EASS/EARD Operations in Education in the People's Republic of China

Objectives

 Strengthen TVET for inclusive growth and sustainable development

Promote universalisation of basic education

through in-depth study for innovation and knowledge sharing

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Ongoing Advisory Technical Assistance

- Shanxi Development Strategy for Technical Vocational Education and Training (EA – Shanxi DOF, to be completed in 2009)
- Technical Vocational Education and Training Development (EA –DOF Guangdong and Hunan, to be completed in 2009)
- Support to Reforms in Compulsory Education Financing in the PRC (EA – Ministry of Education, completed in 2009)



New Technical Assistance in PRC

 Strengthening Public Employment Service in Sichuan (to be approved in 2009)

Loan in PRC

 Emergency Assistance for Wenchuan Earthquake Reconstruction Project (approved in 2009)



ADB Operation in Education in Mongolia

Objectives

 Support the Government in providing quality and access to education from preschool to higher education levels

Key priorities:

- Improving planning, management, and donor coordination in education
- Increasing equity in access and improving quality of basic and secondary education
- Developing vocational and higher education



ADB's Lending and TA Operations in Education in Mongolia

- 3 Loans amounting to \$42.5 million
- 10 TAs totaling \$4.4 million and two grant projects amounting to \$2 million



Recent Loan Projects

- Third Education Development Project (approved, 2006)
 - Development of curriculum and state education standards
 - Technical and vocational education
- Education Sector Reform Project (Approved in 2008)
 - Grant project
 - Pre-service teacher training, textbooks, education finance and management capacity building
- Education for the Poor Financial Crisis Response Project (Approved in 2009)
 - Grant project
 - Textbook provision, kindergarten meals, school block grants



Planned operations in MON

- Higher and Vocational Education PPTA (2009)
- Higher and Vocational Education loan (2011)
- Sector Wide Approach to Education TA (2010)

