOTE G - CONTRIBUTIONS AND UNCOMMITTED BALANCES

The Government of Japan contributed the sum of $\pm 4,642,036,000$ (equivalent to \$39,319,000) and $\pm 4,770,043,000$ (equivalent to \$40,291,000) in 2016 and 2015, respectively.

Uncommitted balances comprise amounts which have not been committed by ADB as at 31 December 2016 and 2015. These balances include approved PRA and TA projects that are not yet effective.

As of 31 December 2016 and 2015, these balances were as follows:

(\$ thousand)			
		2016	2015
Uncommitted balances	S	109,762	\$ 139,385
PRA and TA projects/programs approved by Japan and ADB but not yet effective		(22,800)	(41,000)
PRA and TA projects/programs approved by Japan but not yet effective		(21.850)	(18,250)
Uncommitted balances available for new commitments	\$	65,112	\$ 80.135

NOTE H - OTHER FAIR VALUE DISCLOSURES

As of 31 December 2016 and 2015, JFPR has no assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis. See Notes C and F for discussions relating to investments and undisbursed commitments, respectively. In all other cases, the carrying amounts of JFPR's assets and liabilities are considered to approximate fair values.

NOTE I - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

JFPR has evaluated subsequent events after 31 December 2016 through 17 May 2017, the date these financial statements are available for issuance. On 6 January 2017, JFPR received its additional contribution from the Government of Japan amounting to ¥5,358,160,000 (equivalent to \$46,447,000).

APPENDIX 2

Progress of Implementation of Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Grant and Technical Assistance Projects, 2007–2016

JFPR No.	Title	Amount (\$ million)	ADB Approval	In A	ple	of tatio D	
GRANTS							
Afghanista	ın						
9128	Development of Mini Hydropower Plants in Badakhshan and Bamyan Provinces	12.00	28 Nov 2008				
9165	Community-Based Irrigation Rehabilitation and Development	10.00	6 Jul 2012				
9167	Enhanced Agricultural Value Chains for Sustainable Livelihoods	18.50	19 Sep 2012				
	Subtotal	40.50					
Banglades	h						
9129	Developing Inclusive Insurance Sector	2.00	27 Jan 2009	$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9153	Institutional Support for Migrant Workers' Remittance	2.00	18 Jan 2011	$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9172	Pilot Project on Weather Index-Based Crop Insurance	2.00	27 Mar 2013		\checkmark		
	Subtotal	6.00					
Bhutan							
9103	Rural Skills Development	1.99	15 Jan 2007	\checkmark			
9146	Farm Roads to Support Poor Farmers' Livelihoods	3.00	14 Jul 2010	$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9149	Upgrading Schools and Integrated Disaster Education Project	3.00	12 Aug 2010	$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9155	Advancing Economic Opportunities of Women and Girls	1.95	4 Feb 2011	$\overline{\checkmark}$			
	Subtotal	9.94					
Cambodia							
9114	Building Community Capacity for Poverty Reduction Initiatives in the Tonle Sap Basin	1.50	19 Dec 2007				
9133	Piloting the Post-Harvest Technology and Skills Bridging Program for Rural Poor	2.00	20 Apr 2009	☑			
9156	Improving Market Access for the Poor in Central Cambodia	1.90	16 Feb 2011				
9178	Community-Based Disaster Risk Reduction	2.50	3 Oct 2014		$\overline{\checkmark}$		
	Subtotal	7.90					

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9121 Community-Based Local Road Upgrading and Maintenance 2.00 in the Western Region of Mongolia	10 Jul 2008	Ø				

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9124	Water Point and Extension Station Establishment for Poor Herding Families	2.00	30 Jul 2008	V				
9125	Poverty Reduction through Community-Based Natural Resource Management	2.00	5 Aug 2008	\square				
9127	Energy Conservation and Emissions Reduction from Poor Households	2.00	23 Sep 2008					
9131	Reducing Persistent Chronic Malnutrition in Children in Mongolia	2.00	16 Mar 2009	\square				
9136	Protecting the Health Status of the Poor during the Financial Crisis	3.00	30 Jul 2009	Ø				
9138	Early Childhood Education for Rural, Nomadic, and Migrant Children	2.89	28 Aug 2009					
9139	Demonstration Project for Improved Electricity Services to the Low-Income Communities in Rural Areas	2.40	9 Sep 2009					
9152	Promoting Inclusive Financial Services for the Poor	2.50	17 Dec 2010	$\overline{\checkmark}$				
9164	Establishment of Climate-Resilient Rural Livelihoods	2.50	8 Jun 2012					
9182	Improving School Dormitory Environment for Primary Students in Western Region	3.00	26 Nov 2015		V			
9183	Integrated Livelihoods Improvement and Sustainable Tourism in Khuvsgul Lake National Park	3.00	7 Dec 2015		V			
9187	Strengthening Community Resilience to Dzud and Forest and Steppe Fires	3.00	14 Sep 2016					
9189	Managing Soil Pollution in Ger Areas through Improved On-Site Sanitation	2.80	10 Nov 2016					
	Subtotal	40.59						
Myanmar								
9174	Enhancing Rural Livelihoods and Incomes	12.00	11 Dec 2013		\checkmark			
9176	Greater Mekong Subregion Capacity Building for HIV/AIDS Prevention	10.00	11 Dec 2013		V			
9177	Pro-Poor Community Infrastructure and Basic Services	4.00	27 Feb 2014		\checkmark			
9184	Economic Empowerment of the Poor and Women in the East-West Economic Corridor	3.00	15 Dec 2015		V			
9185	Emergency Support for Chin State Livelihoods Restoration	10.00	22 Apr 2016		\checkmark			
	Subtotal	39.00						
Nepal								
9110	Strengthening Decentralized Support for Vulnerable and Conflict-Affected Families and Children	2.00	10 Oct 2007					
9135	Establishing Women and Children Service Centers	0.75	3 Jul 2009					
9141	Capacity Building for the Promotion of Legal Identity Among the Poor in Nepal	2.00	12 Oct 2009					
9144	Flour Fortification in Chakki Mills	1.80	9 Dec 2009					\checkmark
9157	Reducing Child Malnutrition through Social Protection	2.00	28 Feb 2011	V	□ conti	□ nued	on ne	□ ext p

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9159	Support for Targeted and Sustainable Development Programs for Highly Marginalized Groups	2.70	31 Mar 2011	V				
9180	Disaster Risk Reduction and Livelihood Restoration for Earthquake-Affected Communities	15.00	7 Oct 2015					
	Subtotal	26.25						
Pakistan								
9105	Microfinance for the Poorest	2.00	30 Jan 2007					$\overline{\checkmark}$
	Subtotal	2.00						
Papua Nev	w Guinea							
9113	Lae Port Livelihood and Social Improvement	1.50	18 Dec 2007					
9130	Extending the Socioeconomic Benefits of an Improved Road Network to Roadside Communities	2.00	2 Mar 2009	V				
9163	Improved Energy Access for Rural Communities	2.50	19 Apr 2012		\checkmark			
	Subtotal	6.00						
Philippine	s							
9118	Developing Microinsurance Project	1.00	15 Feb 2008					
9161	Enhancing Access to Quality Early Childhood Education Services for Children in Poor Communities	1.50	20 Feb 2012	Ø				
9162	Promoting Partnerships and Innovation in Poor and Underserved Communities	1.50	9 Apr 2012	V				
9169	Agribusiness Development Assistance for Smallholders in Mindanao	2.00	11 Dec 2012				V	
9175	Emergency Assistance and Early Recovery for Poor Municipalities Affected by Typhoon Yolanda	20.00	13 Dec 2013		V			
	Subtotal	26.00						
Samoa								
9166	Community Sanitation	2.00	31 Jul 2012		\checkmark			
	Subtotal	2.00						
Sri Lanka								
9116	Improvement of Rural Access Roads and Livelihood Development for the Poor	2.00	21 Jan 2008	Ø				
9143	Improving Connectivity to Support Livelihoods and Gender Equality	3.00	14 Dec 2009	V				
9150	Post-Conflict Emergency Assistance for Livelihood Restoration of Resettled Internally Displaced People in the North	2.50	19 Aug 2010	V				
9154	Improving Community-Based Rural Water Supply and Sanitation in Post-Conflict Areas of Jaffna and Kilinochchi	2.00	4 Feb 2011	V				
9186	Supporting Electricity Supply Reliability Improvement	2.00	26 Jul 2016				$\overline{\checkmark}$	
	Subtotal	11.50						

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Tajikistan				
9111	Sustainable Access for Isolated Rural Communities	2.00	23 Oct 2007	Ø 0 0 0
9126	Community Participatory Flood Management	3.00	8 Sep 2008	
9171	Improved Maternal and Child Health through Connectivity	2.50	7 Mar 2013	
9188	Water Resources Management in Pyanj River Basin	3.00	28 Sep 2016	
	Subtotal	10.50		
Thailand				
9179	Community-Based Flood Risk Management and Disaster Response in the Chao Phraya Basin	2.00	22 Oct 2014	
	Subtotal	2.00		
Timor-Les	te			
9142	Our Roads, Our Future—Supporting Local Governance and Community-Based Infrastructure Works	3.00	20 Nov 2009	
	Subtotal	3.00		
Vanuatu				
9181	Cyclone Pam School Reconstruction	5.00	16 Nov 2015	
	Subtotal	5.00		
Viet Nam				
9112	Thanh Hoa Province Small Scale Infrastructure Investments and Services in Urban and Peri-Urban Areas	2.00	27 Nov 2007	
9119	Community-Based Early Childhood Care and Development	1.90	19 Feb 2008	
9120	Livelihood Improvement of Vulnerable Ethnic Minority Communities Affected by the Song Bung 4 Hydropower Project in Quang Nam Province	2.00	26 Jun 2008	
9123	Demand-Driven Skills Training for Poverty Reduction in the Cuu Long (Mekong) River Delta	1.30	18 Jul 2008	
9140	Formalizing Microfinance Institutions	1.50	5 Oct 2009	
	Subtotal	8.70		
Regional				
9151	Social Protection of the Vulnerable in the Pacific	3.00	13 Sep 2010	
9158	Improving Gender-Inclusive Access to Clean and Renewable Energy in Bhutan, Nepal, and Sri Lanka	3.00	18 Mar 2011	
9160	Developing Sustainable Alternative Livelihoods in Coastal Fishing Communities in the Coral Triangle: Indonesia and the Philippines	2.00	2 Nov 2011	
9173	Greater Mekong Subregion: Livelihood Support for Corridor Towns	2.50	21 May 2013	
	Subtotal	10.50		
	Total Grants, 2007–2016	282.47		

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Afghanista				_				_
7637	Power Sector Master Plan	1.50	6 Nov 2010	✓				
9273	Arghandab Integrated Water Resources Development Investment Program	2.00	8 Dec 2016				$\overline{\mathcal{A}}$	
	Subtotal	3.50						
Armenia								
8875	Solid Waste Management Solutions for Remote and Small Communities	0.55	28 Jan 2015	Ø				
9254	Second Water Supply and Sanitation Improvement Sector	2.00	5 Dec 2016					
	Subtotal	2.55						
Banglades	h							
7720	Support to Local Government Engineering Department in Institutionalizing Women's Benefits from Rural Infrastructure Initiatives	0.50	3 Dec 2010	V				
7890	Strengthening the Resilience of the Urban Water Supply, Drainage, and Sanitation to Climate Change in Coastal Towns	0.70	18 Oct 2011	Ø				
7979	Strategic Master Plan for Chittagong Port	1.00	14 Dec 2011		\checkmark			
7989	Skills for Employment	0.70	14 Dec 2011	\checkmark				
8054	Main River Flood and Bank Erosion Risk Management Program	1.20	21 Feb 2012	\checkmark				
8072	Transit-Oriented Development and Improved Traffic Management in Gazipur City Corporation	1.00	17 Apr 2012	V				
8128	Coastal Towns Infrastructure Improvement Project	0.90	6 Aug 2012	\checkmark				
8144	Capacity Building for Disaster Risk Finance	0.50	28 Aug 2012					
8221	Institutional Strengthening of the Roads and Highways Department	1.50	22 Nov 2012	Ø				
8228	Enhancing Efficiency of the Capital Market	0.75	28 Nov 2012	\checkmark				
8436	Supporting Participation in the South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Trade Facilitation Program	1.50	20 Aug 2013					
8803	Strengthening Monitoring and Enforcement in the Meghna River for Dhaka's Sustainable Water Supply	1.00	12 Dec 2014					
8956	Capacity Building of Management in Education and Skills Programs	1.50	18 Sep 2015		V			
9068	Strengthening Capacities of Small and Medium-Sized Stakeholders to Access Bank Financing Services	2.00	19 Jan 2016					
9275	Supporting Fourth Primary Education Development Program	0.80	13 Dec 2016				\checkmark	
	Subtotal	15.55						

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Bhutan		100	10.0 . 2011					
7887	Green Power Development Project II	1.00	10 Oct 2011	☑				
8076	Strengthening Royal Monetary Authority's Regulatory Capacity for Nonbank Financial Institutions	0.53	11 May 2012	✓				
8437	Supporting Participation in the South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Trade Facilitation Program	1.50	20 Aug 2013		V			
8623	Adapting to Climate Change through Integrated Water Resources Management	1.50	28 Feb 2014	\square				
8712	Institutional Strengthening for Skills Development	0.75	1 Sep 2014	\checkmark				
9005	South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Green Power Investment Program	1.50	3 Dec 2015		V			
9016	Decentralized Coordination and Partnerships for Gender Equality Results	1.50	9 Dec 2015		V			
	Subtotal	8.28						
Cambodia								
8121	Capacity Development for Urban Management	0.70	18 Jul 2012	\checkmark				
8188	Country Systems in Procurement and Financial Management	1.00	4 Oct 2012	\checkmark				
8669	Strengthening Coordination for Management of Disasters	2.00	17 Jun 2014		\checkmark			
8773	Capacity Development for Public-Private Partnerships	1.00	27 Nov 2014		\checkmark			
8942	Strengthening Capacity Development for National Skills Development	1.00	13 Aug 2015		V			
9182	Second Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Sector (Additional Financing)	2.00	22 Sep 2016			V		
	Subtotal	7.70						
Cook Islan	ds							
7646	Public Finance Management and Public Sector Performance Review	0.30	12 Nov 2010					
8439	Renewable Energy	0.50	4 Sep 2013	V				
	Subtotal	0.80						
India								
7625	Deepening Capacity Building for Mainstreaming Public–Private Partnerships	2.00	22 Oct 2010					
7749	Capacity Development for Project Management of Infrastructure Development for Rural Livelihood Enhancement	1.00	29 Nov 2010	Ø				
7771	Himachal Pradesh Clean Energy Transmission Investment Program	0.50	11 Jan 2011	V				
7808	Development of the International Center for Application of Solar Energy Technologies	2.00	17 May 2011	V				
7838	Capacity Building for North Eastern State Roads Sector	1.20	21 Jul 2011	\checkmark				
7947	Introducing Best Practices for Septage Management	0.70	2 Dec 2011					

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8110	Institutional Development for Rural Roads Asset Management	1.30	12 Jul 2012					
8279	Preparing the Bond Guarantee Fund for India	0.80	17 Dec 2012					
8468	Capacity Building for Supporting Human Capital Development in Meghalaya	2.00	27 Sep 2013		V			
8626	Capacity Building of the National Skill Development Agency	1.50	7 Mar 2014		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
8760	Capacity Building for the Additional Skill Acquisition Program	1.50	19 Nov 2014		\checkmark			
8899	Strengthening Capacity of the National Urban Health Mission	2.00	28 May 2015		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
8949	Supporting the Preparation and Implementation of the Comprehensive Integrated Master Plan of the Vizag-Chennai Industrial Corridor	2.00	3 Sep 2015		V			
9031	Supporting Rajasthan's Productive Clusters in the Delhi–Mumbai Industrial Corridor	1.00	9 Dec 2015		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$			
Indonesia	Subtotal	19.50						
7653	Strengthening National Public Procurement Processes	1.00	19 Nov 2010	V				
7729	Capacity Development Assistance for Public-Private Partnerships	0.50	10 Dec 2010	Ø				
7768	Institutional Strengthening for the Water Resources Sector	0.50	14 Dec 2010	\checkmark				
7843	Strengthening Sanitation Planning and Efficiency Improvement	1.00	5 Aug 2011					
7849	Water Resources and River Basin Management	1.80	18 Aug 2011					
7871	Integrated Citarum Water Resources Management Investment Program Periodic Financing Request 2	1.50	23 Sep 2011	Ø				
7909	Implementing Effective Climate Change Adaptation Policy	0.70	8 Nov 2011	\checkmark				
7993	Metropolitan Sanitation Management and Health Project II	1.00	13 Dec 2011					
8045	Improving Domestic Connectivity	0.50	12 Dec 2011	\checkmark				
8057	Local Government Finance and Governance Reform	0.80	20 Feb 2012					
8202	Fiscal Aspect of Social Security Reform	0.80	11 Oct 2012					
8224	Improving Access to Finance in Aceh and North Sumatra	0.80	8 Nov 2012					
8326	Enhancing Financial Sector Governance, Risk Management, and Depth	1.00	24 Jan 2013					
	Subtotal	11.90						
Kiribati								
8478	Enhancing Economic Competitiveness through State-Owned Enterprise Reform	0.80	8 Oct 2013					
	Subtotal	0.80						
Kyrgyz Re	public							
8688	Strengthening the Enabling Environment for Public-Private Partnerships	1.00	21 Jul 2014		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
	Subtotal	1.00						

