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ABBREVIATIONS

ADB	–	Asian Development Bank
ADF	–	Asian Development Fund
COBP	–	country operations business plan
CPS	–	country partnership strategy
OCR	–	ordinary capital resources
SME	–	small and medium-sized enterprise
TRTA	–	transaction technical assistance

NOTE

In this report, "\$" refers to US dollars.

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I. CONSISTENCY OF BUSINESS PLAN WITH COUNTRY PARTNERSHIP STRATEGY

1. The Country Operations Business Plan (COBP) 2018–2020 of the Asian Development Bank (ADB) is consistent with the Georgia country partnership strategy (CPS) 2014–2018, and the ADB strategic planning directions for 2017, focusing on sustainable transport, regional connectivity, and economic corridor development.¹ The CPS and COBP are in line with the ADB Midterm Review of Strategy 2020,² the Socio-economic Development Strategy of Georgia,³ and the Georgian government’s “Four-Point Action Plan.”⁴

2. The COBP will support the government to (i) improve internal and regional market connectivity to enhance private sector competitiveness and broaden access to economic opportunities; (ii) provide reliable drinking water, sewerage, and sanitation services, particularly in secondary cities and towns that are potential hubs for agribusiness, tourism, and regional trade; (iii) improve the security and stability of electric power systems, especially for communities in lagging regions; (iv) strengthen public sector management for domestic resource mobilization, private sector and small and medium-sized enterprise (SME) development; and (v) increase access to finance and promote financial inclusion, particularly for microenterprises and SMEs. Further, ADB will partner with the government to support skills development for sustainable infrastructure through a technical assistance (TA) in 2020.⁵ ADB’s strategic approach, development outcomes and the indicative assistance pipeline were agreed with the government (Appendixes 1 and 2).

II. INDICATIVE RESOURCE PARAMETERS

3. Georgia, a group C developing member country, is eligible for regular ordinary capital resources (OCR) lending. The indicative resources available during 2018–2020 for sovereign operations amount to \$600 million. Georgia’s proposed firm lending pipeline for 2018–2020 is \$800 million, subject to resource availability and project readiness (Appendix 2). Cofinancing and funding from other sources, including the regular OCR regional cooperation and integration set-aside, will be explored to augment the annual indicative resource allocation.

4. ADB private sector operations in Georgia will explore new investments in trade finance, bank and non-bank financial and infrastructure sectors, and agribusinesses. Support to development of microenterprises and SMEs will continue.

III. SUMMARY OF CHANGES TO LENDING AND NONLENDING PROGRAMS

A. Lending Products

5. The two new lending operations proposed for the 2018–2020 COBP include (i) the \$100 million Kvesheti–Kobi Road Project, a firm loan for 2019; and (ii) the \$50 million Rural Financial Inclusion and SME Sector Development Project, a standby loan in 2020 (Appendix 1). The schedule of some projects has been revised since the 2017–2019 COBP in response to evolving

¹ ADB. 2014. *Country Partnership Strategy: Georgia 2014–2018*. Manila.

² ADB. 2014. *Midterm Review of Strategy 2020: Meeting Challenges of a Transforming Asia and Pacific*. Manila.

³ Government of Georgia. 2014. *Socio-economic Development Strategy of Georgia (Georgia 2020)*. Tbilisi.

⁴ Government of Georgia. 2016. *Freedom, Rapid Development, Prosperity–Government Program 2016–2020*. Tbilisi. The “Four-Point Action Plan” is for infrastructure, business environment, human resources and good governance.

⁵ The COBP does not cover health and education sectors. The health sector is largely privatized, while the education sector comprises both public and private entities. Both sectors receive significant amounts of private sector investment. The education sector is supported extensively by other development partners, through the Millennium Challenge Corporation and European Commission grant funding.

