



## Project Data Sheet

Project 36611-012

Project Name Skills for Employment Project (formerly Technical/ICT Education)

Project Number 36611-012

Country / Economy Nepal

Project Status Closed

Project Type / Modality of Assistance Technical Assistance

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**TA 4012-NEP: Skills for Employment Project (formerly Technical/ICT Education)**

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Source of Funding / Amount Technical Assistance Special Fund US\$ 400,000.00

**TA 4012-NEP: Skills for Employment Project**

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Technical Assistance Special Fund US\$ 120,000.00

Strategic Agendas Inclusive economic growth

Drivers of Change Gender Equity and Mainstreaming  
Governance and capacity development  
Knowledge solutions  
Private sector development

Sector / Subsector **Education** / Technical and vocational education and training

Gender Gender equity

Description	<p>The main objective of the PPTA is to assist the Government in achieving its goal of poverty reduction. In order to do this, the TA will assist the Government to: (i) improve the quality of its skills development programs through an analysis of the vocational/technical education sub-sector encompassing policy and existing institutional structures and their mandate and performance and a needs assessment; and (ii) based on this analysis, and in consultation with Government, prepare a project feasibility report with costs, components, proposed management structures, monitoring systems and implementation arrangements to support specific interventions that will help meet the Government objectives and policies agreed upon for the sub-sector.</p> <p>The scope of the TA will extend to vocational and technical education (including ICT)* sub-sector. The TA will conduct an analysis of the vocational and technical education sub-sector. The analysis will take into account the existing capacity within the sub-sector; its strengths and weaknesses; policies pertaining to the sub-sector; participation of women and other disadvantaged groups; geographic dispersion; role of the private sector; and the potential of vocational and technical education to address the skills development needs of the country's youth. The analysis will also include a review of existing labor market studies, if any, and conduct skills demand surveys in areas identified for potential support. The TA will undertake extensive consultations with stakeholders through seminars and workshops. Based upon the review and analysis, and consultations, the TA will make recommendations for policy revisions, if necessary, cost effective strategies and an implementation framework with costs.</p> <p>*For the purpose of the PPTA, technical education includes ICT.</p>
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Project Rationale and  
Linkage to  
Country/Regional  
Strategy

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### **Project Outcome**

Description of Outcome

Progress Toward Outcome

### **Implementation Progress**

Description of Project Outputs

Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)

Geographical Location

### **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	ADB will engage all consultants through a firm using the simplified technical procedure in accordance with ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants and other arrangements satisfactory to ADB.
Procurement	There is no major procurement under the PPTA.
Responsible ADB Officer	Gutierrez, Leah
Responsible ADB Department	South Asia Department
Responsible ADB Division	Environment, Natural Resources & Agriculture Division, SARD
Executing Agencies	<i>Ministry of Education &amp; Sports Mr. C.S. Basnet, Secretary Keshar Mahal Kathmandu Nepal</i>

## Timetable

Concept Clearance	10 Mar 2002
Fact Finding	23 Sep 2002 to 03 Oct 2002
MRM	-
Approval	04 Dec 2002
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	19 Jan 2007

## TA 4012-NEP

### Milestones

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing	Revised	Actual
			Original		
04 Dec 2002	19 Mar 2003	19 Mar 2003	30 Sep 2003	31 Dec 2006	22 Jun 2007

Financing Plan/TA Utilization							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart		Project Sponsor	Others	Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries					
520,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	520,000.00	17 Jun 2022	445,057.03

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