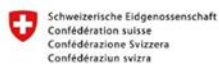


Country: VIETNAM	Status: ToR DEVELOPMENT	Key Sector(s): FLOOD & DRAINAGE, WASTEWATER
PROPONENTS		Geography and Population
Can Tho People's Committee 3A Nguyen Trai Street, Ninh Kieu District, Can Tho City Socialist Republic of Vietnam Phone: (+84) 0913823473 (+84) 0931942921 Website: http://www.cantho.gov.vn	Mr. Le Hung Dung Chairman Can Tho People's Committee Phone: (+84) 0913823473 (+84) 0931942921 Email:	Area: 1,400 km ² Population: 1,200,000 Can Tho City is the biggest city in the Mekong Delta. It is located on the south bank of the An River, the bigger branch of the Mekong River. It is 169 km from Ho Chi Minh City.
Central State Partner Ministry of Planning and Investment (MPI)	Other Partners T.B.C	
KEY CITY DEVELOPMENT ISSUES		
The overall city's development plans focus on the following areas: i) Can Tho's Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) covers only about 20% of the city's total households; most of the city's wastewater is disposed in the environment. ii) Due to climate change and tidal increases in river level (twice a month from September to November), many streets are flooded up to 30cm even when there is no rain. The situation is much worse during monsoon season. These issues highlight the need to: (a) expand the existing WWTP and provide satellite wastewater treatment facilities; (b) improve the city's drainage infrastructure to facilitate acceptable evacuation of flood water.		Administratively, Can Tho City constitutes an independent municipality at the same level as provinces of Vietnam.
DETAILS OF COOPERATION		
CDIA-supported activities include: a) Preparation of a Pre-feasibility Study (PFS) focusing on "Integrated Wastewater and Drainage Management" through (i) the improvement of sanitation and drainage infrastructure and the development of a long term strategic plan for the management and development of these infrastructures; (ii) analysis and preparation of an investment project to ensure the delivery of more benefits than costs; (iii) due diligence on social and environmental safeguards; and (iv) improved governance arrangements via institutional strengthening and capacity development. b) Cooperation with ADB, GIZ and SECO. Linkage of above-mentioned studies with the ADB Water and Sanitation Program (2018-2029).		Intervention Areas 
EXPECTED DEVELOPMENTAL IMPACTS <u>Environment and Climate Change</u> Reduce untreated wastewater discharged into river system, increase access to improved sanitation and reduce losses due to inundations. <u>Pro-Poor and Social Inclusiveness</u> CDIA interventions on drainage and flood protection in combination with wastewater management aim to reduce vulnerability of the urban poor. While the official poverty rate read 8.12% in 2013, a substantial number of people drifting into the city from poor rural areas are not accounted for. It is particularly the living conditions of these people, living in densely populated and flood prone areas, which the project is targeting with an inclusive approach: by paying special attention to peri-urban areas and rural-urban linkages, establishing access to affordable and adequate services, and setting up an inclusive tariff system.		Source of Image: Wikipedia.org City of Can Tho  Source of Image: Wikipedia.org Flood Market at Can Tho
PROJECT PERIOD	Q1 – Q3 2016	EXPECTED INVESTMENT FOLLOW UP
CDIA SUPPORT	USD 250,000	Est. infrastructure investment value USD 120m Potential sources of financing ADB Water Supply and Sanitation Program (2019-2029) Vietnam
CITY CONTRIBUTION	20% of CDIA Total Contribution (in kind)	



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