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•	e's Democratic Republic				
7612	Support for Post-Private Sector and Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises Development Program Partnership Framework	1.00	27 Sep 2010	☑ □ □ □	
7624	Capacity Strengthening for Gender Mainstreaming in the Agriculture Sector	0.48	22 Oct 2010		
7728	Rural Access Improvement Project along the East-West Economic Corridor	1.20	14 Dec 2010		
7866	Renewable Energy Development in Remote Communities	1.00	9 Sep 2011		
7964	Vientiane Sustainable Urban Transport	0.70	12 Dec 2011		
8086	Supporting Decentralized Rural Infrastructure Development	1.00	29 May 2012		
8848	Strengthening Access to Finance for Micro, Small, and Medium-Sized Enterprises	1.50	17 Dec 2014		
9115	Strengthening Capacity to Develop the Employment Service System	1.50	13 May 2016		
9190	Strengthening Capacity for Health Sector Governance Reforms	2.00	29 Sep 2016		
	Subtotal	10.38			
Maldives					
8525	Enhancing Tax Administration Capacity	0.85	4 Dec 2013		
	Subtotal	0.85			
Micronesia	a, Federated States of				
7927	Strengthening Infrastructure Planning and Implementation	0.70	23 Nov 2011		
8143	Pohnpei Port Development Project	0.60	23 Aug 2012		
	Subtotal	1.30			
Mongolia					
7571	Reforming Higher Education for a Knowledge Society	0.40	4 Aug 2010		
7591	Ulaanbaatar Water and Sanitation Services and Planning Improvement	0.60	3 Sep 2010		
7619	Updating the Energy Sector Development Plan	1.00	19 Oct 2010		
7844	Road Sector Capacity Development	2.00	11 Aug 2011		
7882	Fifth Health Sector Development	0.70	7 Oct 2011		
7970	Ulaanbaatar Urban Services and Ger Areas Development Investment Program	1.50	13 Dec 2011		
8080	Logistics Capacity Development	0.90	22 May 2012		
8212	Ulaanbaatar Urban Transport Capacity Development	1.00	8 Nov 2012		
8241	Promoting Inclusive Growth	1.00	6 Dec 2012		
8299	Reforms in Technical and Vocational Education and Training in Mongolia	1.00	19 Dec 2012		
8466	Strengthening the Health Insurance System	1.50	25 Sep 2013		

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8467	Ulaanbaatar Urban Planning Improvement	1.50	1 Oct 2013	\checkmark				
8560	Tuul River Improvement	1.00	13 Dec 2013					
8649	Energy Efficiency and Urban Environment Improvement Project	2.00	12 May 2014		\checkmark			
8742	Transparency and Efficiency in Public Financial Management	1.10	29 Oct 2014	$\overline{\checkmark}$				
8802	Strategic Planning for Peatlands	0.40	12 Dec 2014					
8850	Ensuring Inclusiveness and Service Delivery for Persons with Disabilities	1.00	12 Dec 2014					
8874	Sustainable Forest Management to Improve Livelihood of Local Communities	2.00	13 Jan 2015					
8931	Education Sector Development	1.00	16 Jul 2015		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
8939	Concessions for Ulaanbaatar's Municipal Services	0.70	11 Aug 2015		\checkmark			
8960	Supporting Agriculture Value Chain	2.00	23 Sep 2015			$\overline{\checkmark}$		
8970	Improving Access to Health Services for Disadvantaged Groups	1.00	2 Oct 2015		\checkmark			
9030	Ulaanbaatar Affordable Housing and Urban Renewal	1.00	10 Dec 2015		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9201	Gender-Responsive Sector and Local Development Policies and Actions	0.70	5 Oct 2016			V		
9216	Sustaining Access to and Quality of Education during Economic Difficulties	0.80	3 Nov 2016					
9230	Sustainable Tourism Development Project	1.10	14 Nov 2016			V		
9233	Conservation of Forest Genetic Resources	0.50	18 Nov 2016				$\overline{\checkmark}$	
	Subtotal	29.40						
Myanmar								
8190	Trade Facilitation Support for ASEAN Economic Community Blueprint Implementation (Myanmar)	0.23	8 Oct 2012	V				
8327	Developing the Asset Management Program for Myanmar Roads	1.36	20 Feb 2013	\checkmark				
8330	Greater Mekong Subregion East-West Economic Corridor Eindu to Kawkareik Road Improvement	1.50	21 Feb 2013	V				
8342	Power Transmission and Distribution Improvement	1.50	22 Mar 2013		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
8356	Institutional Strengthening of National Energy Management Committee in Energy Policy and Planning	1.35	24 Apr 2013					
8377	Capacity Development of the National Statistical System	1.20	6 Jun 2013		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
8456	Transformation of Urban Management	2.00	20 Sep 2013					
8634	Skills Development for Inclusive Growth	2.00	2 Apr 2014		V			
8651	Strengthening Institutions for a Better Investment Climate	1.50	14 May 2014		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
8657	Off-Grid Renewable Energy Demonstration	2.00	23 May 2014		V			
8987	Improving Road Network Management and Safety	2.00	9 Nov 2015		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9074	Capacity Development for Project Implementation	2.00	29 Jan 2016		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
	Subtotal	18.64						

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Nepal								
7573	Decentralized Rural Infrastructure and Livelihood Project II	0.50	9 Aug 2010	\checkmark				
7590	Hydropower Development for Energy Crisis	2.00	2 Sep 2010					
7666	Energy Access and Efficiency Improvement Project II	0.60	26 Nov 2010	\checkmark				
7727	Integrated Urban Development	0.80	13 Dec 2010					
7777	Improving Access to Finance Sector Development Program	0.60	27 Jan 2011	\checkmark				
7936	Kathmandu Valley Urban Environment Improvement	0.70	1 Dec 2011	\checkmark				
7992	Skills Development	0.50	9 Dec 2011	\checkmark				
8050	Bagmati River Basin Improvement	0.80	24 Jan 2012	\checkmark				
8329	Support for Sustainable Energy Management and Reforms	1.50	21 Feb 2013	\checkmark				
8412	South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation Power System Expansion	1.00	30 Jul 2013	Ø				
8442	Supporting Participation in the South Asia Subregional 1.50 2 Sep 2013 Economic Cooperation Trade Facilitation Program							
	Subtotal	10.50						
Pakistan								
8800	Balochistan Water Resources Development	1.10	15 Dec 2014		V			
9223	Provincial Strategy for Inclusive and Sustainable Urban Growth	2.00	7 Nov 2016			\checkmark		
9255	Institutional Transformation of the Punjab Irrigation Department to a Water Resources Department	2.00	5 Dec 2016			$\overline{\checkmark}$		
	Subtotal	5.10						
Papua Nev	v Guinea							
7782	Facilitating Public-Private Partnerships	0.80	23 Feb 2011					
7869	Maritime and Waterways Safety	0.60	20 Sep 2011					
	Subtotal	1.40						
Philippine	5							
7716	Decentralized Framework for Sustainable Natural Resources and Rural Infrastructure Management	1.30	17 Dec 2010	V				
7733	Support for Social Protection Reform	1.40	13 Dec 2010	\checkmark				
7806	Results-Oriented Strategic Planning and Development Management for Inclusive Growth	1.00	13 Apr 2011	Ø				
7809	Support to Local Government Revenue Generation and Land Administration Reforms	1.50	19 May 2011	V				
7870	Strengthening Institutions for an Improved Investment Climate	1.00	26 Sep 2011	\checkmark				
8038	Capacity Development of Financial Regulators	1.00	16 Dec 2011	V				
8195	Davao Sustainable Urban Transport	1.00	19 Oct 2012	\checkmark				
8258	Capacity Building for Microinsurance	1.00	11 Dec 2012		\checkmark			
8354	Supporting Capacity Development for the Bureau of Internal Revenue	1.00	12 Apr 2013	V				

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8493	Climate Resilience and Green Growth in Critical Watersheds	1.75	25 Oct 2013		V			
8590	Enhancing Capacities for the KALAHI-CIDSS National Community-Driven Development	1.50	18 Dec 2013		V			
8650	Strengthening Evaluation and Fiscal Cost Management of Public-Private Partnerships	2.00	15 May 2014		V			
8718	Strengthening Treasury Operations and Capital Market Reform	0.50	17 Sep 2014		V			
9004	Implementing the Senior High School Support Program	1.50	3 Dec 2015		\checkmark			
	Subtotal	17.45						
Solomon Is	slands							
7715	Supporting Transport Sector Development	0.80	15 Dec 2010	V				
8217	Strengthening Country Safeguard Systems in the Transport Sector	0.60	16 Nov 2012	$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$				
	Subtotal	1.40						
Sri Lanka								
7600	Multimodal Transport	1.00	17 Sep 2010	\checkmark				
7659	Lagging Local Authorities Infrastructure Development	0.70	23 Nov 2010	\checkmark				
7746	Technical Education and Vocational Training Sector Development	0.80	10 Dec 2010					
9080	Cluster Development and Small and Medium-Sized Enterprise Finance Innovation	2.00	15 Feb 2016					
9161	National Port Master Plan	1.50	29 Aug 2016		\checkmark			
9213	Developing the Capital Market	0.50	26 Oct 2016			$\overline{\checkmark}$		
	Subtotal	6.50						
Tajikistan								
8394	Access to Green Finance	0.75	25 Jun 2013		\checkmark			
8546	Strengthening Private Sector Participation in Technical and Vocational Education and Training	0.70	10 Dec 2013	V				
8557	Investment Climate Reforms	1.00	13 Dec 2013		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
9183	Water Resources Management in Pyanj River Basin	2.00	28 Sep 2016		$\overline{\checkmark}$			
	Subtotal	4.45						
Thailand								
7998	Development of a Strategic Framework for Financial Inclusion	1.50	15 Dec 2011	V				
8194	Accounting and Financial Management System Reform of Thailand's Railway Sector	0.95	19 Oct 2012					
8267	Strengthening Integrated Water and Flood Management Implementation	1.50	11 Dec 2012	V				
9010	Strengthening Specialized and Semi-Formal Financial Institutions to Support Financial Inclusion	1.50	8 Dec 2015					
9204	Strengthening Integrated Water Resource Planning and Management at River Basin Level	1.00	14 Oct 2016			Ø		
	Subtotal	6.45						

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Timor-Les		0.23	12 D 2010		П	П		
7698	Supporting Road Network Development		13 Dec 2010					
7741	Support for Effective Aid Management	0.60	14 Dec 2010	☑				
8256	Preparing for Regional Economic Integration	0.85	10 Dec 2012	$\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$				
	Subtotal	1.68						
Tonga		0.50	0.00					
7940	Outer Island Renewable Energy	0.50	2 Dec 2011	☑				
	Subtotal	0.50						
Uzbekista						_	_	_
7917	Amu Bukhara Irrigation System Rehabilitation	1.50	15 Nov 2011	✓				
9256	Skills Strategies for Industrial Modernization and Inclusive Growth	0.90	5 Dec 2016					
	Subtotal	2.40						
Vanuatu								
7588	State-Owned Enterprise Rationalization Program	0.50	1 Sep 2010	\checkmark				
	Subtotal	0.50						
Viet Nam								
7611	Strengthening Institutional and Financial Arrangements, Operations and Maintenance, and Governance in Road Transport	1.00	24 Sep 2010	Ø				
7885	Support to Central and Local Governments to Implement Urban Environmental Improvement Programs	2.00	12 Oct 2011					
7900	Improvement of Road Safety and Climate Resilience on National Highways	1.50	27 Oct 2011	\checkmark				
7926	Water Resources Development in the Mid- and Northeast Red River Delta	0.80	24 Nov 2011	V				
8108	Supporting Microfinance Development Program	0.50	5 Jul 2012	\checkmark				
8310	Capacity Building and Coordination Improvement for Effective Regional Cooperation Investment Planning	0.80	21 Dec 2012					
8391	Strengthening Microfinance Sector Operations and Supervision	1.00	21 Jun 2013		V			
8592	Improving Payment for Forest Ecosystem Service Implementation	1.50	16 Dec 2013	V				
8698	Second Secondary Education Sector Development Program	1.00	13 Aug 2014		V			
8726	Implementation of Civil Service Reform Plan	1.00	23 Sep 2014		V			
8902	Capacity Building for Project Management Unit Professionalization	1.50	22 May 2015					
9221	Strengthening the Policy and Institutional Framework of Social Health Insurance	1.80	4 Nov 2016					
	Subtotal	14.40						

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Regional		(φσ)	, по в при					
7539	Asian Bonds Online Website Project, Phase III	1.00	31 May 2010] [_		
7580	Capacity Development of Selected Developing Member Countries on International Taxation: Eighteenth Tax Conference	0.18	20 Aug 2010	Ø C] [-		
7744	Asia-Pacific Community of Practice on Managing for Development Results—From Concept to Practice	0.71	14 Apr 2011	Ø C] []		
7794	Implementing the Pacific Regional Audit Initiative	1.30	29 Mar 2011	Ø C] [_		
7800	Building Capacity for Statistics in the Pacific	1.00	30 Mar 2011	Ø C] [
7812	Developing a Disaster Risk Financing Capability	2.00	23 May 2011	Ø C] [
7852	19th Tax Conference	0.20	5 Sep 2011	Ø C] [
7920	Supporting Water Operators' Partnerships in Asia and the Pacific	2.00	16 Nov 2011	Ø C] [_		
7950	Smart Grid Capacity Development	1.40	7 Dec 2011		Í [
7967	Innovations for More Food with Less Water	1.40	8 Dec 2011	Ø C] [
8012	Enabling Climate Change Responses in Asia and the Pacific— Disaster Risk Finance for Total Climate Risk	1.00	9 Dec 2011	Ø C] [
8060	Promoting Innovations in Wastewater Management in Asia and the Pacific	2.00	15 Mar 2012	Ø C] [_		
8066	Quality Primary Education in the North Pacific	1.35	29 Mar 2012	Ø C] [
8074	Applying Remote Sensing Technology in River Basin Management	2.00	27 Apr 2012	Ø C] []		
8075	Improving Road Safety in the Association of Southeast Asian Nations	1.50	25 Apr 2012	Ø C] [_		
8079	Trade Facilitation Support for ASEAN Economic Community Blueprint Implementation (Greater Mekong Subregion/ Indonesia-Malaysia-Thailand Growth Triangle)	2.00	17 May 2012	☑ □] []		
8168	Implementation of Sustainable Transport in Asia and the Pacific—Promoting Socially Sustainable Transport through Improving Nonmotorized Transport (Subproject 4)	2.00	19 Sep 2012	d C] [-		
8238	Strengthening Disaster and Climate Risk Resilience in Urban Development in the Pacific	0.65	5 Dec 2012	Ø C] [_		
8359	Regional Climate Projections Consortium and Data Facility in Asia and the Pacific	1.96	24 Apr 2013		<u> </u>			
8369	Innovative Data Collection Methods for Agricultural and Rural Statistics	2.00	20 May 2013		Ĭ [_		
8389	Support for a Regional Platform on Innovations in Education and Human Resources Development for Competitiveness toward an Integrated ASEAN Community	1.40	21 Jun 2013	☑ □] [_		
8435	Trade Facilitation in South Asia	1.50	20 Aug 2013		1 []		
8458	Mitigation of Hazardous Waste Contamination in Urban Areas: Supporting Inclusive Growth	1.50	17 Sep 2013	Ø C] [_		
8517	Implementing the Pacific Regional Audit Initiative (Phase 2)	1.30	25 Nov 2013		<u> </u>	_		
8584	Coordinated Border Management for Results in Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation	1.25	16 Dec 2013	_ <u>_</u>		-		□ xt page