client needs, to incorporate cofinancing opportunities, and to further deepen ADB support for Georgia's development outcomes. Namely, (i) the \$50 million E70 Batumi–Sarpi Road Project has been moved from 2018 firm to 2018 standby and 2019 firm, to accommodate the project preparation process; (ii) the \$10 million project design advance for the Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program has been moved from 2018 firm to 2018 standby and 2019 firm, to enable executing agencies to achieve sufficient project readiness before project approval; (iii) the \$50 million Water Sector Development Program planned as a standby loan in 2019 has been moved to the firm pipeline; (iv) the \$50 million Power Transmission Network Rehabilitation Project has been moved from 2019 firm to 2019 standby and 2020 firm, in response to the government's current investment priorities; (v) the \$100 million Enhancing Efficiency of Public Sector Management Program Subprogram 1 in the 2018 pipeline has been moved from firm to standby in 2018 and firm in 2019, and renamed the Second Domestic Resource Mobilization Program, Subprogram 1. Delivery of subprogram 1 and its timing will depend on the pace of reforms and the government's need for support in the areas covered. Subprogram 2 has been included in the firm pipeline for 2020; (vi) the \$100 million Transport System Connectivity Investment Project, previously standby for 2018 and firm for 2019, has been moved to standby in 2019 and firm in 2020, as the project is still in an early design phase; and (vii) the \$100 million Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program, Tranche 1, previously standby for 2018 and firm for 2019, has been moved to 2020 standby, to allow sufficient time for project preparation.

B. Nonlending Products and Services

6. An estimated \$7.1 million in TA grants during 2018–2020 will support project preparation, capacity development, and policy advice. About 89% of TA grant funding is allocated for project and program preparation, and about 11% for skills development for sustainable infrastructure. Drivers of change—including private sector development, good governance and capacity development, gender equity, knowledge solutions and partnerships—are integrated into the proposed projects and programs.

7. Two new transaction TA programs are proposed: (i) \$1 million for Preparing the Kvesheti–Kobi Road Project, firm in 2018; and (ii) \$0.5 million for Preparing the Rural Financial Inclusion and SME Sector Development Project, standby for 2018 and firm for 2019.

8. The nonlending product pipeline has been updated. Namely: (i) transaction TA for Promoting Innovative Financing for Hydropower Development has been cancelled. This TA is no longer required with increased private investments in this sector; (ii) transaction TA for the Power Transmission Network Rehabilitation Project has been moved from the 2017 firm pipeline to the 2018 firm pipeline in accordance with the government's sector plan (Appendix 3); (iii) policy and advisory TA for Development for Public–Private Partnerships has been combined with the transaction TA Support for Public Sector Management and Efficient Public Service Delivery, given the programmatic nature of the ongoing upstream support for public–private partnerships, and this \$1 million TA has been moved from 2017 to 2018 firm pipeline. TA 8716: Strengthening Domestic Resource Mobilization will continue to support the ongoing reforms in the interim; (iv) transaction TA for Preparing the Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program has been moved from firm in 2018 to standby in 2018 and firm in 2019 to accommodate ongoing diagnostic work; and (v) transaction TA for Skills Development for Sustainable Infrastructure has been moved from firm in 2019 to standby in 2019 and firm in 2020, given the government's current development assistance demand in this sector.

9. Additional knowledge products and services have been included in the 2018–2020 pipeline, as provided in Appendix 4.

COUNTRY ASSISTANCE RESULTS AREAS

Key Country Development Outcomes that ADB Contributes to	ADB		
	Key Areas of Assistance	Indicative Resource Allocation in 2018–2020	Changes from Last COBP
1. Transport			
More people have access to an efficient, reliable, safe, and sustainable transport system, including in urban areas	<p>Construction and rehabilitation of expressways, national, secondary, and urban roads</p> <p>Road and sector-wide transport policies and reforms</p> <p>Road maintenance and road safety</p> <p>Public transport and urban transport planning and reforms</p>	<p>Amount: \$500 million and \$250 million cofinancing</p> <p>Share of COBP envelope: 62.5%</p>	Indicative allocation for transport increased by \$21 million owing to expanded support for road corridor development
2. Water and other urban infrastructure and services			
More people have access to good quality, reliable, and continuous water supply and improved sanitation services	<p>Drinking water and sanitation systems, and wastewater management</p> <p>Urban planning, tariff policy reforms, and sector development</p>	<p>Amount: \$50 million</p> <p>Share of COBP envelope: 6.25%</p>	Indicative allocation decreased by \$60 million as all tranches of current MFF have been approved and new results-based loan amount has been decreased by \$50 million in line with the scope of support agreed with the government
3. Energy			
<p>More people use improved domestic energy supply</p> <p>Increased energy trade with neighboring countries</p>	<p>Power generation, electricity transmission, renewable energy, and energy efficiency</p> <p>Energy sector policy and regulation, and management improvement</p>	<p>Amount: \$50 million</p> <p>Share of COBP envelope: 6.25%</p>	Indicative allocation remains unchanged
4. Public sector management			
<p>Increased fiscal consolidation and efficient utilization of public resources</p> <p>Improved efficiency in public administration to promote public–private partnerships</p>	<p>Management of debt and fiscal risks</p> <p>Tax administration strengthening</p> <p>Legal and regulatory framework for enhancing domestic savings and capital markets</p>	<p>Amount: \$100 million</p> <p>Share of COBP envelope: 12.5%</p>	Indicative allocation has increased by \$50 million as two tranches are planned under this program loan during the COBP period

