



**In-Country Consultation on the draft Environmental and Social Framework (ESF)  
with Government Officials in Fiji  
6 March 2024 | 9:00 am – 5:00 pm | Nadi, Fiji**

**PROVISIONAL AGENDA**

Time	Activity	Speaker
8:30 – 9:00 am (30 min)	Registration	
9:00 – 9:05 am (5 min)	Prayer	
9:05 – 9:15 am (10 min)	Acknowledgement of Participants and Meeting Reminders	Overall Facilitator: Jennifer De Belen, Consultation Expert (Consultant), ADB
9:15 – 9:25 am (10 min)	Opening Messages	Government Representative: Letila Tuiyalani Manager, International Cooperation, Ministry of Finance  Bruce Dunn, Director, Office of Safeguards (OSFG), ADB
9:25 – 9:55 am (30 min)	<b>Session 1: Overview of ESF and ESP</b>	Bruce Dunn, Director, OSFG, ADB  Takako Morita, Principal Counsel, Office of the General Counsel (OGC), ADB
9:55 – 10:35 am (40 min)	Feedback from Government and Open Discussion	Session Moderator: Sereseini Vakawaletabua, Safeguards Officer, Pacific Regional Department (PARD)
10:35 – 10:50 am (15 min)	Break	
10:50 – 11:00 am (10 min)	<b>Session 2: Overview of ESS 1 (Assessment and Management of Environmental and Social Risks and Impacts) and ESS 10 (Stakeholder Engagement and Information Disclosure)</b>	Zehra Abbas, Principal Environment Specialist, OSFG, ADB  Zaruhi Hayrapetyan, Senior Social Development Specialist (Safeguards), OSFG, ADB
11:00 – 11:45 am (45 min)	Feedback from Government and Open Discussion	Session Moderator: Jay Roop, Principal Environment Specialist, OSFG, ADB
11:45 – 12:00 nn (15 min)	<b>Session 3: Overview of ESS 5 (Land Acquisition and Land Use Restriction), ESS 7 (Indigenous Peoples), and ESS 8 (Cultural Heritage)</b>	Irina Novikova, Principal Social Development Specialist (Safeguards), OSFG, ADB

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		Tulsi Bisht, Senior Social Development Specialist (Safeguards), OSFG, ADB  Zehra Abbas, Principal Environment Specialist, OSFG, ADB
12:00 – 1:00 pm (60 min)	Lunch break	
1:00 – 1:45 pm (45 min)	Feedback from Government and Open Discussion	Session Moderator: Francesco Ricciardi, Senior Environment Specialist, OSFG, ADB
1:45 – 2:00 pm (15 min)	<b>Session 4: Overview of ESS 3 (Resource Conservation and Pollution Prevention), ESS 6 (Biodiversity and Sustainable Natural Resources Management), and ESS 9 (Climate Change)</b>	Zehra Abbas, Principal Environment Specialist, OSFG, ADB
2:00 – 2:45 pm (45 min)	Feedback from Government and Open Discussion	Session Moderator: Julia Whippy, Social Safeguards Consultant
2:45 – 2:55 pm (10 min)	<b>Session 5: Overview of ESS 2 (Labor and Working Conditions) and ESS 4 (Health, Safety, and Security)</b>	Felix Oku, Principal Social Development Specialist, OSFG, ADB
2:55 – 3:40 pm (45 min)	Feedback from Government and Open Discussion	Session Moderator: Julia Whippy, Social Safeguards Consultant
3:40 – 3:55 pm (15 min)	Break	
3:55 – 4:05 pm (10 min)	<b>Session 6: Overview of E&amp;S Requirements for Financing Modalities and Products and PIAL</b>	Takako Morita, Principal Counsel, OGC, ADB
4:05 – 4:45 pm (40 min)	Feedback from Government and Open Discussion	Session Moderator: Jay Roop, Principal Environment Specialist, OSFG, ADB
4:45 – 4:55 pm (10 min)	Recap and Next Steps	Madhumita Gupta, Principal Social Development Specialist (Safeguards), ADB
4:55 – 5:00 pm (5 min)	Event Evaluation and Announcements	Overall Facilitator: Jennifer De Belen, Consultation Expert (Consultant), ADB

ESS1: Assessment and Management of Environmental and Social Risks and Impacts  
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 ESS8: Cultural Heritage  
 ESS9: Climate Change  
 ESS10: Stakeholder Engagement and Information Disclosure

ESF – Environmental and Social Framework  
 ESP – Environmental and Social Policy  
 ESS – Environmental and Social Standards

