

PROCUREMENT PLAN

Basic Data

Project Name: Strengthening Finance Sector Operations in Asia and the Pacific	
Project Number: 50374-001	Approval Number:
Country: REG	Executing Agency: ADB
Project Procurement Classification: B	Implementing Agency: ADB
Procurement Risk: Low	
Project Financing Amount: \$1,250,000 ADB Financing: \$500,000 Cofinancing (ADB Administered): \$750,000 Non-ADB Financing: 0	Project Closing Date: 31 December 2020
Date of First Procurement Plan: September 2017	Date of this Procurement Plan: 23 / 08 / 2017

Procurement and Consulting Methods and Thresholds

Except as the Asian Development Bank (ADB) may otherwise agree, the following process thresholds shall apply to procurement of goods and works.

Procurement of Goods and Works		
Method	Threshold	Comments
Shopping for Goods	Below \$100,000	Details to be provided during TA implementation

Consulting Services	
Method	Comments
Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)	The international consulting firm will be hired to support the ADB team in conducting pilot studies on the use of new technologies in finance. Details to be provided during TA implementation
Individual Consultants Selection	This method will be used to engage 15 person-months' international and 48 person-months' national individual consultant services comprising (i) 9 person-months total for three finance experts, (ii) 3 person-months for a visual communication expert, (iii) 3 person-months for a manuscript editor, (iv) 24 person-months for a research assistant, and (v) 24 person-months for a project coordinator. It will also require 2.3 person-months total for five resource persons. ADB will engage the consultants following its Guidelines on the Use of Consultants (2013, as amended from time to time).