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	Strengthening of monitoring of contingent liabilities stemming from PPPs and SOEs through a transparent and competitive PPP framework and best international accounting practice. Expanding the SOE coverage and quasi-fiscal activities in line with enhanced reporting of fiscal risks		
5. Finance			
<p>Nonbank finance sector provides increased levels of financial intermediation</p> <p>Increased use of efficient and reliable financial services by MSMEs</p> <p>Effective deposit insurance system in place</p>	<p>Finance sector development, money and capital markets, insurance and contractual savings, small and medium-sized enterprise finance</p> <p>Implementing the roadmap for capital markets, drafting the legislation and support extended to the Insurance State Supervision Service of Georgia and to the institutional development of the future pension agency</p> <p>Development of the banking sector, bank resolution, liquidity supply, domestic savings, capital markets and contractual savings arrangements</p>	<p>Amount: \$100 million</p> <p>Share of COBP envelope: 12.5%</p>	<p>Indicative allocation has increased by \$50 million as two tranches are planned under this program loan during the COBP period</p>

ADB = Asian Development Bank; COBP = country operations business plan; MFF = multitranche financing facility; MSMEs = micro, small and medium-sized enterprises; PPP = public–private partnership; SOE = state-owned enterprise.

Source: ADB estimates.

INDICATIVE ASSISTANCE PIPELINE

Table A2.1: Lending Products, 2018–2020

Project/Program Name	Sector	Poverty Targeting	Strategic Agendas and Drivers of Change	Division	Year of TRTA / PDA	Cost (\$ million)						
						ADB				Gov't	Co-finance	
						Total	Regular OCR	COL	ADF Grants			Total
2018 Firm												
E60 Khevi–Ubisa Road Project	TRA	GI	RCI, PAR	CWTC	2016	315.0	250.0	0.0	0.0	250.0	65.0	0.0
Total						315.0	250.0	0.0	0.0	250.0	65.0	0.0
2018 Standby												
Second Domestic Resource Mobilization Program, Subprogram 1 (PBL)	PSM/FIN	GI	GCD, GEM, KNS, PAR, PSD	CWPF	2017	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
E70 Batumi–Sarpi Road Project	TRA	GI	RCI, PAR	CWTC		118.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	18.0	50.0
Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program (PDA) ^a	WUS	GI	ESG	CWUW		10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 ^b	0.0	0.0
Total						228.0	150.0	0.0	0.0	150.0	18.0	50.0
2019 Firm												
Second Domestic Resource Mobilization Program, Subprogram 1 (PBL)	PSM/FIN	GI	GCD, GEM, KNS, PAR, PSD	CWPF	2017	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
E70 Batumi–Sarpi Road	TRA	GI	RCI, PAR	CWTC		118.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	18.0	50.0
Kvesheti–Kobi Road Project	TRA	GI	RCI, PAR	CWTC		240.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	40.0	100.0
Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program (PDA) ^a	WUS	GI	ESG	CWUW		10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 ^b	0.0	0.0
Water Sector Development Program (RBL)	WUS	GI	ESG, PAR	CWUW		59.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	9.0	0.0
Total						527.0	300.0	0.0	0.0	300.0	67.0	150.0
2019 Standby												
Power Transmission Network Rehabilitation Project	ENE	GI	ESG, GCD, PAR	CWEN	2016	59.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	9.0	0.0
Transport System Connectivity Investment Project–Tbilisi Bypass Road	TRA	GI	RCI, PAR	CWTC		236.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	36.0	100.0
Total						295.0	150.0	0.0	0.0	150.0	45.0	100.0