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8585	Aligning Customs Trade Facilitation Measures with Best Practices in Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation	1.25	16 Dec 2013	
8586	Facilitation of Regional Transit Trade in Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation	1.50	16 Dec 2013	
8640	Enhancing Transparency and Exchange of Information for Tax Purposes	0.82	22 Apr 2014	
8654	Supporting the Use of Carbon Financing from New Carbon Market Mechanisms to Promote Green Growth in Asia and the Pacific	1.50	23 May 2014	
8674	Trade and Transport Facilitation in the Pacific	2.00	30 Jun 2014	
8693	Food Security and Resilience of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations Member States to Food Price Volatility	0.80	11 Jul 2014	
8707	Strengthening Trade Facilitation in the Greater Mekong Subregion through Partnerships with the Private Sector	1.50	22 Aug 2014	
8709	Strengthening Institutional Knowledge and Capacity of Customs Administrators for Trade Facilitation within the Association of Southeast Asian Nations	1.50	22 Aug 2014	
8732	Enhancing Capacity of Sanitary and Phytosanitary Arrangements to Facilitate Trade in the Greater Mekong Subregion	2.00	2 Oct 2014	
8736	South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation Food Security through Control of Transboundary Animal Diseases	2.00	10 Oct 2014	
8774	Education and Skills for Employment in Central and West Asia	1.00	3 Dec 2014	
8824	Enhancing Roles of Supreme Audit Institutions in Selected Association of Southeast Asian Nations Countries	0.80	12 Dec 2014	
8881	Capacity Building for Developing Qualification Frameworks under the Mutual Recognition Agreements to Support the ASEAN Economic Community by 2015 and Beyond	1.20	6 Mar 2015	
8884	Applying Space-Based Technology and Information and Communication Technology to Strengthen Disaster Resilience	2.00	31 Mar 2015	
9095	Strengthening Integrated Water Resources Management in Mountainous River Basins	2.00	12 Apr 2016	
9111	Strengthening Developing Member Countries' Capacity in Elderly Care	2.00	13 May 2016	
9170	Promoting Smart Systems in ADB's Future Cities Program	2.00	5 Sep 2016	
9235	Strengthening Tax Policy and Administration Capacity to Mobilize Domestic Resources	1.00	16 Nov 2016	
9288	Strengthening Government and Civil Society Cooperation in Open Government Partnership to Improve Public Services	1.00	12 Dec 2016	
	Subtotal	62.48		
	Total Technical Assistance, 2007–2016	267.35		
	Total JFPR Approvals, 2007-2016	549.82		

ADB = Asian Development Bank, ASEAN = Association of Southeast Asian Nations, JFPR = Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction, KALAHI-CIDSS = Kapit-bisig Laban sa Kahirapan-Comprehensive and Integrated Delivery of Social Services.

Note: Numbers may not sum precisely because of rounding.

Sources: ADB; JFPR Database.

^a A = completed, B = agreement signed and implementation started, C = agreement signed but implementation has not started, D = agreement not yet signed or not yet effective, E = canceled after effective date.

APPENDIX 3

Brief Summaries of Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Projects Approved in 2016

Project Grants

Central and West Asia

Tajikistan

Water Resources Management in Pyanj River Basin¹

Amount: \$3.0 million

The project will help address issues of water resources management (WRM) in the Pyanj River Basin in southern Tajikistan. It will improve the Government of Tajikistan's WRM capacity and increase agricultural production, food security, and water supply and use efficiencies in the Chubek irrigation system.

Under the first component of the project, 300 hectares of demonstration plots will promote more profitable farm management using improved agronomic techniques (e.g., drill sowing without plowing, zero or minimum tillage) and encourage more efficient water-use techniques. Nongovernment organizations will demonstrate activities to Chubek farmers by conducting workshops. The second component will, among other objectives, supply foundation seed to seed growers and facilitate reproduction of the seeds; diversify seed production for vegetable, fruit, and other crops; and reestablish field seed laboratories at district offices of the Department of Agriculture. The third component will help strengthen the institutional, management, and technical capacities of water users' associations; reorganize associations along hydrological boundaries for efficient water management; and form new associations in the remaining project area.

East Asia

Mongolia

Strengthening Community Resilience to *Dzud* and Forest and Steppe Fires²

Amount: \$3.0 million

The project will be the first in Mongolia to introduce and pilot a bottom-up institutionalized approach for the involvement of communities in disaster risk management (DRM) by developing community-based DRM plans and supporting their implementation through collective action by *bagh* (lowest administrative unit in Mongolia) neighborhood groups.

The project will support the Dornod, Gobi-Altai, Khuvsgul, and Sukhbaatar aimags (provinces) in strengthening the capacity of local communities and national and local DRM administrations to manage risks of dzuds (severe winters causing the starvation and death of large numbers of livestock) and forest and steppe fires. Communitybased DRM action plans developed by and for bagh neighborhood groups in project soums (districts) will focus on localized and small-scale disaster and climate-resilient infrastructure, equipment and technology requirements, communication protocols, training needs, and emergency response actions. Selected and priority disaster risk reduction measures identified in the action plans will then be implemented to directly benefit 7,000 herders and soum center residents in 2,500 households, and indirectly benefit the wider community in target soums, with a total population of 32,000.

ADB. 2016. Report and Recommendation of the President to the Board of Directors: Proposed Loan, Grant, and Administration of Grant and Technical Assistance Grant to the Republic of Tajikistan for Water Resources Management in Pyanj River Basin Project. Manila. (G 9188). (G0498, L3434, TA9183).

² ADB. 2016, Grant Assistance Report: Administration of Grant to Mongolia for Strengthening Community Resilience to Dzud and Forest and Steppe Fires Project. Manila. (G 9187).

Managing Soil Pollution in Ger Areas through Improved On-Site Sanitation³

Amount: \$2.8 million

The project will support local livelihoods through improved household sanitation and strengthening the life cycle for on-site (decentralized) fecal waste management, including the collection, transport, and composting of waste, in collaboration with communities, the private sector, and civil society organizations. The project will serve as a model to scale up on-site sanitation in Mongolia and complement infrastructure development in core urban areas.

About one-quarter of Mongolia's population resides on the outskirts of Ulaanbaatar, the national capital, within peri-urban communities termed *ger* (traditional round-shaped dwelling) areas. These areas are characterized by limited or no access to urban infrastructure, including sanitation facilities, leading to inadequate disposal of human fecal waste, higher incidence of sanitation-related diseases, and increased risk of soil and water contamination.

The project will pilot systems for planning on-site waste management in three *khoroos* (subdistricts) of the Bayanzurkh and Chingeltei districts in Ulaanbaatar, with the provision of sanitation facilities for about 1,500 households. Capacity building will be conducted through training and technical support to the target communities, the private sector, and government authorities. The first national road map for sanitation planning in *ger* areas will be prepared, including a 5-year scale-up strategy, investment plan, and action plan.

South Asia

Sri Lanka

Supporting Electricity Supply Reliability Improvement⁴

Amount: \$2.0 million

The project is part of the Government of Sri Lanka's program to meet 100% electrification targets and improve the reliability of electricity supply nationwide, including in former strife-torn areas and on small isolated islands. It aims to do so by upgrading the medium voltage network, rolling out over 2,300 kilometers of low-voltage line extensions, and constructing hybrid renewable energy minigrids.

To ensure the sustainability of hybrid renewable energy systems on small isolated islands, the Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction (JFPR) grant will be used to improve livelihoods in local communities. Training will be provided to rural community members on the safe use of electrical equipment and on potential income opportunities resulting from access to reliable electricity. At the same time, local community members will be able to work in maintenance teams to operate and maintain the hybrid systems and other facilities, which include a small seawater desalination plant, small water storage tanks, an ice-making factory, refrigeration facilities, and public street lighting.

At project completion, it is expected that more than 493,000 customers will benefit from the improved quality of the medium voltage network, while an estimated 35,710 rural community households will have better access to reliable electricity supply.

³ ADB. 2016. Grant Assistance Report: Administration of Grant to Mongolia for Managing Soil Pollution in Ger Areas through Improved On-Site Sanitation Project. Manila. (G 9189).

⁴ ADB. 2016. Report and Recommendation of the President to the Board of Directors: Proposed Loan and Administration of Grants to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for Ceylon Electricity Board Supporting Electricity Supply Reliability Improvement Project. Manila. (G 9186).

Southeast Asia

Myanmar

Emergency Support for Chin State Livelihoods Restoration⁵

Amount: \$10.0 million

In 2015, Myanmar experienced widespread flooding and landslides in June, and was hit by Cyclone Komen on 30 July. Assistance for Chin State, the poorest and most remote region in Myanmar, was requested to help restore the livelihoods of communities where numerous landslides disrupted fragile transport links to mountain villages and severely damaged community infrastructure.

The JFPR grant will restore rural roads and bridges for increased resilience to future disasters. The project will also repair micro-hydro and solar power systems in approximately 25 villages as well as village water supplies in 44 villages. Priority community infrastructure such as irrigation systems will be restored and farmland will be reclaimed. Sustainability of these investments will follow the concept of "building back better" and incorporating climate-resilient features. Affected households and local communities will be encouraged to participate in the restoration activities, providing opportunities to earn incomes and help reestablish livelihoods.

Capacity building for state and local government officials, civil society organizations, and communities will improve and strengthen DRM systems, including preparation of disaster management plans at the district, township, village tract, and village levels. Villagers will also be trained on community-based DRM to respond and adapt to future natural disasters.

Technical Assistance

Central Asia

Afghanistan

Arghandab Integrated Water Resources Development Investment Program⁶

Amount: \$2.0 million

This project preparatory technical assistance will help Afghan authorities make an informed decision on possible investments to develop Arghandab water resources and associated water supply and provide electrification for Kandahar City. It will also provide guidance on investment to modernize irrigation in the Arghandab River subbasin in Kandahar Province.

Availability of water in the subbasin, as with the rest of the country, is highly seasonal and erratic, with frequent severe droughts affecting agriculture, the economy, and living standards. The project will address this water problem by enhancing the storage capacity of the existing Dahla Dam reservoir, raising the dam height and increasing the existing reservoir volume.

The technical assistance will review past studies; update feasibility-level design of dam-raising investment to ensure supply-side sustainability; and carry out a feasibility study to ensure efficient, dependable, and equitable use of water resources to meet demand-side requirements (hydropower, municipal water, and irrigation). It will also prepare feasibility-level design and cost estimates for all components of the project, as well as assessing capacity-building needs and preparing design and cost estimates for these needs.

⁵ ADB. 2016. Grant Assistance Report: Proposed Administration of Grant to the Republic of the Union of Myanmar for Emergency Support for Chin State Livelihoods Restoration Project. Manila. (G 9185).

⁶ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan for Arghandab Integrated Water Resources Development Investment Program. Manila. (TA 9273).

Armenia

Second Water Supply and Sanitation Sector⁷

Amount: \$2.0 million

The project preparatory technical assistance will help prepare Armenia's proposed Second Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project. The project will address issues around increasing capital investments in wastewater treatment, reducing water pollution, reusing treated wastewater, and managing groundwater resources. It will assist with associated regulatory reforms such as nonrevenue water, and help reduce the cost of services through energy efficiency measures. Knowledge of appropriate technologies for groundwater monitoring and river basin management—such as remote sensing technology, geographic information systems, and supervisory control and data acquisition systems—will be developed. The project will also pilot innovations in water supply and sanitation in geographical areas vulnerable to drought.

The JFPR funds will be used to design the capacity-building components and water subprojects, and for piloting the innovations to be developed under the project loan. They will also help prepare vital documentation for the inception report, including a socioeconomic survey; a draft social poverty reduction, social acquisition, and resettlement plan; and sector assessment and subproject selection criteria.

Pakistan

Provincial Strategy for Inclusive and Sustainable Urban Growth⁸

Amount: \$2.0 million

Rapid urbanization is being experienced in major cities in Pakistan, with average urban population growth of 4% per year since 1951. By 2030, about 60% of the country's population will be living in urban areas, which are restricted by aging infrastructure that has not expanded at a pace necessary to provide basic services

or stimulate economic growth and create jobs. Lack of strategic planning, weak planning standards, inappropriate regulation, and inefficient resource allocation have resulted in major urban problems across Pakistan, specifically in the province of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, where there is limited access to land and housing, inadequate social services, and lack of employment opportunities. Many of these urban areas are also susceptible to natural disasters and pollution that can degrade the environment and further increase the vulnerabilities of urban dwellers.

The JFPR technical assistance will support the Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa to formulate a sector road map for sustainable urban development, devise regional development plans prepared by provincial and local governments, and conduct capacity building in implementing agencies. A participatory process to ensure stakeholder consultations will be conducted.

Institutional Transformation of the Punjab Irrigation Department to the Water Resources Department9

Amount: \$2.0 million

The Punjab Irrigation Department was established in 1849 for diverting water from rivers to farms for irrigation. In the past 6 decades, irrigated areas have experienced waterlogging and salinity, causing land degradation, while poor drainage has resulted in declining agricultural production. Shallow groundwater meets about 40% of irrigation demand but is overexploited. Meanwhile, increased water-related disaster risks, including floods and droughts, have further degraded water quality. Over the same period, urban and industrial wastewater has significantly increased the volume of marginal-quality water and needs appropriate management to guide safe use and disposal.

The JFPR technical assistance will develop a framework and action plan, based on previous and ongoing irrigation reforms, for the complete institutional transformation of the Punjab Irrigation Department into the Water

⁷ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Armenia for Second Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project. Manila. (TA 9254).

⁸ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan for Provincial Strategy for Inclusive and Sustainable Urban Growth. Manila. (TA 9223).

⁹ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan for Institutional Transformation of the Punjab Irrigation Department to a Water Resources Department. Manila. (TA 9255).

Resources Department. The assistance will help improve the department's capacity in water resource planning, development research and operational management, irrigation and drainage, water-related DRM, river ecosystem and groundwater management, and marginal-quality water management. The funding will also help prepare Punjab's Water Vision 2030, develop a water resources information system, identify investment programs for the next 10–20 years, and process a technical assistance loan to strengthen and support the department's transformation.

Tajikistan

Water Resources Management in Pyanj River Basin¹⁰

Amount: \$2.0 million

In Tajikistan, agriculture contributes a quarter of the country's gross domestic product and export revenues, and 39% of its tax revenues. Among Central Asian countries, Tajikistan has the second-lowest level of total renewable water resources per capita. There is also diminishing efficiency in water delivery due to deteriorating WRM infrastructure as well as weak operation and maintenance capacity of water-related institutions.

To increase agricultural production and address the country's water challenges, this project will improve institutional capacities, provide better infrastructure, develop additional irrigated lands, and climate-proof WRM systems in the Pyanj River Basin. The basin is the backbone of the country's agriculture sector and covers the majority of the Khatlon Province, which has the biggest population (2.7 million) and the most extensive agriculture production in Tajikistan. The Pyanj River also forms the boundary of Tajikistan and Afghanistan, where serious flood disasters have frequently occurred.

The JFPR technical assistance will support ongoing reforms that will establish and manage river basin organizations and help formulate river basin management plans. Training of staff in the Ministry of Energy and Water Resources and river basin organizations will be carried out to promote efficient farm management and water use.

Uzbekistan

Skills Strategies for Industrial Modernization and Inclusive Growth¹¹

Amount: \$0.9 million

In support of the Government of Uzbekistan's economic modernization agenda, a comprehensive skills strategy will be developed. At the policy level, the project will help formulate an interministerial working system for forecasting skills needs and the contribution of the education sector to a balanced and inclusive labor market. At the practical level, the project will focus on addressing skills needs in micro and small enterprises (MSEs), which are estimated to comprise 99% of all enterprises in Uzbekistan and provide employment to more than 77% of all workers in the country. The regions of Navoi, Tashkent (Angren), and Andijan, which account for about 43% of MSEs, were identified as the pilot areas.

The project will develop and pilot-test a skills demand and supply survey in the regions, while the survey instrument and methodology will provide a program for government to institutionalize regular skills assessment. A skills monitoring system and knowledge-sharing platform to facilitate industry partnerships will be established. It will integrate capacity building and on-the-job skills development activities within government agencies and firms and promote the participation of regional human resources. Possible reform and program design options to improve the skills development system will also be identified and assessed.

