

<u>Project Summary for Public Disclosure</u> (after approval of NDB financing)

Project Name	Lamphelpat Waterbody Rejuvenation Project			
Country	The Republic of India			
Туре	Sovereign			
Area of Operation	Water & Sanitation			
Concept Approval Date	17 November 2021			
Financing Approval Date	18 July 2022			
Total Project Cost	USD 87.84 million			
Initial Limit of NDB Financing	USD 70.27 million			
Current Limit of NDB Financing	USD 70.27 million			
Borrower	The Republic of India			
Project Entity(ies)	Government of Manipur			
Project Context	The Lamphelpat area, in the west part of Imphal – the cap			
	city of Manipur, faces the problem of urban floods during the			
	rainy season due to reduction in detention capacity of the			
	Lamphelpat waterbody. Coping measures undertaken in the			
	form of pumping to drain water during rainy days are not			
	adequate and the area remains waterlogged for many days			
	every year. The annual floods result in loss of property,			
	infrastructure, and damage to human health while negatively			
	impacting the biodiversity in the area. Thus, there is an urgent			
	need to enhance the water detention capacity of Lamphelpat			
	waterbody and restore the stormwater drainage system and			
	channels / streams in the catchment area to prevent flooding.			
Project Description	The Project will develop Lamphelpat waterbody to increase its			
	water detention capacity, restore stormwater drainage system			
	and channels / streams in the catchment area, improve water			
	security in Imphal by utilization of stored water in Lamphelpat			
	waterbody as additional source of drinking water, and			
	construct green spaces, arc bridge, biodiversity zone and			
	tourism facilities around Lamphelpat waterbody to develop			
	tourism potential of the area. The Project will also enhance			
	environmental and flood management capacity in Imphal			
	through operationalization of real time flood management			
	system with a command center.			
Project Objective	The Project will contribute to improved quality of life and			
	urban sustainability in Imphal city through prevention of			
	floods, improvement of water security, enhancement of			



	environmental situation, and promotion of eco-tourism. The Project is expected to contribute primarily to United Nations Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 13 Climate Action, specifically target 13.1 (Strengthen resilience and adaptive capacity to climate related hazards and natural disasters in all countries). It could also directly contribute to the achievement of SDG 11 Sustainable cities and Communities, and SDG 6 Clean Water and Sanitation.				
Implementation Arrangements	The Project is estimated to be implemented over 5 years. Government of Manipur will be the Project Entity and will implement the Project through its Water Resources Department. Contractors for the Project will be selected through a competitive and transparent bidding process.				
Environmental and Social Information	The Project has been classified as Category B in accordance with the NDB Environment and Social Framework. Key environmental and social (E&S) impacts are associated with dredging of marshy areas of the existing waterbody, resettlement of land users in the vicinity of the Project, disposal of dredged material, and occupational health and safety. Adherence to country systems and implementation of E&S management plans, including the E&S Impact Management Plan will minimize and mitigate these impacts.				
Financing	Source of Fund NDB Government of Manipur			Amount USD 70.27 million INR 1,300 million	
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