Project/Program Name	Sector	Poverty Targeting	Strategic Agendas and Drivers of Change	Division	Year of TRTA / PDA	Cost (\$ million)						
						ADB				Gov't	Co-finance	
						Total	Regular OCR	COL	ADF Grants			Total
2020 Firm												
Power Transmission Network Rehabilitation Project	ENE	GI	ESG, GCD, PAR	CWEN	2016	59.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	9.0	0.0
Second Domestic Resource Mobilization Program, Subprogram 2 (PBL)	PSM/FIN	GI	GCD, GEM, KNS, PAR, PSD	CWPF	2017	100.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Transport System Connectivity Investment Project–Tbilisi Bypass	TRA	GI	RCI, PAR	CWTC	2017	236.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	36.0	100.0
Total						395.0	250.0	0.0	0.0	250.0	45.0	100.0
2020 Standby												
Rural Financial Inclusion and SME Sector Development Project	FIN	GI	PSD, PAR	CWPF	2019	50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0
MFF Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program, Tranche 1	TRA	GI	ESG, PAR	CWUW	2019	218.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	18.0	100.0
Total						268.0	150.0	0.0	0.0	150.0	18.0	100.0

ADB = Asian Development Bank; ADF = Asian Development Fund; COL = concessional OCR lending; CWEN = Energy Division; CWPF = Public Management, Financial Sector, and Trade Division; CWTC = Transport and Communications Division; CWUW = Urban Development and Water Division; ENE = energy; ESG = environmentally sustainable growth; FIN = finance; GCD = governance and capacity development; GEM = gender equity and mainstreaming; GI = general intervention; Gov't = government; KNS = knowledge solutions; MFF = multitranches financing facility; OCR = ordinary capital resources; PAR = partnerships; PBL = policy-based lending; PDA = project design advance; PSD = private sector development; PSM = public sector management; RBL = results-based lending; RCI = regional integration; TRA = transport; TRTA = transaction technical assistance; WUS = water supply and other urban infrastructure and services.

^aThe PDA will be refinanced by the ensuing \$100 million regular OCR loan for Tranche 1 of the MFF Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program scheduled under the 2020 standby pipeline.

^bThe total cost and total financing do not tally because of the PDA estimated, at \$10 million, which will be refinanced by the ensuing loan scheduled under the 2020 pipeline.

Source: ADB estimates.

Table A2.2: Nonlending Products and Services, 2018–2020

Assistance Name	Sector	Division	Assistance Type	Sources of Funding				Total (\$'000)
				ADB		Others		
				Source	Amount (\$'000)	Source	Amount (\$'000)	
2018 Firm								
Preparing the Power Transmission Network Rehabilitation Project	ENE	CWEN	TRTA	TASF	1,000.0		0.0	1,000.0
Support for Public Sector Management and Efficient Public Service Delivery	PSM, FIN	CWPF	TRTA	TASF	1,500.0		0.0	1,500.0
Preparing the Transport System Connectivity Investment Project–Tbilisi Bypass	TRA	CWTC	TRTA	TASF	500.0		0.0	500.0
Preparing the Kvesheti–Kobi Road Project	TRA	CWTC	TRTA	TASF	1,000.0		0.0	1,000.0
Preparing the Water Sector Development Investment Program	WUS	CWUW	TRTA	TASF	1,000.0		0.0	1,000.0
Total					5,000.0		0.0	5,000.0
2018 Standby								
Preparing the Rural Financial Inclusion and SME Sector Development Project	FIN	CWPF	TRTA	TASF	500.0		0.0	500.0
Preparing the Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program	TRA, WUS	CWUW	TRTA	TASF	800.0		0.0	800.0
Total					1,300.0		0.0	1,300.0
2019 Firm								
Preparing the Rural Financial Inclusion and SMEs Sector Development Project	FIN	CWPF	TRTA	TASF	500.0		0.0	500.0
Preparing the Sustainable Cities Development Investment Program	TRA, WUS	CWUW	TRTA	TASF	800.0		0.0	800.0
Total					1,300.0		0.0	1,300.0
2019 Standby								
Skills Development for Sustainable Infrastructure	MUL	CWSS	TRTA	TASF	800.0		0.0	800.0
Total					800.0		0.0	800.0
2020 Firm								
Skills Development for Sustainable Infrastructure	MUL	CWSS	TRTA	TASF	800.0		0.0	800.0
Total					800.0		0.0	800.0

