





Capacity Building and Institutional Strengthening for Logistics Monitoring and Evaluation Database Development in Cambodia, Lao PDR and Vietnam

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## Project Information







#### **Project Summary**

#### \* Project Title:

"Capacity building and institutional strengthening for Logistics Monitoring and Evaluation Database Development in Cambodia and CLV countries"

#### \* Project Details:

Start date : 01 June 2020 Duration : 24 months

Countries/Regions : Cambodia, Lao PDR, Vietnam

(CLV Countries)

#### \* Brief Description of the Project:

The project aims at developing logistics monitoring and evaluating framework and creating logistics database of CLV countries for analyzing logistics improvement or development in the respective countries. Developing M&E framework and logistics database would provide tangible data of each country or region to develop the strategic plan and/or policy for bettering the logistics system and for the sustainable and reliable logistics development. The project also aims to develop the logistics database system through strengthening the capacity and human resource of public and private sector and to share the best-practices of designing and collecting data among these CLV countries.

#### Project Objectives:

- Short term objective: to enhance capacity of government officials in developing logistics database and M&E framework for monitoring and evaluating logistics in Mekong region, particularly Cambodia, Lao PDR, and Vietnam.
- Medium term objective: to develop logistics M&E guide for the development of logistics in the Mekong region.
- Long term objective: to develop a central logistics database system for Mekong region to enable sustainable logistics development in Cambodia and Mekong region.

#### \* Project Outputs:

- Enhanced capacity and skills of Logistics M&E officials associated to statistical management skill, knowledge, stock gathering and data processing
- 2. Strengthened M&E capacity for the logistics management and development sector
- 3. Developed M&E Framework and tool for logistics sector in Cambodia and CLV countries
- Designed logistics database system for CLV countries and Geodatabase for logistics system in Cambodia
- Documented knowledge products: a case study for the baseline of logistics development sector in Cambodia and a follow-up case study for logistics M&E report in Cambodia

#### \* Project Activities:

 Desktop literature review (to understand and learnt existing or past experience of M&E framework and database development in

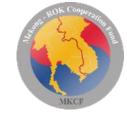
- developed countries and/or any country that has senior year of experience);
- Result from desktop literature review will be gathered and formulate to have a conceptual report involving SWOT analysis approach;
- Workshop and Seminar arrangement for gathering the expert and academia to provide inputs and sharing knowledge on the M&E framework and database related to logistics in Cambodia and/or Mekong Region;
- Conduct in-house and oversea training associated to M&E skill and database management in logistics sector;
- Technical exchange visit in third country;
- Developing M&E framework and guidebook for tracking and tracing the logistics in Cambodia and Mekong region (CLV countries in particular) will be tasked and coordinated with a research institute;
- Conduct a case study and data collection and analysis as part of on-job-training.

#### \* Project Benefits:

- Capacity building for government officials on basic logistics system, data collection and management of statistics logistics related to CLV countries
- Opportunity to learn modern logistics system and modern data management system of developed countries; particularly Korea or Thailand, through study tours and trainings
- Opportunity to build each countries' logistics database in a shared-common platform of CLV logistics database
- Enhancement of logistics connectivity within CLV countries as well as the Mekong Region.







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# Key Achievement of Project's Activities



## 1. The Inception Workshop of the project

The Inception Workshop of the Project was held on 30 August 2021 via video conference to kick-start the project implementation.









## 2. The drafted Training Module





#### Project

"Support Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT) to implement a 3<sup>rd</sup> phase – Mekong-ROK Cooperation Fund (MKCF) supported project

Capacity building and institutional strengthening for Logistics Monitoring and Evaluation Database Development in Cambodia and CLV countries

Training Module and M&E Framework and Tool

Measuring and Monitoring Logistics Performance

Data Collection, Processing, Analysis, Dissemination



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The drafted Training Module were completed by the International and national consultant.

During this process, several technical meetings were held with GDL/PIA.









## 3. The Training Workshop

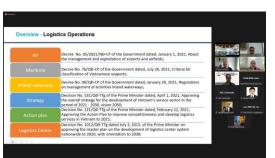
The first session of "The training and Knowledge Sharing Workshop for Capacity Building and Institutional Strengthening for Logistics Monitoring and Evaluation Database Development in Cambodia and CLV countries" were successfully held from 28-29 April 2022 in hybrid format. The PIA also plan to conducted the second session in May.















# Key Challenges Facing



- Various project activities faced some delays due to covid-19 pandemic.
- Various project activities were revised and transformed to online/hybrid platform including workshop, training and meeting.
- The project also faced financial challenges including time consuming for opening project's bank account, inflation cost, and revision of budget for changing nature of project activities due to covid-19 pandemic.



## 04

## **Way Forward**



- Conduct 2<sup>nd</sup> session of Training workshop, titled "strengthen M&E capacity for the logistics management and development sector", to be held in Cambodia
- Conduct Training Workshop and Exchange Visit in Korea and third country (Lao PDR/Vietnam)
- Develop Database for Logistics, data collection instrument and logistics data collection
- Develop Web-based Logistics Database
- Develop Geodatabase for logistics







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