East Asia

Mongolia

Gender-Responsive Sector and Local Development Policies and Actions¹²

Amount: \$0.7 million

The project aims to strengthen the institutional capacity of the Government of Mongolia to implement the Gender Equality Law, adopted in 2011, at national, aimag, and soum levels. It will do so by promoting gender equality in political, legal, economic, social, and cultural

See footnote 1.

¹ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Republic of Uzbekistan for Skills Strategies for Industrial Modernization and Inclusive Growth. Manila. (TA 9256).

¹² ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Mongolia for Gender-Responsive Sector and Local Development Policies and Actions. Manila. (TA 9201).

spheres as well as within family relations. This will be done by adopting a national, sector, and local gender equality framework; by capacity building to enable gender-sensitive planning, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation; and by disseminating gender-related knowledge products and raising public awareness.

Sustaining Access to and Quality of Education during Economic Difficulties¹³

Amount: \$0.8 million

With economic growth slowing, the Government of Mongolia is reducing inefficiencies in public spending. The education sector has been negatively affected by the reduction in the national budget, with decreasing investments to support the growth of the schoolage population and the high costs of operating and maintaining schools. This preparatory technical assistance will develop the project design to sustain access to, and quality of, education. It will do so by including outputs and activities for pre-primary and inclusive education as well as kindergarten and school construction, expansion, and rehabilitation. The project will also formulate a mediumterm road map to achieve the government's plans, targets, and strategies. This road map will be based on thematic assessments, institutional capacity assessments, and stakeholder consultations.

Sustainable Tourism Development¹⁴

Amount: \$1.1 million

Mongolia has a small but growing tourism sector. To support the Government of Mongolia's efforts to expand the sector and increase opportunities to improve local incomes and livelihoods, the project preparatory technical assistance will prepare the design for the Sustainable Tourism Development Project. The project will adopt

an integrated approach for tourism development in Mongolia's protected areas, waste management, and inclusive planning. At project preparation stage, a consultative process with national and local governments, park authority, tour operators, communities, and nongovernment organizations will be conducted, together with capacity building of the Ministry of Environment and Tourism and other stakeholders involved in project management.

Conservation of Forest Genetic Resources¹⁵

Amount: \$0.5 million

The project will support the Government of Mongolia in implementing its forest laws and policies on the conservation, management, and sustainable use of forest genetic resources (FGR), which are heritable materials in tree species with economic, environmental, scientific, and societal value. The technical assistance will build the capacity of the Ministry of Environment, Green Development, and Tourism, through training and research, to develop a national registry on forest seed zones; assess and monitor the status of FGR management; and formulate FGR-related decrees that will protect, cultivate, and restore the country's forest cover.

South Asia

Bangladesh

Strengthening Capacities of Small and Medium-Sized Stakeholders to Access Bank Financing and Services¹⁶

Amount: \$2.0 million

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) play a critical role in achieving the Government of Bangladesh's strategy for rural development and the reduction of poverty and regional disparity. With most of the SMEs in Bangladesh located outside the metropolitan

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Mongolia for Sustaining Access to and Quality of Education during Economic Difficulties. Manila. (TA 9216).

¹⁴ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Mongolia for Sustainable Tourism Development. Manila. (TA 9230).

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Mongolia for Conservation of Forest Genetic Resources. Manila. (TA 9233).

ADB. 2016. Report and Recommendation of the President to the Board of Directors: Proposed Loan and Administration of Technical Assistance Grant to the People's Republic of Bangladesh for Second Small and Medium-Sized Enterprise Development Project. Manila. (TA 9068).

areas, major constraints that impede their growth are inadequate access to long-term funding, lack of reliable electricity supply, poor transportation, increasing costs of labor, and underdeveloped forward and backward linkages to the formal sectors. The technical assistance project will support the implementation of the Second Small and Medium-Sized Enterprise Development Project, a credit line to strengthen access to medium-and long-term financing for priority sectors that promote exports and high value-added industries. The credit will be provided through participating financial institutions in rural areas.

The technical assistance will help strengthen the capacity of SME entrepreneurs, particularly women, to access bank financing by establishing incubation centers at educational institutions. Financial and legal literacy programs will be extended to women-led SMEs. The technical assistance will also strengthen the capacity of SME support institutions and participating financial institutions to help SMEs form alliances that will allow forward and backward linkages to larger, more formal sectors such as the export industry.

Supporting Fourth Primary Education Development Program (PEDP4)¹⁷

Amount: \$0.8 million

Bangladesh's Supporting Fourth Primary Education
Development Program aims to improve access to, and the
quality of, primary education and enhance institutional
management under a decentralized setup. In support
of these aims, the preparatory technical assistance
will assess the institutional capacity of the program's
executing and implementing agency. The assistance
will entail preparation of the program's implementation
schedule and action plans to build the Government of
Bangladesh's financial and procurement capacity. The
government is committed to sustaining the significant
achievements made on previous primary education
programs by focusing on strengthening the educational
quality and equitable access to education for all
Bangladeshi children.

Sri Lanka

Cluster Development and Small and Medium-Sized Enterprise Finance Innovation¹⁸

Amount: \$2.0 million

The proposed technical assistance will support the implementation of a credit line to SMEs, with an innovative feature of allocating loan proceeds to participating financial institutions via an auction system. In 2013, the SME sector contributed about 30% to Sri Lanka's gross domestic product and constituted 80% of all businesses. To address the sector's main constraint of access to finance, the technical assistance will develop and introduce a credit guarantee scheme and enhance SMEs' capacity to access financial services in the target export-oriented clusters of information and communication technology-business process outsourcing (ICT-BPO), fruits and vegetables, and rubber. Women entrepreneurs will be assisted to develop their businesses and access formal financing. Targeted support to encourage female participation in the ICT-BPO cluster is timely as it is an opportunity to attract international clients for a secondary location for their ICT-BPO operations.

National Port Master Plan¹⁹

Amount: \$1.5 million

As Sri Lanka is an island nation, maritime transport is essential to the economy. The country's strategic location in the vicinity of major international shipping routes means Sri Lanka also plays a significant role as a regional transport hub. Ports and shipping are central to the economic ties between Sri Lanka and the rest of the world, including South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation nations. To continue strengthening the capacity and competitiveness of the country's ports, the technical assistance project will help the Government of Sri Lanka develop a national master plan for its port sector, identify priority projects, and review the final design of the port access elevated highway. A restructuring of the Sri Lanka Ports Authority will also be conducted as part of institutional strengthening to improve the financial status, efficiency, and competitiveness of the nation's ports.

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the People's Republic of Bangladesh for Supporting Fourth Primary Education Development Program. Manila. (TA 9275).

ADB. 2016. Report and Recommendation of the President to the Board of Directors: Proposed Loan and Administration of Technical Assistance Grant to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises Line of Credit Project. Manila. (TA 9080).

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for the National Port Master Plan. Manila. (TA 9161).

Developing the Capital Market²⁰

Amount: \$0.5 million

The technical assistance will support the implementation of the Capital Market Development Program, which will provide budget support to deepen and broaden Sri Lanka's capital market in financial intermediation and resource mobilization. By introducing market-based structural reforms that will strengthen the legal and regulatory frameworks; improve the market's infrastructure on surveillance, training, and information and communication technology systems; and empower regulatory agencies, an efficient and reliable capital market would attract more foreign investments. The program will also support financial inclusion through promotion of financial literacy among retail investors, expansion and supply of financial instruments such as mutual funds and derivatives, and development of consumer protection in the insurance sector. The technical assistance project aims to achieve these key reforms by reviewing and drafting relevant laws and a financial certification framework, enhancing financial literacy, and formulating a strategy to develop a commodities exchange and create options to improve existing retirement savings.

Southeast Asia

Cambodia

Second Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Sector (Additional Financing)²¹

Amount: \$2.0 million

The technical assistance project supports the implementation of an ongoing ADB loan that will expand access to improved rural water supply and sanitation (RWSS) in six provinces around the Tonle Sap Lake in Cambodia. The technical assistance integrates new concepts and initiatives by developing safety plans for RWSS; conducting education and training in climate resilience, adaptation, and disaster risk management; and

mainstreaming these directly into RWSS programs and infrastructure. To ensure project sustainability, a capacity development program for officials at the national, provincial, district, commune, and village levels will be undertaken.

Lao People's Democratic Republic

Strengthening Capacity to Develop the Employment Service System²²

Amount: \$1.5 million

The technical assistance project will develop the first online employment service system for job seekers to access employment opportunities in the formal sectors of the Lao People's Democratic Republic (Lao PDR). This system will also facilitate skill-matching between business employers and job seekers. The technical assistance aims to strengthen the capacity of central and provincial institutions and job centers to deliver quality employment information by upgrading the existing labor market system and providing job or career counseling to graduates from secondary schools. As part of the project, an employment service plan will be formulated, together with key stakeholders, to improve employment service channels; provide action plans; and create budgeting, monitoring, and revenue-making mechanisms to maintain and operate the system. The project also complements ongoing secondary education projects, technical and vocational education and training, and higher education projects financed by ADB and other development partners to the Lao PDR.

Strengthening Capacity for Health Sector Governance Reforms²³

Amount: \$2.0 million

The technical assistance project aims to strengthen the capacity of the Lao PDR's Ministry of Health in implementing key components of the country's Health Sector Reform Strategy. These health governance reforms

²⁰ ADB. 2016. Report and Recommendation of the President to the Board of Directors: Proposed Policy-Based Loan, Technical Assistance Grant, and Administration of Technical Assistance Grant to the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for Capital Market Development Program. Manila. (TA 9213).

²¹ ADB. 2016. Report and Recommendation of the President to the Board of Directors: Proposed Loan and Administration of Grant and Technical Assistance Grant for Additional Financing to the Kingdom of Cambodia for Second Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project. Manila. (TA 9182).

²² ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Lao People's Democratic Republic for Strengthening Capacity to Develop the Employment Service System. Manila. (TA 9115).

²³ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to Lao People's Democratic Republic for Strengthening Capacity for Health Sector Governance Reforms. Manila. (TA 9190).

focus on improving sector planning; monitoring and improving the implementation of financing mechanisms, particularly the Health Equity Fund; and improving maternal, neonatal, and child health care. Technical advice and support will be provided in developing plans, procedures, guidelines, and training modules to strengthen the health sector's human resources management and financial management systems. Staff training at all levels and in key departments of the ministry will also be conducted.

Myanmar

Capacity Development for Project Implementation²⁴

Amount: \$2.0 million

Since the opening of the country's economy in 2011, development assistance has significantly been increasing to support the Government of Myanmar's economic reform agenda. To fully utilize the effectiveness of projects funded by development partners, the technical assistance aims to improve the government's absorptive capacities in key operational areas of project implementation. Procedures will be developed to improve project cycle management, financial management and procurement, social safeguards, civil society engagement, conflict-sensitive approaches, and stakeholder consultations. Central government agencies and executing and implementing agencies will benefit from strengthened awareness and capacity to conduct meaningful consultations with communities, develop and implement communication strategies, and engage constructively with civil society in project-affected areas.

Thailand

Strengthening Integrated Water Resource Planning and Management at River Basin Level²⁵

Amount: \$1.0 million

The 2011 floods in Thailand affected almost 14 million people in 65 of the country's 77 provinces and caused economic damage and loss estimated at \$45 billion. The Government of Thailand quickly recognized that flood

management was closely linked to the broader issues of water resources management. To provide an integrated and balanced approach for water resources management, the technical assistance project will establish a computer-based modeling tool for river basin integrated water resource management. Capacity building of river basin personnel at the provincial level will be undertaken to enable them to undertake simulations, guide discussions, and provide options for decision-makers on the optimum and rational solutions for river basin management. The project will also formulate guidelines for decision-making procedures, based on stakeholder participation in solutions within river basins and cross-river basins.

Viet Nam

Strengthening the Policy and Institutional Framework of Social Health Insurance²⁶

Amount: \$1.8 million

To support the Government of Viet Nam's goal to achieve universal health coverage under its social health insurance program, the technical assistance project aims to strengthen implementation of the insurance program by recommending priority legislative and regulatory measures that improve access, particularly of the poor and other vulnerable groups. The aging population's long-term health care needs will also be addressed by developing innovative solutions based on international good practices and these solutions will be pilot-tested in three provinces. Competency-based training for central and provincial health staff on policy analysis, evidence-based policymaking, health financing, and program implementation also form part of the project activities.

Regional

Strengthening Integrated Water Resources Management in Mountainous River Basins²⁷

Amount: \$2.0 million

The regional technical assistance for capacity development aims to strengthen integrated water

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Republic of the Union of Myanmar for Capacity Development for Project Implementation. Manila. (TA 9074).

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Kingdom of Thailand for Strengthening Integrated Water Resource Planning and Management at River Basin Level. Manila. (TA 9204).

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance to the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam for Strengthening the Policy and Institutional Framework of Social Health Insurance. Manila. (TA 9221).

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance for Strengthening Integrated Water Resources Management in Mountainous River Basins. Manila. (TA 9095).

resources management in Afghanistan, Bhutan, and Nepal. It will enhance the technical capacities of river basin organizations in managing environment and climate change impacts in target river basins, including expected changes in water availability and increases in water demand due to economic and population growth. Knowledge-sharing of good practices in integrated water resources management will be disseminated across Asia and the Pacific.

Strengthening Developing Member Countries' Capacity in Elderly Care²⁸

Amount: \$2.0 million

The Asia and Pacific region is experiencing a profound demographic shift, with estimations that, by 2050, the number of people over the age of 65 will exceed 1 billion. This poses significant social and economic challenges that governments, the public and private sectors, and civil society all need to be prepared for and work together to address. To prepare for these challenges, the technical assistance project will build a knowledge base in Asia and the Pacific on developing elderly care systems and services, while also identifying potential investments in the selected countries of Indonesia, Mongolia, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Tonga, and Viet Nam. Capacity-building programs will be conducted for officials and other stakeholders on strategic planning for, and implementation of, elderly care across the sectors of health, social protection, urban development, transport, and private sector development. The technical assistance will also support the networking and dissemination of findings as well as publications on strategic planning for elderly care.

Promoting Smart Systems in ADB's Future Cities Program²⁹

Amount: \$2.0 million

The technical assistance project aims to promote smart infrastructure and systems in selected cities under

the Future Cities Program of ADB. It will help identify smart solutions to improve the living standards of metropolitan residents, specifically the urban poor and women. The cities of Bandung, Mandalay, Suva, Tbilisi, and Ulaanbaatar will undergo smart city diagnostics to enable them to develop smart city management improvement plans and solutions, with integrated smart infrastructure investment projects focusing on pro-poor initiatives and proven funding modalities. The technical assistance will also facilitate partnerships between cities by organizing smart city groups comprising of city stakeholders, government officials, business leaders, and nongovernment organization representatives to better understand, identify, and share best practices toward environmentally sustainable and livable cities.

Strengthening Tax Policy and Administration Capacity to Mobilize Domestic Resources³⁰

Amount: \$1.0 million

In developing Asia, a large number of economies have low tax-collection rates, usually below 20% of gross domestic product. Sustainable Development Goal 17 aims to strengthen domestic resource mobilization, with international support to developing countries to improve their capacities for tax and other revenue collection. This is invaluable because a strengthened domestic revenue structure that promotes inclusiveness, social justice, good governance, private investment, and job creation, while reducing inequality, drives development financing. The technical assistance will improve the capacity of tax authorities in target countries to collect taxes, broaden and protect domestic tax bases, and improve domestic tax compliance, risk management practices, and tolls and procedures to reduce cross-border and domestic tax evasion and avoidance. Based on a capacity development needs assessment, training courses will be conducted, together with technical in-country consultations and regional knowledge-sharing workshops on country experiences.

²⁸ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance for Strengthening Developing Member Countries' Capacity in Elderly Care. Manila. (TA 9111).

²⁹ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance for Promoting Smart Systems in ADB's Future Cities Program. Manila. (TA 9170).

³⁰ ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance for Strengthening Tax Policy and Administration Capacity to Mobilize Domestic Resources. Manila. (TA 9235).