ADB = Asian Development Bank; CWEN = Energy Division; CWPF = Public Management, Financial Sector, and Trade Division; CWSS = Social Sector Division; CWTC = Transport and Communications Division; CWUW = Urban Development and Water Division; ENE = energy; FIN = finance; MUL = multisector; PSM = public sector management; SMEs = small and medium-sized enterprises; TASF = Technical Assistance Special Fund; TRA = transport; TRTA = transaction technical assistance; WUS = water supply and other urban infrastructure and services.

Source: ADB estimates.

ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR CURRENT YEAR

Table A3.1: Lending Products, 2017

Project/Program Name ^a	Sector	Poverty Targeting	Strategic Agendas and Drivers of Change	Division	Year of TRTA/PDA	Cost (\$ million)						
						Total	ADB			Gov't	Co-finance	
							Regular OCR	COL	ADF Grants			Total
2017 Firm												
Secondary Road Improvement Project (Kharagauli)	TRA	GI	GCD, PAR	CWTC	2013	94.4	80.0	0.0	0.0	80.0	14.4	0.0
E70 Batumi Bypass Road Project	TRA	GI	GCD, PAR	CWTC	2009	315.2	114.0	0.0	0.0	114.0	87.2	114.0
MFF Sustainable Urban Transport Investment Program, Tranche 5	TRA	GI	ESG, GCD, KNS, PAR	CWUW		43.2	36.0	0.0	0.0	36.0	7.2	0.0
Total						452.8	230.0	0.0	0.0	230.0	108.8	114.0

ADB = Asian Development Bank; ADF = Asian Development Fund; COL = concessional OCR lending; CWTC = Transport and Communications Division; CWUW = Urban Development and Water Division; ESG = environmentally sustainable growth; GCD = governance and capacity development; GI = general intervention; Gov't = government; KNS = knowledge solutions; MFF = multitranchise financing facility; OCR = ordinary capital resources; PAR = partnerships; PDA = project design advance; TRTA = transaction technical assistance; TRA = transport.

^a Given the provisional nature of the indicative lending program, the composition of the lending instruments delivered may change. Investment lending accounted for 55% of sovereign lending approvals during 2014–2016, and conventional policy-based lending for 45%.

Source: ADB estimates.

Table A3.2: Nonlending Products and Services, 2017

Assistance Name	Sector	Division	Assistance Type	Sources of Funding				Total (\$'000)
				ADB		Others		
				Source	Amount (\$'000)	Source	Amount (\$'000)	
Energy Security Enhancement Project	ENE	CWEN	TRTA			AP3F	1,500.0	1,500.0
Total					1,500.0		1,500.0	1,500.0

ADB = Asian Development Bank, AP3F =Asia Pacific Project Preparatory Facility, CWEN = Energy Division, ENE = energy, TRTA = transaction technical assistance.

Source: ADB estimates.

