

PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

PIP No :

1613

(To be allocated by MOP)

PART A : BASIC PROJECT INFORMATION

(Must be completed in all cases)

1. PROJECT NAME: **Promoting Cambodian Women's Economic Empowerment**
2. PROJECT DATES:
- PROJECT START: **12/13/2022**
- ESTIMATED COMPLETION: **12/13/2027**
3. TOTAL PROJECT COST: **\$3,000**
4. RESPONSIBLE MINISTRY: **Ministry of Women's Affairs**
- RESPONSIBLE UNIT: **Economic Development Department**
- អង្គភាពទទួលខុសត្រូវ: **នាយកដ្ឋានអភិវឌ្ឍន៍សេដ្ឋកិច្ច**
5. PROJECT STATUS: **On Going**

DETAILED PROJECT INFORMATION

6. TYPE OF PROJECT: **Free-standing technical assistance**
7. SOURCE OF PROJECT FUNDING: **Grant**
8. THE POLICY AREA OF THE PENTAGON STRATEGY PHASE I THAT THIS PROJECT FALLS UNDER:V
Side 1. Optimization of Demographic Dividends, Strengthening of Demographic Resilience and Promotion of Gender Equality
9. THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE PROJECT TO ACHIEVE THE ABOVE POLICY:
Promoting Women's Economic Empowerment and strengthening Gender Mainstreaming to leverage the potential of women in the economic sector in particular to in the context of preparation for Digital Economy and the Fourth Industrial Revolution (IR 4.0), strongly in line with MoWA's five-year strategic plan called "Neary Rattanak V (2019-2023) and a rolling strategic plan of MoWA.
10. SUPPORT TO CAMBODIA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPEMENT POLICY:
Does this Project support to the implementation of the Cambodia Industrial Development Policy? **Yes**
Expansion and Modernization of SMEs (Institutional arrangements and incentives, Registration and Accounting Practices, and Promotion of Agro-Industrial Development)
11. SECTOR:
- Gender mainstreaming** **Gender mainstreaming**
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12. PROJECT LOCATION: (Describe the location of the project and its components.)
Phnom Penh,
13. PROJECT OBJECTIVE: (Describe the major purpose of the project.)
The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to formalize a general framework for cooperative relationship and activity between MoWA and Pact in their mutual commitment and strengthen the bilateral cooperation toward promoting Women's Economic Empowerment and strengthening Gender Mainstreaming to leverage the potential of women in the economic sector in particular to in the context of preparation for Digital Economy and the Fourth Industrial Revolution (IR 4.0), strongly in line with MoWA's five-year strategic plan called "Neary Rattanak V (2019-2023) and a rolling strategic plan of MoWA.

14. PROJECT DESCRIPTION: (Provide a description of the project and all its components.)

- Collaborate on expanding opportunities and an enabling environment for women-led businesses with inclusiveness and innovative entrepreneurship.
- Collaborate on expanding the support for women to acquire professional skills, especially in line with the needs of the digital economy and inclusivity: business skills, entrepreneurship, digital marketing skills, and so on, based on needs.
- Promote the attention and support of women's activities in informal micro and small businesses.
- Other potential areas in the future project.

15. PROJECT JUSTIFICATION: (Give reasons why this particular project is considered worthwhile.)

- Support relevant public forums and campaigns to share experiences and inspiration in leadership and to promote gender equality and women's economic empowerment between previous, current, and future generations.
- Promote awareness and seek support for the major challenges and needs of women in MSMEs in national dialogue and policies in response to the context of globalization, the digital economy, and the Fourth Industrial Revolution (IR 4.0). E.g. Support Digital Literacy and Digital Marketing skills to women nominated by Provincial Women Development Center.
- Support relevant Policy Dialogue in promoting gender mainstreaming and women in the informal sector into the policy agenda and intervention. E.g., Constructive Dialogue on presenting policy brief on the major needs of women in the informal economy (street vendors) and recommendations for response and policy interventions.

16. BENIFITS: (Who will benefit, directly and indirectly, from the project?)

- women in MSMEs
- women in the informal sector

17. FEASIBILITY STUDY

Is a Feasibility Study for the project required? **No**

If YES, has it been carried out? **Not yet**

18. SOCIAL & ENVIRONMENT IMPACT: (Briefly describe the effects of the project, if any, on the people and the surrounding enviroment. Will the project assist in alleviating poverty?)

Economic Empowerment for women is essential to reduce poverty.

19. CLIMATE CHANGE

a. Is any activity or output of the project related to Climate Change? **No**

b. How is the project relevant to Climate Change?

Please select a Climate Change related sector of the project and fill up the contribution of the climate change related expenditure compared to the total project cost.

Climate Change-Related Sector	Percentage	Climate Change Relevance
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20. DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

Is any activity or output of the project related to Disaster Risk Reduction? **No**

21. GENDER ANALYSIS: (How does the project affect the roles of the men and women in the project area? Will women be actively involved in the implementation of the project?)

The project will involve women in activities

-Providing a conducive enabling environment for women-owned businesses with a modern and innovative entrepreneurship.

-Opportunities to receive support for women to access professional programs that are in line with the needs of the digital economy and modern, such as: skills in business development, entrepreneurship and digital marketing, etc., tailored to women's needs.

-Promoting attention and support for women's activities related to the development of micro and small businesses, especially informal businesses.

-Opportunities to receive support for other potential activities for future projects for women.

22. CAPACITY TO IMPLEMENT: (Does the Ministry have the skills and experience required to implement the project?)

Yes, MoWA has experiences and human resource to implement the project.

23. STATUS OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION: (Provide a brief update on the progress of the project to date. Discuss any major problems causing delays in project implementation.)

Conducted a small study and compiled the situation of women street vendors to understand the needs, challenges, and prioritize work for women street vendors, and to develop the capacity, skills, and knowledge to develop businesses and increase women's family income.

24. PROJECT PRIORITY: (Please indicates the priority ranking of the project decided by the ministry/agency.)

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25. DONOR INVOLVEMENT: (Provide any information on current or potential donor involvement in the project.)

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PART B : PROJECT COSTS AND FUNDING SOURCES
(In US\$'000)

INVESTMENT COST	2024		2025 Budget	2026 Estimate	2027 Estimate	2028 Estimate	3yr Total 2026-2028	Recurrent Cost Est.
	Budget	Actual						
Operational Expenditure	0.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	0.0
Salaries	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Materials + Admin	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	0.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	0.0
Capital Expenditure	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Construction	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Consultancy (i.e. TA) + Admin	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Equipment+ Furniture	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Training	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL COST	0.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	0.0
FUNDING SOURCES	2024		2025 Budget	2026 Estimate	2027 Estimate	2028 Estimate	3yr Total 2026-2028	
	Budget	Actual						
Project Revenue	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Government Funding	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Cash Input	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Other Resources	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Donor Funding	0.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	
Other	0.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	
TOTAL COMMITTED FUNDING	0.0	3.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	2.0	
FUNDING REQUIRED	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
(Total Cost - Funding Available)								

**Seen and Approved by
Minister**

(Signature)

Date :