



China, People's Republic of: Hefei Urban Environment Improvement Project

Project Name	Hefei Urban Environment Improvement Project		
Project Number	36595-012		
Country / Economy	China, People's Republic of		
Project Status	Closed		
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance		
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 4628-PRC: Hefei Urban Environment Improvement Project		
	Technical Assistance Special Fund		US\$ 750,000.00
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth		
Drivers of Change	Gender Equity and Mainstreaming Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions		
Sector / Subsector	Water and other urban infrastructure and services / Urban policy, institutional and capacity development		
Gender	Some gender elements		
Description	The objective of the TA is to assist Hefei Municipal Government (HMG) to prepare an investment project based on an assessment of the various urban infrastructure subcomponents that will collectively improve the physical urban environment of Hefei and the quality of life of its residents. The TA will assess the technical, environmental, financial, economic, social and institutional feasibility of an investment for (i) enhancing the quality of its water resources, (ii) strengthening its wastewater and solid waste management, (iii) reducing the incidence and damage of flooding in Chao Lake, and (iv) improving urban air quality and traffic managemetn through a more efficient city road network and reduced vehicular emission model development zone. The TA will also identify institutional capacity-building measures in urban environmental management and policy reforms to ensure sustainability of the Project and related facilities. The project comprises 9 subcomponents instead of the original 12.		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy			
Impact			
Project Outcome			
Description of Outcome			
Progress Toward Outcome			
Implementation Progress			
Description of Project Outputs			
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)			
Geographical Location			
Safeguard Categories			
EnvironmentA			
Involuntary Resettlement			
Indigenous Peoples			
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects			
Environmental Aspects			
Involuntary Resettlement			
Indigenous Peoples			
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation			
During Project Design			
During Project Implementation			
Business Opportunities			
Consulting Services	The TA will require about 55 person-months (pm) of consulting services consisting of 18 pm of international and 37 pm of domestic consulting services. The international consultants will have expertise in water resource management including wastewater treatment, water supply and flood control, solid waste management, urban transport, financial and economic analysis, institutional and regulatory development, social analysis, resettlement, and environment. The domestic consultants will have expertise similar to that of the international consultants. An international consulting firm, in association with domestic consultants, will be engaged in accordance with ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants and other arrangements satisfactory to ADB for the selection and engagement of domestic consultants.		

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Timetable	
Concept Clearance	04 Nov 2003
Fact Finding	16 May 2005 to 30 May 2005
MRM	-
Approval	09 Aug 2005
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	23 Jan 2007

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Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
09 Aug 2005	19 Sep 2005	19 Sep 2005	31 May 2006	31 Jan 2007	25 Apr 2007

Financing Plan/TA Utilization							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
750,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	750,000.00	17 Jun 2022	745,585.73

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