

**MONTHLY SUMMARY REPORT ON APPROVED SMALL-SCALE  
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROJECTS  
(as of 30 November 2005)**

**1. VIE-4689: Developing Benefit Sharing Mechanisms for People Adversely Affected by Power Generation Projects (Advisory)**

**Executing Agency** : Ministry of Industry  
**TA Amount (\$'000)** : 150.0  
**ADBBO Listing** : 15 July 2005  
**Date Approved** : 14 November 2005

The TA's purpose is to prepare guidelines for benefit-sharing mechanisms that can be implemented on a pilot basis. This will help the Government prepare a pilot tested policy framework, as an initial step in developing a national policy for benefit-sharing mechanisms for improving the well-being of the people affected and long term environmental management of power generation projects.

**Status of Consulting Services:** Recruitment of consultants is underway.

**2. RETA-6269: Preparation and Pilot of the Community of Practice on Managing for Development Results (Regional)**

**Executing Agency** : Asian Development Bank  
**TA Amount (\$'000)** : 150.0  
**ADBBO Listing** : Not listed<sup>1</sup>  
**Date Approved** : 16 November 2005

The TA is intended to address the challenges of implementing Managing for Development Results (MfDR) at the country level. It is expected that a Community of Practice-MfDR will contribute to a more effective and sustained dialogue between ADB and developing member countries (DMCs) and among the DMC themselves. It will also help ADB develop a resource base of DMC practitioners to facilitate MfDR within DMCs. The impact of the TA will be the enhanced demand and capacities in results management among DMCs. The outcomes are expected to be (i) a network of results management practitioners among DMCs and (ii) improved understanding and implementation of results management at the DMC level.

**Status of Consulting Services:** Recruitment of consultant is underway.

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<sup>1</sup> Waiver to publish in ADB Business Opportunities approved by Management.

3. **RETA-6271: Improving the Key Indicators of Developing Asian and Pacific Countries** (Regional)

**Executing Agency** : Asian Development Bank  
**TA Amount (\$'000)** : 140.0  
**ADBBO Listing** : 2 June 2005  
**Date Approved** : 25 November 2005

The TA aims to significantly increase the number of users of the Key Indicators and the Statistical Database System (SDBS) through improving the data support system for managing development. This will be done by ensuring efficient and timely compilation of better quality data for the Key Indicators and SDBS.

**Status of Consulting Services:** Recruitment of consultants is underway.