Strengthening Government and Civil Society Cooperation in Open Government Partnership to Improve Public Services³¹

Amount: \$1.0 million

ADB's Strategy 2020 identifies good governance and capacity development as being among the critical drivers of change and these aims are factored into all ADB operations. Under the Midterm Review of Strategy 2020, ADB is working to help strengthen governance systems and institutional capacities to support effective, timely,

and corruption-free delivery of public services. As part of the bank's membership and commitment to the Open Government Partnership (OGP) since 2014, the technical assistance project seeks to support OGP member countries to formulate, clarify, and implement activities in their national action plans. The project will also provide training and cross-learning from Asia and the Pacific OGP members and aspiring member countries, with the latter to be supported in meeting OGP eligibility status in the areas of access to information, budget transparency, and citizen engagement.

ADB. 2016. Technical Assistance for Strengthening Government and Civil Society Cooperation in Open Government Partnership to Improve Public Services. Manila. (TA 9288).

APPENDIX 4

Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Disbursements, 2000-2016

							2016	2000-2	016
JFPR No.	ADB Approval Date	Effective Date	Closing Date	Financial Closing Date	% Time Elapsedª	Grant Approved (\$)	Amount Disbursed (\$)	Cumulative Amount Disbursed (\$)	% Disbursed
GRANTS						522,252,900.00	28,118,671.41	357,539,714.49	68.46
Afghanista	n								
9019	10 Sep 02	11 Oct 02	31 Oct 05	30 Sep 06	100.00	4,000,000.00	-	3,881,408.25	97.04
9024	3 Oct 02	11 Oct 02	31 Dec 08	16 Nov 09	100.00	15,000,000.00	-	14,382,037.86	95.88
9030	19 Dec 02	15 May 03	31 May 07	20 Nov 11	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,813,899.66	93.80
9037	19 Dec 03	16 Sep 04	31 Dec 07	29 Apr 11	100.00	20,000,000.00	-	19,544,083.79	97.72
9038	26 Dec 03	18 Mar 04	30 Apr 08	5 Mar 13	100.00	3,000,000.00	_	1,423,560.32	47.45
9039	26 Dec 03	29 May 04	30 Jun 10	12 Apr 12	100.00	5,000,000.00	-	4,997,866.08	99.96
9060	15 Dec 04	15 Jan 05	30 Apr 08	10 Jul 12	100.00	10,000,000.00	_	2,220,264.47	22.20
9097	26 Sep 06	17 Dec 06	31 Dec 10	25 Jun 10	100.00	20,000,000.00	-	20,000,000.00	100.00
9100	12 Dec 06	17 Dec 06	30 Nov 11	30 Aug 13	100.00	18,000,000.00	-	14,992,908.34	83.29
9128	28 Nov 08	1 Feb 09	28 Feb 14	30 Oct 14	100.00	12,000,000.00	-	2,011,285.08	16.76
9165	6 Jul 12	19 Sep 12	30 Mar 17	6 Jul 17	94.62	10,000,000.00	2,314,218.93	9,327,913.68	93.28
9167	19 Sep 12	21 Nov 12	31 Dec 17		80.44	18,500,000.00	3,289,051.63	15,048,014.12	81.34
	Subtotal					138,500,000.00	5,603,270.56	110,643,241.65	79.89
Azerbaijan									
9013	30 Jan 02	22 Oct 02	31 Dec 04	16 May 07	100.00	2,500,000.00	_	2,499,999.44	100.00
	Subtotal					2,500,000.00	-	2,499,999.44	100.00
Bangladesh	1								
9009	17 Aug 01	25 Nov 01	30 Jun 06	28 Mar 07	100.00	900,000.00	-	753,021.03	83.67
9080	5 Dec 05	7 Jun 06	6 Aug 10	22 Jul 11	100.00	790,000.00	-	748,379.64	94.73
9129	27 Jan 09	7 Jan 10	31 Dec 14	1 Jul 15	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,082,748.93	54.14
9153	18 Jan 11	18 Jan 12	15 Apr 16	12 Sep 16	100.00	2,000,000.00	119,580.31	1,788,097.12	89.40
9172	27 Mar 13	25 Mar 14	31 Dec 17		73.49	2,000,000.00	702,132.09	948,258.52	47.41
	Subtotal					7,690,000.00	821,712.40	5,320,505.24	69.19

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Bhutan									
9069	9 Aug 05	30 Sep 05	31 Dec 09	31 Dec 10	100.00	500,000.00	-	481,753.80	96.35
9093	25 May 06	14 Jul 06	30 Oct 09	31 Mar 11	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	654,293.40	65.43
9103	15 Jan 07	27 Feb 07	31 Dec 10	31 Jul 12	100.00	1,990,000.00	-	1,869,783.01	93.96
9146	14 Jul 10	2 Aug 10	30 Jun 14	31 Aug 15	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,906,135.65	96.87
9149	12 Aug 10	23 Aug 10	22 Oct 13	18 Mar 14	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	3,000,000.00	100.00
9155	4 Feb 11	9 May 11	31 Dec 14	24 Jul 15	100.00	1,950,000.00	-	1,949,405.68	99.97
	Subtotal					11,440,000.00	-	10,861,371.54	94.94
Cambodia									
9017	12 Jul 02	14 Aug 02	30 Jun 07	23 Jan 09	100.00	1,800,000.00	-	1,793,353.55	99.63
9023	25 Sep 02	24 Oct 02	31 Aug 05	31 Oct 06	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	1,000,000.00	100.00
9027	11 Nov 02	5 Feb 03	30 Nov 08	31 Mar 09	100.00	1,800,000.00	-	1,767,732.18	98.21
9028	25 Nov 02	17 Dec 02	31 Dec 06	21 Oct 08	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,458,361.46	81.95
9048	17 Jun 04	22 Sep 04	31 Oct 08	31 Aug 09	100.00	2,200,000.00	-	1,031,603.01	46.89
9057	15 Nov 04	3 Feb 05	30 Jun 10	27 May 11	100.00	1,847,000.00	-	1,205,389.27	65.26
9061	4 Jan 05	3 Feb 05	31 Dec 08	31 Jul 09	100.00	1,870,000.00	-	1,560,323.88	83.44
9064	25 Feb 05	19 May 05	31 Mar 09	26 Aug 10	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	803,132.93	80.31
9081	21 Dec 05	13 Mar 06	30 Jun 10	25 Jan 11	100.00	1,800,000.00	-	1,747,677.45	97.09
9114	19 Dec 07	31 Jan 08	31 May 11	12 Jul 12	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,261,301.60	84.09
9133	20 Apr 09	2 Jul 09	31 Oct 12	19 Apr 13	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,869,576.92	93.48
9156	16 Feb 11	5 Apr 11	30 Dec 14	30 Apr 15	100.00	1,900,000.00	-	1,899,731.09	99.99
9178	03 Oct 14	27 Oct 14	31 Aug 18		56.70	2,500,000.00	376,771.42	376,771.42	15.07
	Subtotal					24,217,000.00	376,771.42	18,774,954.76	77.53
China, Peo	ple's Republic	of							
9011	16 Nov 01	13 Jan 03	30 Jun 06	23 Jan 07	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	1,000,000.00	100.00
	Subtotal					1,000,000.00	-	1,000,000.00	100.00
India									
9021	24 Sep 02	24 Sep 03	31 Jan 08	31 Mar 09	100.00	1,900,000.00	-	1,614,697.00	84.98
9026	6 Nov 02	18 Aug 03	31 Dec 07	18 Jun 08	100.00	3,400,000.00	-	1,960,511.56	57.66
9094	21 Jun 06	7 Oct 06	6 Oct 10	27 Jan 14	100.00	5,000,000.00	-	1,673,023.61	33.46
9134	19 Jun 09	17 Jul 09	31 Mar 17		96.80	2,000,000.00	969,151.70	1,666,023.24	83.30
9145	25 May 10	2 Jul 10	31 Dec 17		86.67	3,000,000.00	110,743.00	522,426.18	17.41
9147	30 Jul 10	21 Nov 11	30 Apr 18		79.38	3,000,000.00	271,760.72	649,685.51	21.66
9168	5 Oct 12	10 Jan 13	31 Jul 18		71.55	2,500,000.00	181,641.00	181,641.00	7.27
	Subtotal					20,800,000.00	1,533,296.42	8,268,008.10	39.75

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Indonesia									
9000	20 Oct 00	24 Nov 00	30 Apr 06	11 Dec 06	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	818,269.24	81.83
9016	7 May 02	23 Jul 02	30 Jun 06	25 May 07	100.00	3,200,000.00	-	2,855,566.77	89.24
9049	17 Jun 04	12 Oct 04	12 Jun 09	30 Sep 10	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	407,905.74	27.19
9065	14 Mar 05	14 Jun 05	28 Feb 09	31 Aug 09	100.00	1,750,000.00	-	1,447,735.47	82.73
9072	6 Sep 05	14 Dec 05	15 Jun 11	19 Mar 12	100.00	2,500,000.00	-	2,404,439.27	96.18
9073	6 Sep 05	14 Dec 05	15 Jun 11	6 Mar 12	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,416,747.33	94.45
9074	6 Sep 05	14 Dec 05	14 Jul 09	16 Mar 11	100.00	2,000,000.00	_	1,903,092.03	95.15
9079	28 Nov 05	31 May 06	31 Dec 09	28 Feb 11	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,965,736.54	98.29
9132	20 Mar 09	31 Dec 09	30 Sep 17		90.35	2,000,000.00	296,274.66	1,796,899.57	89.84
	Subtotal					17,450,000.00	296,274.66	15,016,391.96	86.05
Kyrgyz Rep	oublic								
9055	8 Sep 04	14 Jan 05	30 Nov 08	27 Aug 09	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	769,763.57	76.98
9056	8 Sep 04	14 Jan 05	31 Mar 09	31 Jan 10	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	505,872.52	50.59
9059	15 Dec 04	2 May 05	1 Oct 08	14 Sep 09	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	664,467.20	66.45
9104	17 Jan 07	31 May 07	31 Jul 10	15 Nov 10	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,922,117.83	96.11
9108	28 May 07	21 Sep 07	21 Sep 11	14 Dec 11	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	950,070.55	95.01
9170	14 Jan 13	23 May 13	23 Nov 17		80.12	1,500,000.00	365,415.52	859,051.48	57.27
	Subtotal					7,500,000.00	365,415.52	5,671,343.15	75.62
Lao People	e's Democration	c Republic							
9012	18 Dec 01	31 Jan 02	31 Dec 05	31 Oct 07	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	902,338.32	90.23
9034	12 Nov 03	10 Feb 04	10 Feb 08	30 Jun 09	100.00	530,000.00	-	519,466.63	98.01
9035	16 Dec 03	31 Mar 04	30 Jun 07	30 Apr 08	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	986,089.76	98.61
9062	4 Jan 05	17 Jun 05	31 Jan 11	15 Jun 12	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,426,047.12	95.07
9095	17 Aug 06	6 Mar 07	31 Dec 10	22 Apr 13	100.00	1,980,000.00	-	1,701,104.48	85.91
9107	11 May 07	15 Oct 07	14 Oct 11	9 Jul 12	100.00	533,500.00	-	460,266.85	86.27
9117	13 Feb 08	9 Apr 08	29 Feb 12	27 Jun 12	100.00	1,820,000.00	-	1,819,533.67	99.97
9137	14 Aug 09	23 Nov 09	23 Feb 13	26 Aug 13	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,999,855.62	100.00
	Subtotal					11,363,500.00	-	10,814,702.45	95.17
Maldives									
9066	29 Apr 05	5 May 05	4 May 09	11 May 11	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	621,215.67	62.12
	Subtotal					1,000,000.00	-	621,215.67	62.12
Marshall Is	slands								
9148	6 Aug 10	8 Sep 10	31 Jan 14	9 Jun 14	100.00	1,760,000.00	_	1,727,121.38	98.13
	Subtotal					1,760,000.00	-	1,727,121.38	98.13

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Micronesia	, Federated S	tates of							
9122	17 Jul 08	10 Sep 08	9 Jul 12	10 Mar 15	100.00	980,000.00	-	914,080.87	93.27
	Subtotal					980,000.00	-	914,080.87	93.27
Mongolia									
9014	1 Apr 02	8 May 02	31 Mar 06	31 Dec 06	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	934,964.27	93.50
9015	7 May 02	4 May 03	31 Aug 07	23 Feb 08	100.00	2,200,000.00	-	2,001,928.60	91.00
9063	10 Feb 05	9 Mar 05	30 Sep 08	14 Jan 11	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	977,754.72	97.78
9085	20 Feb 06	31 Mar 06	30 Nov 09	8 Oct 10	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	932,888.35	93.29
9106	2 Mar 07	14 May 07	30 Sep 11	9 Jul 12	100.00	1,500,000.00	_	1,483,515.56	98.90
9109	29 Jun 07	23 Aug 07	31 Dec 11	22 Aug 12	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,897,735.79	94.89
9115	19 Dec 07	25 Apr 08	15 Nov 12	30 Aug 13	100.00	2,000,000.00	_	1,834,321.49	91.72
9121	10 Jul 08	1 Sep 08	1 Dec 13	1 Jul 14	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,775,716.12	88.79
9124	30 Jul 08	15 Oct 08	1 Jun 12	12 Oct 12	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,999,569.88	99.98
9125	5 Aug 08	8 Oct 08	30 Jan 13	22 Jul 13	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	2,000,000.00	100.00
9127	23 Sep 08	10 Jan 09	30 Apr 12	15 Mar 13	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,799,651.68	89.98
9131	16 Mar 09	12 May 09	30 Aug 13	13 Mar 14	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,889,975.58	94.50
9136	30 Jul 09	16 Sep 09	31 Dec 13	30 Apr 14	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,435,369.12	81.18
9138	28 Aug 09	16 Sep 09	31 Dec 13	30 Jun 15	100.00	2,890,000.00	-	2,747,130.86	95.06
9139	9 Sep 09	9 Nov 09	28 Apr 13	5 Dec 13	100.00	2,400,000.00	-	2,157,533.78	89.90
9152	17 Dec 10	17 Jan 12	30 Apr 16	24 Aug 16	100.00	2,500,000.00	199,327.51	2,475,023.25	99.00
9164	8 Jun 12	13 Jun 12	30 Aug 16	30 Aug 16	100.00	2,500,000.00	213,549.69	2,494,224.21	99.77
9182	26 Nov 15	16 Mar 16	30 Apr 19		25.44	3,000,000.00	67,548.35	67,548.35	2.25
9183	7 Dec 15	16 Mar 16	30 Jun 20		18.51	3,000,000.00	390,000.11	390,000.11	13.00
9187⁵	14 Sep 16	31 Jan 17	30 Apr 20		0.00	3,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
9189 ^b	10 Nov 16	7 Feb 17	30 Jun 21		0.00	2,800,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					45,790,000.00	870,425.66	32,294,851.72	70.53
Myanmar									
9174	11 Dec 13	4 Jun 14	31 Dec 17		72.05	12,000,000.00	1,498,306.38	1,498,306.38	12.49
9176	11 Dec 13	4 Jun 14	30 Jun 18		63.28	10,000,000.00	113,711.43	1,041,520.18	10.42
9177	27 Feb 14	4 Jun 14	31 Dec 18		56.31	4,000,000.00	277,033.96	277,033.96	6.93
9184	15 Dec 15	17 Aug 16	30 Jun 20		9.62	3,000,000.00	9,610.00	9,610.00	0.32
9185	22 Apr 16	21 Oct 16	31 Oct 19		6.43	10,000,000.00	2,214,000.00	2,214,000.00	22.14
	Subtotal					39,000,000.00	4,112,661.77	5,040,470.52	12.92
Nepal									
9007	15 May 01	5 Oct 01	31 Dec 05	31 Dec 05	100.00	800,000.00	-	617,586.09	77.20
9032	4 Aug 03	8 Apr 04	31 Mar 08	24 Jun 08	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	933,824.76	93.38
9101	13 Dec 06	23 Feb 07	15 Jul 11	29 Nov 12	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	802,673.99	80.27

