Advance Contracting Notice

Date: 7 November 2014

Country/Borrower: Lao People’s Democratic Republic

Title of Proposed Project: Vientiane Sustainable Urban Transport Project

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Brief Description of the Project:

The Lao People’s Democratic Republic has requested for a loan from the Asian Development Bank’s ADB’s Special Funds resources to help finance the cost of the Vientiane Sustainable Urban Transport Project. The project will have the following outputs:

1. A sustainable transport management agency for Vientiane established
2. High-quality bus services and BRT operating in Vientiane
3. Improved traffic management in the core area of Vientiane
4. Paid parking system and national vehicle registration system
5. Improved accessibility for pedestrians and other non-motorized transport in the core area of Vientiane

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

ADB has approved the Government’s request for advance contracting (in principle) to expedite project implementation. The proposed contract for advance action includes: (i) one consulting services contract for individual consultant (international urban transport advisor) and (ii) one consulting services contract for a consulting firm (project management, detailed design, and supervision).

Date of Advance Contracting Approval: 21 August 2014

Asian Development Bank