



Development of a National Welfare Monitoring System (P158751)

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Implementing Agencies: Government of Turkmenistan, State Statistics Committee

Key Dates

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Bank Approval Date:30-Dec-2016

Effectiveness Date:20-Jul-2017

Original Closing Date:20-Jul-2019

Revised Closing Date:20-Jul-2019

Project Development Objectives

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The development objective of the project is to support the Government of Turkmenistan in strengthening its national welfare monitoring system.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

No

Components

Name

Overall Ratings

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO	● Moderately Unsatisfactory	● Moderately Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	● Moderately Satisfactory	● Moderately Satisfactory

Implementation Status and Key Decisions

The project became effective on July 20, 2017. After initial significant delays in implementation the project is back on track:

Tablets were purchased and delivered to the State Statistical Committee (later - SSC), although with significant delays. Trainings on SPSS, data cleaning and processing, output tables and etc. are delivered on time. A pilot for a labor force survey in CAPI (tablets) was successfully conducted. Use of tablets should reduce time for data collection and respondents' burden respectively. The draft manual on welfare measurement methodology, including syntax files) is developed and under consideration by SSC. New Questionnaire with the focus on SDGs is developed and under consideration by SSC. Activities on weights and sampling are delivered as well. A new sampling frame designed to reduce burden on



respondents and number of interviewed households.

Risks

Overall Risk Rating

Risk Category	Rating at Approval	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Overall	--	● Substantial	● Substantial

Results

Project Development Objective Indicators

►Developed methodology for welfare measurement (Text, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No methodology.	An introductory mission of the consultant took place during September 6-12, 2018. The consultant in collaboration with SSC has been working on data cleaning and dataset preparation. A review of the current welfare estimation methodology is under preparation.	A current welfare estimation methodology is reviewed. A draft manual for welfare measurement methodology is prepared and under consideration by the State Statistical Committee	Methodology developed.
Date	16-Nov-2016	17-Sep-2018	15-Jun-2019	20-Jul-2019

Overall Comments

Intermediate Results Indicators



►Number of SSC staff trained in SPSS (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	7.00	11.00	10.00
Date	16-Nov-2016	17-Sep-2018	13-May-2019	20-Jul-2019

►Number of staff trained in measuring welfare (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	11.00	6.00
Date	16-Nov-2016	17-Sep-2018	13-May-2019	20-Jul-2019

►New HBS questionnaire completed (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	None	After cancelation of the tender due to rejection of the first and second winners of the tender, the SSC announced retendering of the position The deadline for applications was September 14, 2018. SSC has started evaluation process.	A new questionnaire is developed and under consideration by the State Statistical Committee	Questionnaire completed
Date	16-Nov-2016	17-Sep-2018	15-Jun-2019	19-Jul-2019

►New approach to address non-response; new weights estimated (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	The contract with the consultant was signed in September 2018. The consultant started preparation and assessment of the current weighting and	A new sampling frame and weights calculation is developed. The sampling frame focused on reduction of respondents burden and reduces number of visits	New weights estimated.




		sampling methodology.	of each household from 12 to 4. Methodology to calculate new weights is developed and addresses non-response issue.	
Date	16-Nov-2016	17-Sep-2018	15-Jun-2019	19-Jul-2019

▶Pilot of CAPI completed for 30 households (Text, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	None	The contract with the consultant was signed in September 2018. The consultant started preparation.	New technologies (tablets) to collect the labor force survey data were successfully tested using the Survey Solution software. A pilot for questionnaire in accordance to the ILO standards was successfully conducted	Pilot completed for 30 households.
Date	16-Nov-2016	17-Sep-2018	15-Jun-2019	19-Jul-2019

Overall Comments

Data on Financial Performance

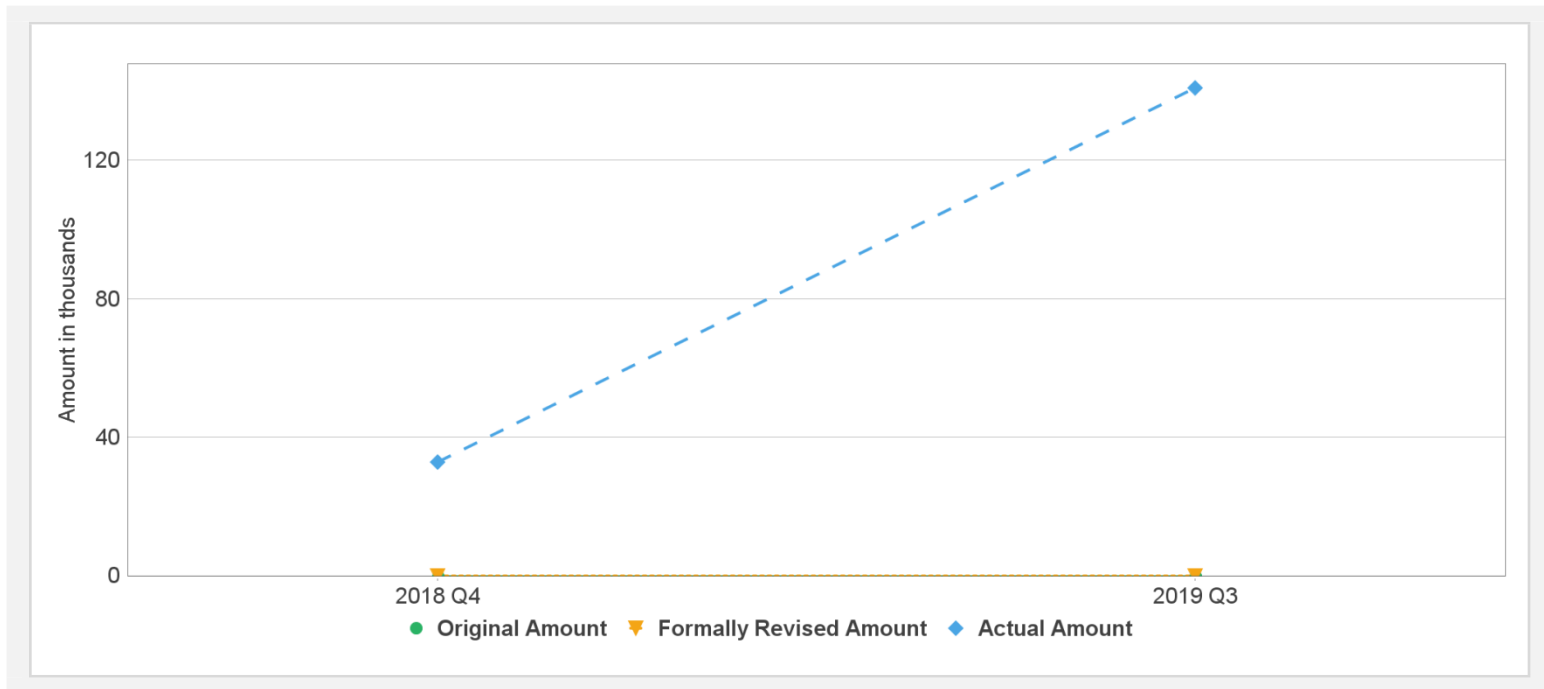
Disbursements (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	Disbursed
P158751	TF-A4135	Effective	USD	0.33	0.33	0.00	0.14	0.19	 43%

Key Dates (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Orig. Closing Date	Rev. Closing Date
P158751	TF-A4135	Effective	30-Dec-2016	15-Mar-2017	20-Jul-2017	20-Jul-2019	20-Jul-2019

Cumulative Disbursements



Restructuring History

There has been no restructuring to date.

Related Project(s)

There are no related projects.