



# Advance Contracting Notice

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**Date:** 28 August 2017

**Country/Borrower:** India

**Title of Proposed Project:** 49107-IND: West Bengal Water Sector Improvement Project (WBWSIP)

**Name and Address of Executing Agency:**

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**Brief Description of the Project:**

- The Government of India intends to apply for a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) for the proposed WBDWSIP (the Project). The Project aims to provide safe, reliable and continuous drinking water as per Government of India's standard to about 4.0 million people in selected arsenic, fluoride, and salinity affected areas of North 24 Parganas, South 24 Parganas, East Medinipur and Bankura districts in accordance with the Vision 2020 of Government of West Bengal and objective of National Water Quality Sub-Mission of the Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation (MDWS), Government of India.
- The Project will ensure drinking water security through 24/7 piped water supply schemes in the areas covered.
- The outputs of WBDWSIP will be (i) drinking water infrastructure constructed and upgraded; and (ii) institutional strengthening and capacity building for operational sustainability achieved.

**Brief Description of Goods and Related Services, Works or Consulting Services to be Procured:**

- Advance contracting will include:
  - Recruitment of project management consultants (PMC) and design, construction supervision and project implementation support consultants (DSC);
  - Recruitment of community awareness and participation program consultants; and

- Procurement of nine civil works packages for water treatment plant, reservoirs, transmission mains, and pumping stations works and water distribution network and metering works