## India: Jharkhand Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project

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<td>Ordinary capital resources US$ 190.00 million</td>
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### Strategic Agendas
- Environmentally sustainable growth
- Inclusive economic growth

### Drivers of Change
- Governance and capacity development
- Knowledge solutions
- Private sector development

### Sector / Subsector
- Water and other urban infrastructure and services
- Other urban services
- Urban flood protection
- Urban policy, institutional and capacity development
- Urban sewerage
- Urban water supply

### Gender Equity and Mainstreaming
- Effective gender mainstreaming

### Description
The proposed Jharkhand Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project (JURLIP) will be ADB’s first urban project in the state. The Asian Development Bank (ADB) will bring its extensive experience and lessons learned from implementing physical infrastructure development, institutional capacity building, and urban sector reforms in other states of India and elsewhere. For example, the proposed project will finance initial operation and maintenance (O&M) of physical infrastructure to ensure sustainability until the policy reforms are in place. Similarly, the capacities of staff will be developed by the private operators during initial 5-10 years of O&M phase for subsequent sustainable delivery of the urban services.

### Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy
The JURLIP will support urban service improvement strategies and policy initiatives of the Government of Jharkhand (GOJ) to contribute to improved urban living under the Jharkhand Vision and Action Plan 2021. The project will complement ongoing efforts of the GOJ for urban infrastructure and service improvement and institutional reforms under various national flagship programs.

### Impact
- Quality of life of urban inhabitants enhanced

### Outcome
- Urban service delivery and governance in six project towns improved

### Outputs
- Basic urban infrastructure in six project towns improved
- Capacity of state institutions, urban local bodies, and communities in urban service delivery improved

### Geographical Location
- Jharkhand

### Safeguard Categories
- Environment B
- Involuntary Resettlement B
- Indigenous Peoples B

### 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
Advance contracting is proposed to be undertaken for PMU consultant. The project readiness of more than 30% of contracts in award stage is expected to be achieved at the time of loan negotiations, expected in the first quarter of 2020.

#### Procurement
Advance contracting is proposed to be undertaken for majority of works contracts. The project readiness of more than 30% of contracts in award stage is expected to be achieved at the time of loan negotiations, expected in the first quarter of 2020.

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Timetable

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