Implementation Status & Results
Vietnam
Vietnam - Strengthening Public Procurement Legislation (P129374)

Operation Name: Vietnam - Strengthening Public Procurement Legislation (P129374)
Project Stage: Implementation
Seq.No: 2
Status: ARCHIVED
Archive Date: 08-Dec-2014

Country: Vietnam
Approval FY: 2012
Product Line: Institutional Development Fund
Region: EAST ASIA AND PACIFIC
Implementing Agency(ies): Public Procurement Agency

Key Dates
Board Approval Date: 21-Dec-2011
Original Closing Date: 13-Jul-2015
Planned Mid Term Review Date: 16-Jul-2014
Last Archived ISR Date: 30-Jan-2013
Effectiveness Date: 13-Jul-2012
Revised Closing Date: 13-Jul-2015
Actual Mid Term Review Date: 09-Jul-2014

Project Development Objectives

To strengthen the public procurement system through (a) developing a new public procurement law and implementation decree; and (b) building capacity for law implementation and enforcement.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project?
○ Yes  ○ No

Component(s)

Component Name
Development of the Public Procurement Law and the Implementing Decree
Training of Trainers in Law Implementation
Financial Audit
Component Cost
160000.00
50000.00
10000.00

Overall Ratings
Progress towards achievement of PDO
Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)
Satisfactory
Overall Risk Rating
Low

Implementation Status Overview
The main deliverables under the project have either been completed or are close to being delivered. These include the drafting of the Public Procurement Law which was passed by the National Assembly on November 26, 2013 and has been effective since July 1, 2014 and is in use. In addition, the project has supported PPA to prepare accompanying decrees and regulations to guide the implementation of the law. Currently, the decree for bidder selection has been approved and operational since August 2014, whilst the decree for investor selection has gone through final stages of review and about to be presented to the Prime Minister for approval. It is expected to be approved by the end of the year, 2014.
Furthermore, the draft standard bidding document for Engineering Procurement Contracts (EPC) is now being reviewed by PPA and comments should be submitted to the consultant for finalization by November 30. The final SBD should be ready by early January 2015.

Finally, four out of the five training workshops designed to train trainers and sensitize stakeholders on the new public procurement law have been executed to provide better understanding of the law to citizens and users. The last batch of training of trainers on the investor selection decree is expected to be completed in February 2015 when Prime Minister's assent would have been received. Overall, project implementation has gone very smoothly and no issues are expected before the project closes in July 2015. Auditing of the project funds is also up to date with no issues outstanding.

**Locations**

No Location data has been entered

**Results**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Indicators</th>
<th>Core</th>
<th>Unit of Measure</th>
<th>Baseline</th>
<th>Current</th>
<th>End Target</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Existing Procurement Legislation Amended in line with international standards and good practices</td>
<td>Date</td>
<td>20130701</td>
<td>20131126</td>
<td>26-Nov-2013</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Date</td>
<td>01-Jul-2013</td>
<td>20140610</td>
<td>27-Feb-2015</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Comments</td>
<td>None existence of amended procurement law</td>
<td>Procurement Law amended and approved by National Assembly</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Data on Financial Performance (as of 07-Jul-2014)**

**Financial Agreement(s) Key Dates**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Project</th>
<th>Ln/Gr/Tf</th>
<th>Status</th>
<th>Approval Date</th>
<th>Signing Date</th>
<th>Effectiveness Date</th>
<th>Original Closing Date</th>
<th>Revised Closing Date</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>

**Disbursements**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Project</th>
<th>Ln/Gr/Tf</th>
<th>Status</th>
<th>Currency</th>
<th>Original</th>
<th>Revised</th>
<th>Cancelled</th>
<th>Disbursed</th>
<th>Undisbursed</th>
<th>% Disbursed</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>P129374</td>
<td>TF-11596</td>
<td>Effective</td>
<td>USD</td>
<td>0.22</td>
<td>0.22</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>0.17</td>
<td>0.06</td>
<td>75.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Key Decisions Regarding Implementation
Project implementation has progressed satisfactorily per planned schedules and is likely to achieve all the outcomes. There are no major issues for Management action.

Restructuring History
There has been no restructuring to date.

Related Projects
There are no related projects.