PROJECT DATA SHEET

Project Data Sheets (PDS) contain summary information on the project or program: Because the PDS is a work in progress, some information may not be included in its initial version but will be added as it becomes available. Information about proposed projects is tentative and indicative.

PDS Creation Date	–
PDS Updated as of	–

Project Name	Northern Community-Managed Irrigation Sector Project
Country	Lao People's Democratic Republic
Project/Program Number	34188-012
Status	Closed
Geographical Location	Northern provinces of Lao PDR.

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Sector and/or Subsector Classification	Agriculture and natural resources / Irrigation, Drainage, and Flood Protection
Thematic Classification	Economic growth
Gender Mainstreaming Categories	–

FINANCING

Type/Modality of Assistance	Approval Number	Source of Funding	Approved Amount (US$ thousand)
Technical Assistance	3718	Japan Special Fund	700
TOTAL			**US$ 700**

SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL ISSUES

Environmental Aspects

–

Involuntary Resettlement

–

Indigenous Peoples

–

STAKEHOLDER COMMUNICATION, PARTICIPATION, AND CONSULTATION

During Project Design

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During Project Implementation

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DESCRIPTION

The objective of the TA is to prepare a follow-on sector investment project, which will address poverty reduction, environmental protection and gender issues through the development of small-scale (less than 100 ha) CMI schemes in selected northern provinces. The TA will comprise the following major activities: (i) review lessons learnt from ongoing projects in relation to current policies; (ii) undertake analyses of institutional capacity at national, province, district and village water users associations (WUAs) levels; (iii) determine the northern provinces to be included in the proposed project taking into consideration the stakeholders' priorities and Government's implementation; (iv) review and upgrade the completed appraisal studies on sample subprojects.; (v) conduct a social and environmental assessment of sample subprojects with particular emphasis on poverty reduction and environmental protection; (vi) analyze the cost effectiveness and financial sustainability; and (vii) develop a sector investment package and necessary supporting mechanism for sustainable and affordable CMI.

PROJECT RATIONALE AND LINKAGE TO COUNTRY/REGIONAL STRATEGY

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DEVELOPMENT IMPACT

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PROJECT OUTCOME

Description of Outcome	Progress Towards Outcome
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OUTPUTS AND IMPLEMENTATION PROGRESS

Description of Project Outputs	Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)
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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

Date of First Listing

04 Jun 2007

Consulting Services	The TA work will be carried out by a team of experts from an international consulting firm in association with domestic consultants. Other details of consulting services to be required will be determined during the fact-finding mission. Procurement of one service vehicle will be proposed to facilitate the work of the consultants.
Procurement	–
Procurement and Consulting Notices	http://www.adb.org/projects/34188-012/business-opportunities

TIMETABLE

Concept Clearance	–
Fact-finding	11 Jun 2001 to 19 Jun 2001
Management Review Meeting	–
Approval	11 Sep 2001
Last Review Mission	–

MILESTONES

Approval No.	Approval	Signing	Effectivity	Closing		
				Original	Revised	Actual
Technical Assistance 3718	11 Sep 2001	26 Oct 2001	26 Oct 2001	31 Dec 2002	15 Dec 2004	–

TA AMOUNT (US$ THOUSAND)

Approval Number	Approved Amount	Revised Amount	Total Commitment	Uncommitted Balance	Total Disbursement	Undisbursed Balance
Technical Assistance 3718	700	700	698	2	698	2

CONTACTS AND UPDATE DETAILS

Responsible ADB Officer	()
Responsible ADB Department	Southeast Asia Department
Responsible ADB Division	Environment, Natural Resources & Agriculture Division, SERD
Executing Agencies	Department of Irrigation Mr. Phuovieng Latdavong, Permanent Secretary

LINKS

Project Website	http://www.adb.org/projects/34188-012/main
List of Project Documents	http://www.adb.org/projects/34188-012/documents