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9110	10 Oct 07	10 Feb 08	15 Jul 12	23 Oct 13	100.00	2,000,000.00	_	1,360,213.92	68.01
9135	3 Jul 09	19 Jan 10	30 Apr 14	18 Dec 14	100.00	750,000.00	-	715,813.06	95.44
9141	12 Oct 09	28 Apr 10	31 Dec 14	30 Aug 16	100.00	2,000,000.00	_	312,120.50	15.61
9144	9 Dec 09	11 Mar 10	25 Jul 13		100.00	1,800,000.00	-	39,462.72	2.19
9157	28 Feb 11	8 Jun 11	15 Jan 16		100.00	2,000,000.00	671,002.84	1,366,530.29	68.33
9159	30 Mar 11	8 Jun 11	31 Jan 16	23 Nov 16	100.00	2,700,000.00	132,985.88	2,126,213.15	78.75
9180	7 Oct 15	8 Jan 16	31 Mar 19		30.39	15,000,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					29,050,000.00	803,988.72	8,274,438.48	28.48
Pakistan									
9031	6 May 03	1 Oct 04	31 Dec 07	31 Oct 08	100.00	3,400,000.00	-	132,959.00	3.91
9067	28 Apr 05	8 Jul 06	30 Apr 09	31 Aug 09	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
9090	17 Mar 06	13 Jun 06	17 Jan 07	17 Jan 07	100.00	1,997,500.00	_	0.00	0.00
9092	27 Mar 06	13 Jun 06	31 Aug 08	18 Aug 10	100.00	5,000,000.00	-	4,814,041.96	96.28
9105	30 Jan 07	4 Apr 07	15 Sep 08	15 Sep 08	100.00	2,000,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					13,397,500.00	-	4,947,000.96	36.92
Papua New	Guinea								
9002	14 Dec 00	13 Feb 03	31 Dec 07	27 Jan 09	100.00	1,740,000.00	_	1,110,008.78	63.79
9113	18 Dec 07	12 Jun 08	31 Oct 14	4 Dec 15	100.00	1,500,000.00	_	1,157,639.07	77.18
9130	2 Mar 09	3 Mar 09	2 Sep 13		100.00	2,000,000.00	_	1,935,856.21	96.79
9163	19 Apr 12	31 Oct 12	20 Dec 17		81.13	2,500,000.00	654,158.70	1,682,515.59	67.30
	Subtotal					7,740,000.00	654,158.70	5,886,019.65	76.05
Philippines									
9001	31 Oct 00	22 Oct 01	31 Dec 07	21 Apr 08	100.00	2,800,000.00	_	2,799,989.51	100.00
9003	13 Dec 00	9 Jul 01	29 Feb 04	30 Jun 07	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	999,900.00	99.99
9004	21 Dec 00	13 Aug 01	31 Dec 04	30 Jun 07	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	994,164.20	99.42
9018	7 Aug 02	10 Jan 03	31 Dec 07	30 Jun 08	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	987,267.15	98.73
9022	24 Sep 02	8 Nov 02	31 Jan 07	30 Apr 08	100.00	3,600,000.00	_	3,600,000.00	100.00
9042	19 Jan 04	3 Aug 04	31 Oct 09	20 Jun 11	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,454,977.48	97.00
9088	14 Mar 06	25 May 06	30 Sep 10	30 Jun 11	100.00	900,000.00	-	808,509.05	89.83
9102	15 Dec 06	15 Dec 06	31 Jul 09	8 Dec 09	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,754,834.92	91.83
9118	15 Feb 08	17 Mar 08	30 Sep 12	26 Jul 13	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	717,717.11	71.77
9161	20 Feb 12	23 Mar 12	23 Sep 15	20 May 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	136,770.13	1,435,093.07	95.67
9162	9 Apr 12	22 May 12	30 Nov 16	2 May 17	100.00	1,500,000.00	299,998.63	1,349,999.50	90.00
9169 ^b	11 Dec 12				0.00	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
9175	13 Dec 13	12 Mar 14	30 Jun 17		84.99	20,000,000.00	9,578,040.66	14,100,774.55	70.50
	Subtotal					40,800,000.00	10,014,809.42	32,003,226.54	78.44

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Samoa									
9166	31 Jul 12	29 Aug 12	31 Jan 17		98.08	2,000,000.00	565,544.25	1,625,217.79	81.26
	Subtotal					2,000,000.00	565,544.25	1,625,217.79	81.26
Sri Lanka									
9025	16 Oct 02	10 Feb 03	30 Apr 09	31 Dec 10	100.00	900,000.00	-	701,822.31	77.98
9045	7 Apr 04	28 Jun 04	31 Mar 08	29 Aug 12	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,207,691.91	80.51
9076	4 Oct 05	2 Nov 05	30 Sep 07	31 Oct 08	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,949,080.02	97.45
9077	14 Oct 05	2 Nov 05	29 Feb 08	25 Jul 12	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,799,151.17	89.96
9116	21 Jan 08	26 Feb 08	15 Feb 11	15 Feb 11	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,999,245.07	99.96
9143	14 Dec 09	16 Feb 10	22 Feb 13	15 Aug 13	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,980,074.85	99.34
9150	19 Aug 10	26 Oct 10	28 Feb 14	4 Jun 14	100.00	2,500,000.00	-	2,492,730.98	99.71
9154	4 Feb 11	1 Aug 11	30 Sep 15		100.00	2,000,000.00	413,523.86	1,886,573.21	94.33
9186⁵	26 Jul 16	29 Jun 17	31 Mar 22		0.00	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					17,900,000.00	413,523.86	15,016,369.52	83.89
Tajikistan									
9008	8 Aug 01	18 Mar 02	31 Dec 04	31 Oct 06	100.00	2,900,000.00	-	2,900,000.00	100.00
9040	13 Jan 04	8 Apr 04	31 Dec 08	31 Aug 09	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,719,233.79	85.96
9043	22 Jan 04	8 Apr 04	31 Dec 08	24 Jul 09	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	955,797.22	95.58
9078	4 Nov 05	8 Nov 05	21 Sep 09	30 Apr 10	100.00	1,800,000.00	-	1,659,175.45	92.18
9089	15 Mar 06	23 May 06	30 Nov 09	31 May 11	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,843,969.70	92.20
9111	23 Oct 07	30 Nov 07	30 May 10	16 Sep 10	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,988,183.22	99.41
9126	8 Sep 08	22 Jan 09	31 Aug 12	25 Jun 13	100.00	3,000,000.00	-	2,751,279.20	91.71
9171	7 Mar 13	9 Apr 13	30 Sep 16	16 Mar 17	100.00	2,500,000.00	784,285.21	2,430,059.40	97.20
9188⁵	28 Sep 16				0.00	3,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					20,200,000.00	784,285.21	16,247,697.98	80.43
Thailand									
9179	22 Oct 14	21 Jan 16	31 Mar 18		43.13	2,000,000.00	6,750.53	6,750.53	0.34
	Subtotal					2,000,000.00	6,750.53	6,750.53	0.34
Timor-Les	te								
9142	20 Nov 09	12 Mar 10	12 Mar 15	6 Oct 16	100.00	3,000,000.00	298,751.25	2,998,751.25	99.96
	Subtotal					3,000,000.00	298,751.25	2,998,751.25	99.96
Uzbekistar	1								
9010	25 Oct 01	2 Nov 01	31 Dec 05	21 Jun 07	100.00	2,540,000.00	-	2,349,900.37	92.52
9054	24 Aug 04	25 Feb 05	31 Aug 08	19 Jul 10	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,354,889.00	90.33
9091	17 Mar 06	26 May 06	31 Mar 09	25 Apr 11	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	963,152.70	64.21
	Subtotal					5,540,000.00	_	4,667,942.07	84.26

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Vanuatu									
9181	16 Nov 15	3 Mar 16	30 Jun 18		35.69	5,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					5,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
Viet Nam									
9033	30 Oct 03	27 Oct 04	31 Dec 08	24 Jun 10	100.00	620,000.00	-	618,597.31	99.77
9046	15 Apr 04	11 Jun 04	31 Dec 07	23 Oct 09	100.00	820,000.00	-	577,396.58	70.41
9058	2 Dec 04	12 May 05	11 Nov 08	23 Oct 09	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	751,065.51	75.11
9071	22 Aug 05	4 Aug 06	28 Feb 10	31 Mar 11	100.00	900,000.00	-	884,212.01	98.25
9083	17 Jan 06	6 Dec 06	31 Dec 10	9 Sep 11	100.00	1,994,900.00	-	1,981,092.84	99.31
9098	17 Nov 06	18 Sep 07	30 Nov 10	9 Sep 11	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	989,657.64	98.97
9099	29 Nov 06	18 Oct 07	18 Oct 11	22 Jan 13	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,388,023.17	92.53
9112	27 Nov 07	20 Jun 08	20 Jun 12	27 Nov 12	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,985,136.30	99.26
9119	19 Feb 08	26 Sep 08	25 Sep 13	22 Jan 15	100.00	1,900,000.00	-	1,733,793.75	91.25
9120	26 Jun 08	10 Nov 08	28 Feb 13	8 Jan 14	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	933,344.05	46.67
9123	18 Jul 08	21 Oct 08	20 Oct 12	16 Apr 13	100.00	1,300,000.00	-	1,044,789.92	80.37
9140	5 Oct 09	19 Oct 09	30 Jan 13	23 Dec 13	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,304,683.50	86.98
	Subtotal					16,534,900.00	-	14,191,792.58	85.83
Regional									
9005	26 Apr 01	28 Sep 01	31 Mar 07	30 Mar 11	100.00	6,850,000.00	-	6,562,734.80	95.81
9006	8 May 01	4 Jun 01	31 Jan 06	29 Sep 06	100.00	8,000,000.00	-	7,958,851.92	99.49
9036	18 Dec 03	11 Jul 05	31 Dec 08	20 May 10	100.00	750,000.00	-	732,952.69	97.73
9052	22 Jul 04	21 Feb 05	31 Dec 07	17 Aug 11	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,598,465.46	79.92
9151	13 Sep 10	18 Jan 11	30 Jun 15		100.00	3,000,000.00	85,013.89	2,752,365.26	91.75
9158	18 Mar 11	8 Nov 11	31 Dec 17		83.74	3,000,000.00	254,175.77	1,947,119.89	64.90
9160	2 Nov 11	15 May 12	15 Nov 18		71.20	2,000,000.00	57,744.94	302,044.94	15.10
9173	21 May 13	8 Nov 13	31 Dec 18		61.15	2,500,000.00	200,096.46	351,713.73	14.07
	Subtotal					28,100,000.00	597,031.06	22,206,248.69	79.03
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	AL ASSISTAN	NCE				267,346,500.00	34,361,418.16	149,478,587.37	55.91
Afghanista 7637	6 Nov 10	2 Dec 10	30 Jun 13	31 Jan 14	100.00	1,500,000.00	_	1,408,992.16	93.93
9273 ^b	8 Dec 16	17 Jan 17	31 Aug 18	JI Jali 14	0.00	2,000,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
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8875	28 Jan 15	13 Mar 15	01 Sep 17		72.98	550,000.00	116,384.44	264,539.44	48.10
9254 ^b	5 Dec 16	17 Jan 17	31 Aug 18		0.00	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal		2.1.35.3		3.00	2,550,000.00	116,384.44	264,539.44	10.37
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Bangladesh						(+)	(+)	(+)	
7720	3 Dec 10	22 May 11	30 Jun 16	30 Nov 16	100.00	500,000.00	116,733.59	481,457.99	96.29
7890	18 Oct 11	18 Dec 11	30 Apr 13	10 Dec 13	100.00	700,000.00	-	487,381.75	69.63
7979	14 Dec 11	10 Dec 12	31 Dec 18		67.00	1,000,000.00	147,343.76	831,826.11	83.18
7989	14 Dec 11	19 Jun 12	30 Apr 14	23 Jul 14	100.00	700,000.00	-	693,163.09	99.02
8054	21 Feb 12	29 May 12	30 Jun 14	24 Sep 14	100.00	1,200,000.00	-	1,152,059.05	96.00
8072	17 Apr 12	27 Mar 13	31 Dec 16	9 May 17	100.00	1,000,000.00	479,062.16	479,062.16	47.91
8128	6 Aug 12	19 Dec 12	30 Jun 14	31 Oct 14	100.00	900,000.00	-	833,559.47	92.62
8144	28 Aug 12	25 Feb 13	30 Nov 15	30 Nov 15	100.00	500,000.00	-	412,692.01	82.54
8221	22 Nov 12	14 Nov 13	31 Oct 15	29 Feb 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	26,955.18	1,397,385.56	93.16
8228	28 Nov 12	6 Mar 13	24 Jun 15	28 Aug 15	100.00	750,000.00	-	617,299.95	82.31
8436	20 Aug 13	9 Dec 13	31 Dec 17		75.39	1,500,000.00	335,184.99	739,018.83	49.27
8803	12 Dec 14	20 Oct 15	31 Mar 18		49.05	1,000,000.00	349,289.59	415,066.29	41.51
8956	18 Sep 15	28 Jan 16	31 Dec 18		31.65	1,500,000.00	167,698.71	167,698.71	11.18
9068 ^b	19 Jan 16	23 Jan 17	31 Mar 19		0.00	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
9275⁵	13 Dec 16	23 Jan 17	31 Mar 18		0.00	800,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					15,550,000.00	1,622,267.98	8,707,670.97	56.00
Bhutan									
7887	10 Oct 11	8 Nov 11	12 Dec 14	29 Jun 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	973,116.68	97.31
8076	11 May 12	7 Jun 12	31 Oct 13	30 Sep 14	100.00	525,000.00	-	452,027.45	86.10
8437	20 Aug 13	11 Sep 13	31 Dec 17		76.78	1,500,000.00	505,546.90	806,523.90	53.77
8623	28 Feb 14	26 Mar 14	30 Jun 16	30 Sep 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	885,312.38	1,468,495.82	97.90
8712	1 Sep 14	30 Sep 14	31 Aug 16	28 Nov 16	100.00	750,000.00	392,505.61	556,480.60	74.20
9005	3 Dec 15	8 Jan 16	30 Apr 18		42.47	1,500,000.00	104,740.00	104,740.00	6.98
9016	9 Dec 15	5 Jan 16	16 Jan 19		32.61	1,500,000.00	199,605.51	199,605.51	13.31
	Subtotal					8,275,000.00	2,087,710.40	4,560,989.96	55.12
Cambodia									
8121	18 Jul 12	6 Sep 12	31 Dec 15	10 Jun 16	100.00	700,000.00	134,136.37	672,537.86	96.08
8188	4 Oct 12	30 Oct 12	31 Oct 15	29 Feb 16	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	966,030.71	96.60
8669	17 Jun 14	17 Jul 14	30 Jun 18		62.19	2,000,000.00	327,852.77	335,718.97	16.79
8773	27 Nov 14	13 Jan 15	31 Dec 17		66.30	1,000,000.00	83,311.60	83,311.60	8.33
8942	13 Aug 15	10 Sep 15	31 Jul 17		69.28	1,000,000.00	432,415.85	497,740.24	49.77
9182	22 Sep 16	14 Dec 16	30 Jul 19		1.77	2,000,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					7,700,000.00	977,716.59	2,555,339.38	33.19
Cook Island		2011 35	20 5 1 12	24.1	100.00	200 222 2		070	05.5
7646	12 Nov 10	29 Nov 10	29 Feb 12	31 May 12	100.00	300,000.00	-	278,531.22	92.84
8439	4 Sep 13	11 Sep 13	30 Apr 14	14 May 14	100.00	500,000.00	-	495,000.00	99.00
	Subtotal					800,000.00	-	773,531.22	96.69

