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	25 Jan 2007
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Project Name	Second Textbook Development
Country	Uzbekistan
Project/Program Number	36510-013
Status	Approved
Geographical Location	Nation-wide

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Sector and/or Subsector Classification	Education / Pre-Primary and Basic Education
Thematic Classification	Social development
Gender Mainstreaming Categories	–

FINANCING

Type/Modality of Assistance	Approval Number	Source of Funding	Approved Amount (US$ thousand)
Loan	2093	-	0
TOTAL			**US$ 0**

SAFEGUARD CATEGORIES

For more information about the safeguard categories, please see http://www.adb.org/site/safeguards/safeguard-categories

Environment	C

Involuntary Resettlement	–
Indigenous Peoples	–

SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL ISSUES

Environmental Aspects

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Involuntary Resettlement

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Indigenous Peoples

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STAKEHOLDER COMMUNICATION, PARTICIPATION, AND CONSULTATION

During Project Design

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During Project Implementation

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DESCRIPTION

The goal of the Project is to contribute to the enhancement of skill base and human capital of the population. This will be accomplished through improvement of the quality and relevance of basic education as the purpose of the Project. The Project will promote efficient and sustainable provision of affordable textbooks nationwide, and other learning materials supported by necessary institutional and policy reforms. The Project comprises four components: (i) strengthening the educational policy framework; (ii) sustainable provision of textbooks; (iii) school library development, and (iv) book sector development.

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	18 Dec 2006
Consulting Services	The Project will require 937 person-months (pm) of consulting services, consisting of 61 pm of international and 876 pm of domestic consultants will be engaged in accordance with ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants and other arrangements acceptable to ADB for engaging domestic consultants. International consultants will be engaged as a single firm because of the highly integrated nature of the project components. Quality and cost-based selection (QCBS) of an international consulting firm will be followed.
Procurement	The Project will procure textbooks and related materials for Grades 6, 7 and 8; furniture, audio/video equipment; library books and materials, and ICT equipment for school libraries; and furniture and computers for office and administrative use. Goods and services will be procured following ADB Guidelines for Procurement. Selected supply contracts for furniture, equipment, textbooks, library books and supporting instructional materials may be awarded on the basis of local competitive bidding among prequalified contractors in accordance with the Government's standard procurement procedures.
Procurement and Consulting Notices	http://www.adb.org/projects/36510-013/business-opportunities

TIMETABLE

Concept Clearance	–
Fact-finding	10 May 2004 to 28 May 2004
Management Review Meeting	18 Jun 2004
Approval	29 Sep 2004
Last Review Mission	–

MILESTONES

Approval No.	Approval	Signing	Effectivity	Closing		
				Original	Revised	Actual
Loan 2093	29 Sep 2004	02 Nov 2004	01 Dec 2004	30 Jan 2010	–	09 Aug 2010

STATUS OF COVENANTS

Covenants are categorized under the following categories—audited accounts, safeguards, social, sector, financial, economic, and others. Covenant compliance is rated by category by applying the following criteria: (i) Satisfactory—all covenants in the category are being complied with, with a maximum of one exception allowed, (ii) Partly Satisfactory—a maximum of two covenants in the category are not being complied with, (iii) Unsatisfactory—three or more covenants in the category are not being complied with. As per the 2011 Public Communications Policy, covenant compliance ratings for Project Financial Statements apply only to projects whose invitation for negotiation falls after 2 April 2012.

Approval No.	Category						
	Sector	Social	Financial	Economic	Others	Safe	Project Financial Statements
Loan 2093	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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LINKS

Project Website	http://www.adb.org/projects/36510-013/main
List of Project Documents	http://www.adb.org/projects/36510-013/documents