



India: Strengthening Municipal eGovernance Reforms in Karnataka

Project Name	Strengthening Municipal eGovernance Reforms in Karnataka				
Project Number	48355-001				
Country	India				
Project Status	Dropped / Terminated				
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance				
Source of Funding / Amount	<table border="1"> <tr> <td colspan="2">TA 8820-IND: Strengthening Municipal eGovernance Reforms in Karnataka</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Technical Assistance Special Fund</td> <td>US\$ 500,000.00</td> </tr> </table>	TA 8820-IND: Strengthening Municipal eGovernance Reforms in Karnataka		Technical Assistance Special Fund	US\$ 500,000.00
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Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth				
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions				
Sector / Subsector	Information and communication technology - ICT industries and ICT-enabled services Water and other urban infrastructure and services - Urban policy, institutional and capacity development				
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements				
Description	The project preparatory technical assistance is needed to undertake sector preparatory work and define the scope of the ensuing project. Specific deliverables include: (i) an assessment/audit of municipal reform initiatives undertaken by KMRC from which to draw lessons, (ii) technical and institutional measures for making the program more effective, and (iii) recommended actions needs to be taken for business process reengineering of municipal reform cell.				
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	The main objective of this assignment is to carry out the institutional audit of the municipal reform program of Government of Karnataka. Specific deliverables include: (i) an assessment of municipal reform initiatives undertaken by KMRC and draw lessons, (ii) technical and institutional measure for making the program more effective, (iii) recommend actions needs to be taken for business process reengineering of municipal reform cell.				
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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	Potential beneficiaries include citizens of all 219 ULBs in Karnataka, city managers and elected officials and State officials. Workshops and consultations will be conducted during evaluation and design stages.
During Project Implementation	CSOs and NGOs are already engaged in the delivery of citizen services under e-Governance programs (such as grievance capture and redressal systems). Where appropriate, their participation will be enhanced and expanded.

Business Opportunities

Consulting Services	A firm/consortium of firms with experience in municipal reform (revenue, administration, public financial management, service delivery, accounting) and e-Governance (including experience in application development/updates, expertise in software development life cycle, including aspects of solution architecture, ICT infrastructure and networks, database development, testing and quality assurance, etc.) will be engaged to undertake the necessary studies for this TA.
Procurement	The consulting firm will be engaged following the quality - and cost-based selection method, with quality-cost ratio of 90:10, using simplified technical proposal procedures. Procurement of all consultancy services used under the PPTA will be carried out in accordance with ADB's Guideline on the Use of Consultants (2013, as amended from time to time). Purchase of equipment will be made in accordance with ADB's Procurement Guidelines (March 2013, as amended from time to time).

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Timetable

Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	-
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	03 Sep 2015

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Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
16 Dec 2014	-	-	31 Mar 2016	-	-

Financing Plan/TA Utilization						Cumulative Disbursements		
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
500,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500,000.00	16 Dec 2014	0.00

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