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India									
7625	22 Oct 10	27 Jan 11	31 Dec 13	30 Jun 14	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	2,000,000.00	100.00
7749	29 Nov 10	28 Apr 11	31 Jan 13	31 Jul 13	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	976,465.87	97.65
7771	11 Jan 11	17 Mar 11	31 Dec 11	31 May 12	100.00	500,000.00	-	190,775.77	38.16
7808	17 May 11	27 Sep 11	31 Aug 15	25 Jul 16	100.00	2,000,000.00	5,571.87	962,038.56	48.10
7838	21 Jul 11	25 May 12	31 Dec 14	31 May 15	100.00	1,200,000.00	_	1,025,219.30	85.43
7947	2 Dec 11	2 Mar 12	31 Dec 14	29 Apr 15	100.00	700,000.00	-	602,183.50	86.03
8110	12 Jul 12	10 Apr 13	5 Oct 15	15 Nov 16	100.00	1,300,000.00	30,412.01	1,299,999.00	100.00
8279	17 Dec 12	31 Jan 14	31 Jul 15	29 Sep 15	100.00	800,000.00	_	512,217.73	64.03
8468	27 Sep 13	24 Jan 14	31 Jul 18		65.01	2,000,000.00	494,026.20	1,081,952.39	54.10
8626	07 Mar 14	15 Jul 14	31 Mar 17	26 Jun 17	90.91	1,500,000.00	584,112.97	905,765.23	60.38
8760	19 Nov 14	01 Dec 14	31 Dec 17		67.58	1,500,000.00	318,778.47	602,328.47	40.16
8899	28 May 15	30 Jul 15	31 Dec 18		41.60	2,000,000.00	74,343.27	74,343.27	3.72
8949	03 Sep 15	31 Dec 15	30 Sep 17		57.28	2,000,000.00	140,997.00	140,997.00	7.05
9031	09 Dec 15	31 Mar 16	31 Dec 17		42.97	1,000,000.00	212,962.44	212,962.44	21.30
	Subtotal					19,500,000.00	1,861,204.23	10,587,248.53	54.29
Indonesia									
7653	19 Nov 10	4 Jan 11	30 Jun 14	18 Sep 14	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	999,686.33	99.97
7729	10 Dec 10	19 Sep 11	30 Jun 14	26 Sep 14	100.00	500,000.00	-	440,850.65	88.17
7768	14 Dec 10	11 Feb 11	31 Mar 14	31 Jul 14	100.00	500,000.00	-	473,198.07	94.64
7843	5 Aug 11	22 Sep 11	31 Dec 15	30 Apr 16	100.00	1,000,000.00	166,774.18	878,957.75	87.90
7849	18 Aug 11	31 Oct 11	30 Nov 15	29 Feb 16	100.00	1,800,000.00	90,284.87	1,518,977.66	84.39
7871	23 Sep 11	21 Feb 12	30 Oct 15	28 Dec 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	135,048.61	1,453,363.25	96.89
7909	8 Nov 11	22 Mar 12	30 Apr 16	8 Nov 16	100.00	700,000.00	326,009.73	625,503.52	89.36
7993	13 Dec 11	5 Mar 12	30 Nov 13	18 Mar 14	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	999,843.92	99.98
8045	12 Dec 11	9 May 12	15 Jun 15	22 Dec 15	100.00	500,000.00	-	457,521.94	91.50
8057	20 Feb 12	4 Jul 12	30 Jun 15	31 Mar 16	100.00	800,000.00	14,292.70	786,961.77	98.37
8202	11 Oct 12	21 Feb 13	30 Nov 15	1 Sep 16	100.00	800,000.00	108,573.42	662,336.92	82.79
8224	8 Nov 12	8 Apr 13	8 Jun 16	31 Jan 17	100.00	800,000.00	213,138.48	772,879.22	96.61
8326	24 Jan 13	27 Jun 13	31 Jan 16	29 Apr 16	100.00	1,000,000.00	46,777.06	868,034.67	86.80
	Subtotal					11,900,000.00	1,100,899.05	10,938,115.67	91.92
Kiribati									
8478	8 Oct 13	21 Oct 13	31 Mar 18		71.95	800,000.00	233,135.11	782,615.08	97.83
	Subtotal					800,000.00	233,135.11	782,615.08	97.83
Kyrgyz Rep	oublic								
8688	21 Jul 14	27 Aug 14	31 Dec 17		70.13	1,000,000.00	126,108.32	535,691.67	53.57
	Subtotal					1,000,000.00	126,108.32	535,691.67	53.57

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Lao People	e's Democratio	c Republic				X.7	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	X.7		
7612	27 Sep 10	3 Dec 10	31 Mar 14	30 Jun 14	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	910,813.32	91.08	
7624	22 Oct 10	24 Nov 10	31 Dec 13	31 May 14	100.00	480,000.00	_	420,552.44	87.62	
7728	14 Dec 10	13 Jan 11	31 Mar 14	30 Nov 14	100.00	1,200,000.00	_	1,144,851.18	95.40	
7866	9 Sep 11	11 Nov 11	31 May 14	20 May 14	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	32,907.51	3.29	
7964	12 Dec 11	17 Jan 12	30 Sep 14		100.00	700,000.00	-	609,717.98	87.10	
8086	29 May 12	23 Jul 12	4 Nov 16	8 Dec 16	100.00	1,000,000.00	195,445.52	836,686.18	83.67	
8848	17 Dec 14	5 Mar 15	31 Dec 17		64.63	1,500,000.00	213,687.28	213,687.28	14.25	
9115	13 May 16	22 Jun 16	28 Feb 19		19.57	1,500,000.00	-	0.00	0.00	
9190	29 Sep 16	31 Oct 16	31 Aug 18		9.12	2,000,000.00	195,545.96	195,545.96	9.78	
	Subtotal					10,380,000.00	604,678.76	4,364,761.85	42.05	
Maldives										
8525	4 Dec 13	03 Mar 14	31 Jul 17		82.99	850,000.00	112,772.10	506,052.29	59.54	
	Subtotal					850,000.00	112,772.10	506,052.29	59.54	
Micronesia	a, Federated S	tates of								
7927	23 Nov 11	09 Jan 12	30 Nov 15	21 Dec 16	100.00	700,000.00	5,404.77	564,630.83	80.66	
8143	23 Aug 12	5 Nov 12	31 Aug 13	30 Jan 14	100.00	600,000.00	-	487,788.84	81.30	
	Subtotal					1,300,000.00	5,404.77	1,052,419.67	80.96	
Mongolia										
7571	4 Aug 10	23 Aug 10	31 Mar 13	17 May 13	100.00	400,000.00	-	381,933.98	95.48	
7591	3 Sep 10	30 Sep 10	30 Sep 12	29 Nov 12	100.00	600,000.00	-	562,046.98	93.67	
7619	19 Oct 10	2 Feb 11	30 Dec 13	18 Sep 14	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	849,956.73	85.00	
7844	11 Aug 11	27 Sep 11	31 Mar 15	26 Mar 15	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,734,694.03	86.73	
7882	7 Oct 11	4 Nov 11	30 Sep 12	28 Nov 12	100.00	700,000.00	_	612,128.20	87.45	
7970	13 Dec 11	17 Jan 12	30 Sep 14	17 Sep 14	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,490,059.68	99.34	
8080	22 May 12	18 Jun 12	15 Nov 17		83.86	900,000.00	236,726.00	497,900.71	55.32	
8212	8 Nov 12	19 Dec 12	30 Jun 17		89.06	1,000,000.00	651,630.24	664,137.02	66.41	
8241	6 Dec 12	7 Feb 13	31 May 16	14 Oct 16	100.00	1,000,000.00	597,643.51	970,835.21	97.08	
8299	19 Dec 12	7 Feb 13	30 Jun 15	28 Sep 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	897,799.46	89.78	
8466	25 Sep 13	13 Dec 13	31 Oct 17		78.56	1,500,000.00	116,798.79	776,192.66	51.75	
8467	1 Oct 13	13 Dec 13	30 Sep 16	31 Dec 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	712,876.73	1,318,781.72	87.92	
8560	13 Dec 13	06 Jan 14	31 Dec 16		100.00	1,000,000.00	5,536.14	568,349.22	56.83	
8649	12 May 14	30 May 14	31 Mar 17		91.31	2,000,000.00	335,870.88	1,146,858.55	57.34	
8742	29 Oct 14	10 Nov 14	30 Nov 16		100.00	1,100,000.00	650,256.66	768,032.35	69.82	
8802	12 Dec 14	28 Jan 15	31 Dec 16		100.00	400,000.00	83,440.64	155,140.02	38.79	
8850	12 Dec 14	11 Aug 15	31 Aug 17		67.64	1,000,000.00	651,116.22	651,116.22	65.11	
8874	13 Jan 15	28 Jan 15	18 Oct 17		70.72	2,000,000.00	238,000.00	414,541.00	20.73	

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8931	16 Jul 15	30 Oct 15	31 Jul 17		66.88	1,000,000.00	435,787.01	435,787.01	43.58	
8939	11 Aug 15	07 Sep 15	30 Sep 17		63.79	700,000.00	286,188.50	323,356.70	46.19	
8960	23 Sep 15	20 Oct 15	31 Mar 19		34.82	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00	
8970	02 Oct 15	23 Oct 15	31 Jul 17		67.23	1,000,000.00	100,553.00	100,553.00	10.06	
9030	10 Dec 15	26 Jan 16	01 Dec 17		50.37	1,000,000.00	385,850.30	385,850.30	38.59	
9201	05 Oct 16	22 Dec 16	14 Nov 18		1.30	700,000.00	-	0.00	0.00	
9216	03 Nov 16	30 Nov 16	30 Jun 18		5.37	800,000.00	-	0.00	0.00	
9230	14 Nov 16	22 Dec 16	31 May 18		1.71	1,100,000.00	-	0.00	0.00	
9233 ^b	18 Nov 16	23 Feb 17	30 Nov 18		0.00	500,000.00	-	0.00	0.00	
	Subtotal					29,400,000.00	5,488,274.62	15,706,050.75	53.42	
Myanmar										
8190	8 Oct 12	8 Oct 12	31 Oct 14	31 Mar 15	100.00	225,000.00	-	149,875.20	66.61	
8327	20 Feb 13	14 Aug 13	30 Nov 15	3 Jan 17	100.00	1,365,000.00	92,302.97	1,361,461.15	99.74	
8330	21 Feb 13	14 Aug 13	31 Dec 15	17 Mar 17	100.00	1,500,000.00	173,070.20	1,498,370.86	99.89	
8342	22 Mar 13	29 Aug 13	31 Dec 17		76.97	1,500,000.00	19,617.14	1,126,528.65	75.10	
8356	24 Apr 13	29 Aug 13	30 Jun 17		87.08	1,350,000.00	53,085.21	1,118,927.10	82.88	
8377	6 Jun 13	14 Aug 13	31 Dec 17		77.19	1,200,000.00	137,206.00	665,788.20	55.48	
8456	20 Sep 13	25 Oct 13	30 Dec 16		100.00	2,000,000.00	242,339.82	1,029,940.54	51.50	
8634	2 Apr 14	24 Apr 14	30 Apr 17		89.11	2,000,000.00	639,542.62	1,187,942.13	59.40	
8651	14 May 14	29 May 14	30 Jun 18		63.43	1,500,000.00	189,677.15	544,386.02	36.29	
8657	23 May 14	23 Jul 14	31 Dec 17		70.96	2,000,000.00	475,564.73	749,569.18	37.48	
8987	9 Nov 15	21 Dec 15	31 Jan 18		48.70	2,000,000.00	496,032.51	496,032.51	24.80	
9074	29 Jan 16	27 Apr 16	31 Dec 18		25.36	2,000,000.00	150,049.81	150,049.81	7.50	
	Subtotal					18,640,000.00	2,668,488.16	10,078,871.35	54.07	
Nepal										
7573	9 Aug 10	17 Sep 10	30 Nov 11	30 Nov 11	100.00	500,000.00	-	480,621.47	96.12	
7590	2 Sep 10	28 Sep 10	31 Dec 14	29 Jun 15	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,992,552.56	99.63	
7666	26 Nov 10	3 Jan 11	31 Dec 11	31 Oct 12	100.00	600,000.00	-	416,479.82	69.41	
7727	13 Dec 10	3 Jan 11	30 Sep 12	31 Dec 12	100.00	800,000.00	-	655,600.80	81.95	
7777	27 Jan 11	21 Mar 11	31 Aug 12	19 Apr 13	100.00	600,000.00	_	485,179.27	80.86	
7936	1 Dec 11	29 Dec 11	31 Jul 13	31 Oct 13	100.00	700,000.00	-	636,511.25	90.93	
7992	9 Dec 11	1 Feb 12	25 Sep 13	20 Dec 13	100.00	500,000.00	-	471,200.41	94.24	
8050	24 Jan 12	1 Mar 12	30 Sep 14	31 Dec 14	100.00	800,000.00	-	747,697.75	93.46	
8329	21 Feb 13	22 Mar 13	31 Dec 16	30 Jun 17	100.00	1,500,000.00	533,937.08	1,273,152.08	84.88	
8412	30 Jul 13	22 Aug 13	31 Dec 16	1 Jul 17	100.00	1,000,000.00	273,214.72	584,425.27	58.44	
8442	2 Sep 13	7 Oct 13	31 Aug 17		82.94	1,500,000.00	586,690.30	964,898.15	64.33	
	Subtotal					10,500,000.00	1,393,842.10	8,708,318.83	82.94	

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Pakistan									
8800	15 Dec 14	16 Feb 15	31 Mar 18		60.05	1,100,000.00	195,467.33	195,467.33	17.77
9223	7 Nov 16	02 Dec 16	31 Dec 18		3.82	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
9255	5 Dec 16	27 Dec 16	31 Dec 19		0.36	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					5,100,000.00	195,467.33	195,467.33	3.83
Papua Nev	v Guinea								
7782	23 Feb 11	4 Apr 11	31 Dec 15	5 Apr 16	100.00	800,000.00	84,743.81	431,968.41	54.00
7869	20 Sep 11	21 Oct 11	21 Dec 12	18 Apr 13	100.00	600,000.00	-	537,251.85	89.54
	Subtotal					1,400,000.00	84,743.81	969,220.26	69.23
Philippines	S								
7716	17 Dec 10	18 Jan 11	30 Jun 14	31 Jul 14	100.00	1,300,000.00	-	1,020,890.52	78.53
7733	13 Dec 10	12 Jan 11	31 Jan 16		100.00	1,400,000.00	236,463.59	1,005,163.23	71.80
7806	13 Apr 11	7 Jun 11	31 Dec 16	11 Jan 17	100.00	1,000,000.00	189,452.56	855,097.69	85.51
7809	19 May 11	17 Jun 11	30 Apr 16	6 Oct 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	(7,983.81)	1,492,016.19	99.47
7870	26 Sep 11	26 Oct 11	31 May 15	24 Aug 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	925,486.75	92.55
8038	16 Dec 11	15 Feb 12	31 Dec 15	17 Feb 16	125.87	1,000,000.00	7,504.47	916,814.88	91.68
8195	19 Oct 12	8 Nov 12	31 Jul 14	20 Feb 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	952,340.29	95.23
8258	11 Dec 12	13 Aug 13	1 Mar 17	31 May 17	95.37	1,000,000.00	187,651.21	530,513.43	53.05
8354	12 Apr 13	14 May 13	31 Aug 15	27 Nov 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	750,380.36	75.04
8493	25 Oct 13	23 Jan 14	31 Jul 17		83.50	1,750,000.00	592,338.84	972,544.86	55.57
8590	18 Dec 13	17 Jan 14	31 Dec 18		59.65	1,500,000.00	420,601.31	724,024.93	48.27
8650	15 May 14	12 Jun 14	30 Nov 17		73.64	2,000,000.00	987,910.39	1,328,928.19	66.45
8718	17 Sep 14	12 Mar 15	30 Oct 17		68.54	500,000.00	223,724.87	338,460.64	67.69
9004	3 Dec 15	21 Dec 15	30 Nov 17		52.96	1,500,000.00	284,742.13	284,742.13	18.98
	Subtotal					17,450,000.00	3,122,405.56	12,097,404.09	69.33
Solomon Is	slands								
7715	15 Dec 10	1 Feb 11	31 Dec 15	28 Oct 16	100.00	800,000.00	86,471.10	760,823.40	95.10
8217	16 Nov 12	20 Dec 12	30 Sep 14	18 Jun 15	100.00	600,000.00	-	539,042.86	89.84
	Subtotal					1,400,000.00	86,471.10	1,299,866.26	92.85
Sri Lanka									
7600	17 Sep 10	8 Dec 10	31 Jul 12	30 Jun 13	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	976,183.70	97.62
7659	23 Nov 10	17 Dec 10	31 Aug 12	31 Dec 12	100.00	700,000.00	-	599,393.89	85.63
7746	10 Dec 10	21 Mar 11	31 Oct 12	31 Dec 12	100.00	800,000.00	-	738,964.13	92.37
9080	15 Feb 16	19 Feb 16	30 Jun 20		19.84	2,000,000.00	175,869.69	175,869.69	8.79
9161	29 Aug 16	21 Sep 16	30 Nov 18		12.63	1,500,000.00	53,990.73	53,990.73	3.60
9213	26 Oct 16	14 Dec 16	30 Jun 19		1.83	500,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					6,500,000.00	229,860.42	2,544,402.14	39.14