INDICATIVE KNOWLEDGE PUBLICATIONS AND EVENTS

Table A4.1: Knowledge Publications and Events for 2018

Title of Publication or Event	Subject	Type	Department or Sector Group or Thematic Group	Funding Source
Georgia Inclusive Urban Area Guidelines for Accessible Tourism in Georgia: Adapting the Built Environment for the Differently-abled, Elderly, Women and Children	Urban Development	Publication and documentation	CWRD	TA 9220
Georgia Integrated Urban Plans	Urban Development	Publication and documentation	CWRD	TA 9220
Design-Build-Operate Contracts for Sewage Treatment Plants in Georgia ^a	Water	Publication and documentation	CWRD	P 43405
Water Sector Regulation Review in Georgia ^b	Water	Publication and documentation	CWRD	L 2749
Promoting Gender Inclusive Infrastructure Projects in Central and West Asia	Gender	Training or capacity development	CWRD	RETA 9088
Country Gender Assessment	Gender	Publication and documentation	CWRD	RETA 9088
Gender Mainstreaming in Climate Change and Disaster Risk Management	Gender	Training or capacity development	SDCC	RETA 9088
GAP Implementation Sub-Regional Lateral Learning	Gender	Training or capacity development	CWRD, SDCC	TA Pipeline
Asian Development Outlook 2018, Update and Supplements	Economics	Publication and documentation	ERCD	TA pipeline, Admin Core Budget
Toolkits on Disaster Risk Financing	Disaster Risk Financing	Publication and documentation	ERCD	TA pipeline, Admin Core Budget
Asian Economic Integration Report, 2018	Capacity Development, Economics, Finance, Industry and Trade, and Regional cooperation and integration	Training or capacity development	ERCD	TA pipeline, Admin Core Budget
Key Indicators for Asia and Pacific	Capacity Development/ Economics/Governance and Public Sector Management	Publication and documentation	ERCD	TA pipeline, Admin Core Budget

Title of Publication or Event	Subject	Type	Department or Sector Group or Thematic Group	Funding Source
Country Assistance Program Evaluation for Georgia	Capacity Development, Economics, Finance, Industry and Trade, and Regional cooperation	Technical study	IED	TA pipeline, Admin Core Budget
Asia Clean Energy Forum 2018	Energy, Environment, Finance, Regional Cooperation and Integration	Event organization	SDCC, Energy Sector Group	TA 8953
Asia Solar Energy Forum 12th Meeting	Climate Change, Energy, Environment, Finance, Capacity Development	Event organization	SDCC, Energy Sector Group	TA 8953
Future Cities, Future Women Initiative	Gender	Publication and documentation	SDCC, Gender Equity	TA pipeline
Policy Brief and Country Background Paper on Inclusive Economic Development in Georgia	Economics	Publication and documentation	CWRD	TA 8936
Policy Brief and Country Background Paper on Employment and Labor Market Policies in Georgia	Economics	Publication and documentation	CWRD	TA 8936
Policy Brief and Country Background Paper on Enabling Inclusive Growth through IFI Operations in Georgia	Economics	Publication and documentation	CWRD	TA 8936
Country Background Paper on Policy Responses to External Macroeconomic Shocks in Georgia	Economics	Publication and documentation	CWRD	TA 8936
Total number of publications = 14 Total number of events = 6				

Admin = administrative, Central and West Asia Department, ERCD = Economic Research and Regional Cooperation Department, GAP = gender action plan, IED = Independent Evaluation Department, IFI= international financial institutions, L = loan, P = project, RETA= regional technical assistance, SDCC = Sustainable Development and Climate Change Department, TA = technical assistance.

Note: "Publications" may include databases, multimedia, and other forms of documentation. "Events" may include event organization and training or capacity development.

^a This publication has been moved from 2017 to 2018; the modality this publication will present is currently under preparation.

^b This publication has been moved from 2017 to 2018; the preparatory work is ongoing.

Source: Asian Development Bank.

Table A4.2: Additional Knowledge Publications and Events Delivered in 2017

Title of Publication or Event	Subject	Type	Department or Sector Group or Thematic Group	Funding Source
3rd Meeting of CAREC Railway Working Group	Regional Cooperation and Integration	Event organization	CWRD	RETA 8789
16th CAREC Transport Sector Coordinating Committee Meeting	Regional Cooperation and Integration	Event organization	CWRD	RETA 8789
19th CAREC Trade Policy Coordinating Committee Meeting	Regional Cooperation and Integration	Event organization	CWRD	RETA 9156
CAREC Senior Officials Meeting	Regional Cooperation and Integration	Event organization	CWRD	RETA 9156
Energy Investment Forum	Energy	Event organization	CWRD	RETA 9299
Third Asia Pacific Public Electronic Procurement Network Conference	Capacity Development	Event organization	OSFMD	RETA 8520
Total number of events = 6				

CAREC = Central Asia Regional Economic Corridor; CWRD = Central and West Department; OSFMD = Operations, Services and Financial Management Department; RETA = regional technical assistance.

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