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							2016	2000-2016	
JFPR No.	ADB Approval Date	Effective Date	Closing Date	Financial Closing Date	% Time Elapsed ^a	Grant Approved (\$)	Amount Disbursed (\$)	Cumulative Amount Disbursed (\$)	% Disbursed
Tajikistan									
8394	25 Jun 13	19 Aug 13	31 Jul 18		68.07	750,000.00	25,171.97	209,867.04	27.98
8546	10 Dec 13	14 Feb 14	30 Jun 15	18 Mar 16	100.00	700,000.00	37,823.64	643,028.66	91.86
8557	13 Dec 13	14 Feb 14	31 Dec 17		74.22	1,000,000.00	259,338.44	665,791.54	66.58
9183	28 Sep 16	21 Oct 16	31 Dec 21		3.74	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					4,450,000.00	322,334.05	1,518,687.24	34.13
Thailand									
7998	15 Dec 11	30 Jan 12	31 May 15	31 Dec 15	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,320,413.97	88.03
8194	19 Oct 12	20 Nov 12	29 Mar 14	18 Aug 14	100.00	950,000.00	-	803,711.09	84.60
8267	11 Dec 12	10 Jan 13	31 Dec 15	19 Apr 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	48,920.32	1,212,036.19	80.80
9010	8 Dec 15	11 Jan 16	31 Dec 17		49.31	1,500,000.00	77,142.03	77,142.03	5.14
9204	14 Oct 16	17 Nov 16	30 Jun 18		7.46	1,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					6,450,000.00	126,062.35	3,413,303.28	52.92
Timor-Lest	te								
7698	13 Dec 10	13 Dec 10	15 Dec 12	23 May 13	100.00	225,000.00	-	178,689.80	79.42
7741	14 Dec 10	10 Jan 11	31 Mar 13	21 May 13	100.00	600,000.00	-	585,527.23	97.59
8256	10 Dec 12	4 Feb 13	30 Jun 16	1 Oct 16	100.00	850,000.00	287,445.76	815,616.22	95.95
	Subtotal					1,675,000.00	287,445.76	1,579,833.25	94.32
Tonga									
7940	2 Dec 11	23 Jan 12	31 Mar 13	12 Jul 13	100.00	500,000.00	-	499,999.17	100.00
	Subtotal					500,000.00	-	499,999.17	100.00
Uzbekistan	ı								
7917	15 Nov 11	16 Dec 11	30 Nov 13	31 Jul 14	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,500,000.00	100.00
9256⁵	5 Dec 16	3 Jan 17	1 Jun 18		0.00	900,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					2,400,000.00	-	1,500,000.00	62.50
Vanuatu									
7588	1 Sep 10	1 Oct 10	31 Dec 14	30 Jan 15	100.00	500,000.00	-	327,285.95	65.46
	Subtotal					500,000.00	-	327,285.95	65.46
Viet Nam									
7611	24 Sep 10	28 Mar 11	31 Aug 12	21 Dec 12	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	783,680.92	78.37
7885	12 Oct 11	12 Apr 12	31 Dec 15	30 Jun 16	100.00	2,000,000.00	313,994.46	1,856,296.95	92.81
7900	27 Oct 11	9 Jan 12	30 Jun 14	31 Aug 14	100.00	1,500,000.00	-	1,414,565.75	94.30
7926	24 Nov 11	14 Mar 12	31 Dec 13	31 Aug 14	100.00	800,000.00	-	786,984.89	98.37
8108	5 Jul 12	12 Sep 12	31 Dec 14	30 Jan 15	100.00	500,000.00	-	481,543.24	96.31
8310	21 Dec 12	29 May 13	31 Dec 16	22 Apr 17	100.00	800,000.00	25,714.22	333,337.09	41.67
8391	21 Jun 13	13 Feb 14	31 Mar 18		69.81	1,000,000.00	295,215.00	571,723.35	57.17
8592	16 Dec 13	5 Sep 14	31 Dec 16	18 Jul 17	100.00	1,500,000.00	317,245.44	783,170.58	52.21

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							2016	2000-2016	
IFPR No.	ADB Approval Date	Effective Date	Closing Date	Financial Closing Date	% Time Elapsed ^a	Grant Approved (\$)	Amount Disbursed (\$)	Cumulative Amount Disbursed (\$)	% Disbursed
8698	13 Aug 14	29 May 15	31 Mar 17	1 Jun 17	86.61	1,000,000.00	305,344.11	716,883.95	71.69
8726	23 Sep 14	5 Mar 15	31 Aug 17		73.30	1,000,000.00	182,042.84	408,274.86	40.83
8902	22 May 15	25 Aug 15	31 May 18		48.91	1,500,000.00	417,688.78	482,070.92	32.14
9221⁵	4 Nov 16				0.00	1,800,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					14,400,000.00	1,857,244.85	8,618,532.50	59.85
Regional									
7539	31 May 10	31 May 10	31 May 12	24 Feb 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	_	926,138.26	92.61
7580	20 Aug 10	20 Aug 10	31 Mar 11	23 Mar 11	100.00	181,000.00	-	129,044.60	71.30
7744	21 Dec 10	21 Dec 10	30 Jun 14	31 Aug 16	100.00	711,500.00	_	710,968.89	99.93
7794	29 Mar 11	29 Mar 11	31 Dec 13	9 Apr 14	100.00	1,300,000.00	-	1,107,209.63	85.17
7800	30 Mar 11	30 Mar 11	31 Aug 15	26 Oct 15	100.00	1,000,000.00	-	954,206.71	95.42
7812	23 May 11	23 May 11	31 May 15	25 Nov 15	100.00	2,000,000.00	-	1,701,446.48	85.07
7852	5 Sep 11	5 Sep 11	31 Mar 12	26 Jun 12	100.00	200,000.00	-	105,873.74	52.94
7920	16 Nov 11	16 Nov 11	30 Nov 16	31 Jan 17	100.00	2,000,000.00	524,626.64	1,420,871.76	71.04
7950	7 Dec 11	7 Dec 11	31 Dec 17		83.53	1,400,000.00	193,996.53	792,763.46	56.63
7967	8 Dec 11	8 Dec 11	31 May 15	31 Dec 15	100.00	1,400,000.00	-	1,352,784.90	96.63
8012	9 Dec 11	9 Dec 11	30 Nov 15	29 Feb 16	100.00	1,000,000.00	660.37	853,437.93	85.34
8060	15 Mar 12	15 Mar 12	31 Dec 16	31 Mar 17	100.00	2,000,000.00	459,387.95	1,435,600.08	71.78
8066	29 Mar 12	29 Mar 12	31 Jul 15	1 Dec 15	100.00	1,350,000.00	-	1,139,930.52	84.44
8074	27 Apr 12	27 Apr 12	31 Mar 15	1 Jun 16	100.00	2,000,000.00	27,844.45	1,454,404.61	72.72
8075	25 Apr 12	25 Apr 12	30 Nov 15	1 Feb 17	100.00	1,500,000.00	106,735.43	872,916.48	58.19
8079	17 May 12	17 May 12	31 Oct 15	22 Apr 16	100.00	2,000,000.00	16,298.80	1,097,232.59	54.86
8168	19 Sep 12	19 Sep 12	31 Dec 16		100.00	2,000,000.00	268,567.10	1,338,589.33	66.93
8238	5 Dec 12	5 Dec 12	31 Mar 16	14 Jun 16	100.00	650,000.00	450,572.94	613,052.97	94.32
8359	24 Apr 13	24 Apr 13	30 Sep 17		83.15	1,964,000.00	464,581.27	827,132.87	42.11
8369	20 May 13	20 May 13	31 Oct 17		81.29	2,000,000.00	427,650.13	947,043.47	47.35
8389	21 Jun 13	1 Jul 13	30 Jun 16	30 Jun 17	100.00	1,400,000.00	152,240.05	577,796.85	41.27
8435	20 Aug 13	20 Aug 13	31 Dec 18		62.74	1,500,000.00	399,346.23	1,086,048.94	72.40
8458	17 Sep 13	17 Sep 13	31 Aug 16	29 Jun 17	111.31	1,500,000.00	573,806.44	941,934.44	62.80
8517	25 Nov 13	25 Nov 13	31 Jan 18		74.08	1,300,000.00	299,710.08	1,153,707.03	88.75
8584	16 Dec 13	16 Dec 13	30 Sep 17		80.27	1,250,000.00	219,271.84	596,090.13	47.69
8585	16 Dec 13	16 Dec 13	30 Sep 17		80.27	1,250,000.00	93,935.21	625,116.93	50.01
8586	16 Dec 13	16 Dec 13	30 Sep 17		80.27	1,500,000.00	430,561.28	849,100.41	56.61
8640	22 Apr 14	22 Apr 14	31 Jul 16	30 Sep 16	100.00	820,000.00	209,728.02	547,851.30	66.81
8654	23 May 14	23 May 14	30 Sep 16	31 Dec 16	100.00	1,500,000.00	520,470.69	844,280.53	56.29
8674	30 Jun 14	30 Jun 14	31 Dec 17		71.48	2,000,000.00	413,132.58	413,132.58	20.66
8693	11 Jul 14	11 Jul 14	30 Sep 16	22 Dec 16	100.00	800,000.00	106,758.88	331,756.25	41.47

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							2016	2000-2016	
JFPR No.	ADB Approval Date	Effective Date	Closing Date	Financial Closing Date	% Time Elapsedª	Grant Approved (\$)	Amount Disbursed (\$)	Cumulative Amount Disbursed (\$)	% Disbursed
8707	22 Aug 14	22 Aug 14	31 Aug 17		78.01	1,500,000.00	764,147.62	1,155,167.18	77.01
8709	22 Aug 14	22 Aug 14	31 Aug 17		78.01	1,500,000.00	493,405.63	637,555.98	42.50
8732	2 Oct 14	2 Oct 14	30 Nov 17		71.08	2,000,000.00	213,225.00	357,815.00	17.89
8736	10 Oct 14	10 Oct 14	30 Sep 17		74.86	2,000,000.00	480,000.00	1,441,315.00	72.07
8774	3 Dec 14	3 Dec 14	31 Aug 17		75.75	1,000,000.00	200,656.18	335,230.16	33.52
8824	12 Dec 14	12 Dec 14	31 Jan 19		49.64	800,000.00	143,881.48	144,178.92	18.02
8881	6 Mar 15	6 Mar 15	31 Dec 18		47.71	1,200,000.00	422,671.97	991,704.78	82.64
8884	31 Mar 15	31 Mar 15	30 Sep 17		70.13	2,000,000.00	433,165.51	433,485.39	21.67
9095	12 Apr 16	12 Apr 16	30 Nov 19		19.82	2,000,000.00	137,850.00	137,850.00	6.89
9111	13 May 16	13 May 16	31 May 19		20.84	2,000,000.00	1,610.00	1,610.00	0.08
9170	5 Sep 16	5 Sep 16	31 Dec 18		13.81	2,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
9235	16 Nov 16	16 Nov 16	31 Oct 18		6.30	1,000,000.00	_	0.00	0.00
9288	12 Dec 16	12 Dec 16	28 Feb 19		2.35	1,000,000.00	-	0.00	0.00
	Subtotal					62,476,500.00	9,650,496.30	33,383,377.08	53.43
	Total Grant	s and Techn	ical Assistanc	e		789,599,400.00	62,480,089.57	507,018,301.86	64.21

ADB = Asian Development Bank, JFPR = Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction.

Note: Numbers in parentheses are negative.

Source: ADB Controller's Department.

^a Number of months elapsed from agreement signing and total months until physical completion; for regional projects, computed based on the latest agreement signing date; in cases of extension, adjusted based on revised completion dates.

^b Project not yet effective as of 31 Dec 2016.

APPENDIX 5

Nongovernment Organizations Participating in Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Project Grants Approved from 2014 to 2016

This appendix discusses Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Project grants approved from 1 January 2014 to 31 December 2016.

Developing Member Country	Project Title	Participating Nongovernment Organizations
Cambodia	Project Title	raiticipating Nongovernment Organizations
	Community-Based Disaster Risk Reduction	-
Mongolia		
	Improving School Dormitory Environment for Primary Students in Western Region	Human Development Training Centre, Mongolian Vocational Education Teachers' Association, Uram Centre, Guide to the Procurement, Zorig Foundation, Senior Teachers' Association of Govi-Altai, Elder's Association of Zavkhan, Adolescents' Future of Uvs
	Integrated Livelihoods Improvement and Sustainable Tourism in Khuvsgul Lake National Park	National University of Mongolia, ecoLeap Foundation, Khuvsgul Tourism Association, Environmental Community Council NGO, Mongol Ecology Center, Ulaanbaatar Tourism Association, WaSH Action Mongolia
	Strengthening Community Resilience to Dzud and Forest and Steppe Fires	-
	Managing Soil Pollution in Ger Areas through Improved On-Site Sanitation	-
Myanmar		
	Pro-Poor Community Infrastructure and Basic Services	-
	Economic Empowerment of the Poor and Women in the East-West Economic Corridor	Mon Women's Organization, Mon Satanar Development Foundation
	Emergency Support for Chin State Livelihoods Restoration	Network Alliance Group
Nepal		
	Disaster Risk Reduction and Livelihood Restoration for Earthquake-Affected Communities	-
Sri Lanka		
	Supporting Electricity Supply Reliability Improvement	-

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Developing Member Country	Project Title	Participating Nongovernment Organizations
Tajikistan		
	Water Resources Management in Pyanj River Basin	Umedbakhsh Tajikistan, Amon Tajikistan
Thailand		
	Community-Based Flood Risk Management and Disaster Response in the Chao Phraya Basin	Thammasat University
Vanuatu		
	Cyclone Pam School Reconstruction	-

^{- =} not applicable, NGO = nongovernment organization.

 $Sources: A sian\ Development\ Bank; Japan\ Fund\ for\ Poverty\ Reduction\ Database.$

APPENDIX 6

Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Outreach and Communication Activities, 2016

No.	Activities	When	What
Janu	uary-December 2016		
1.	Asian Development Bank Grants \$7 m for Mongolia (Qatar News Agency/Factiva)	26 January	Feature article
2.	Grants Signed to Promote Khuvsgul Tourism, School Dormitories, Affordable Housing	28 January	News release
3.	ADB Supports Disaster Risk Management, Financial Inclusion Projects	4 February	News release
4.	Innovative Auctions to Channel Funds to Small Sri Lanka Firms	23 February	News release
5.	Pakistan Must Increase Food Production by 40%-50% (The Express Tribune, Pakistan)	11 March	Feature article
6.	ADB Channels \$ 100 m to Fund Women-led SMEs (Daily News, Sri Lanka)	29 March	Feature article
7.	Schools in Meghalaya to Gain From the Asian Development Bank (<i>The Northeast Today</i> , India)	3 April	Feature article
8.	ADB, Japan to Help Chin State Communities Restore Livelihoods	22 April	News release
9.	ADB and Japan to Rebuild Chin State (Myanmar Times)	25 April	Feature article
10.	ADB, Japan-Assisted Project to Promote Tourism Jobs in Mon State	18 May	News release
11.	ADB, Japan-Assisted Project to Promote Tourism Jobs in Mon State (<i>The Financial</i> , Georgia)	18 May	Feature article
12.	ADB, Japan-Assisted Project to Promote Tourism Jobs in Mon State (Myanmar Business Today)	2 June	Feature article
13.	ADB President Commends Myanmar's Progress, Announces Expanded Assistance (<i>Mizzima</i> , Myanmar)	15 June	Feature article
14.	Anti-Poverty Program Pours in \$\mathbf{P}3.2B\$ Funds for Community Projects (Sunstar Tacloban, Philippines)	21 July	Feature article
15.	ADB Approves \$115 m Loan for Power Sector in Sri Lanka (Lanka Business Online)	27 July	Feature article
16.	Sri Lanka to Test Renewable Energy Mini-grids with ADB Loan (Economy Next, Sri Lanka)	28 July	Feature article
17.	ADB Report: Poverty Rate High in Marshall Islands (Marianas Variety, Micronesia)	19 August	Feature article
18.	ADB, Myanmar Sign Grant Agreement for Improved Disaster Resilience in Chin State (The Financial, Georgia)	31 August	Feature article
19.	ADB, Myanmar Sign Grant Agreement for Improved Disaster Resilience in Chin State	31 August	News release
20.	Himali ^a Project's Progress Satisfactory (New Spotlight News Magazine)	1 October	Feature article
21.	ADB, UNICEF Sign Cooperation Agreement to Improve Water, Sanitation, Hygiene in Schools in Western Region	3 November	News release
22.	\$1 m ADB Aid in Support of Thai Water Management (The Nation)	2 December	Feature article
23.	BSP Launches New Investment Tool (GMA News Online, Philippines)	16 December	Feature article
24.	ADB Grants \$115 m Financial Assistance to Fully Electrify Sri Lanka (Colombo Page, Sri Lanka)	19 December	Feature article

ADB = Asian Development Bank, BSP = Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, m = million, UNICEF = United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund.

^a High Mountain Agribusiness and Livelihood Improvement.

Sources: ADB, Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction Database.

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