

VIRTUAL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES SEMINAR

9 July 2025

2:00 – 4:00pm (PHI time)

9:00 – 11:00am (Israel time)

AGENDA

2:00pm (9:00am)	Welcome Remarks (15 minutes) H.E. Ilan Fluss, Ambassador of Israel to the Philippines (5 minutes) Maya Elnathan, Director, Multilateral Development Banks Unit, Ministry of Finance (5 minutes) Ofek Venecianer, Head of Israel Economic Mission to the Philippines (5 minutes)
2:15pm (9:15am)	Introductory Remarks (10 minutes) Jesper Pedersen, Director, Procurement Division, Procurement, Portfolio, and Financial Management Department (PPFD), ADB
2:25pm (9:25am)	ADB Business Opportunities: Project Pipelines <i>Brief presentations of ongoing and upcoming business opportunities within ADB's regional departments.</i> Agriculture, Food, Nature and Rural Development (15 minutes) Yoshiaki Kobayashi, Principal Water Resources Specialist, Agriculture, Food, Nature, and Rural Development Sector Office, Sectors Department 2, ADB
2:40pm (9:40am)	Water and Urban Development (15 minutes) Laxmi Sharma, Unit Head, Project Administration, Water and Urban Development Sector Office, Sectors Department 2, ADB
2:55pm (9:55am)	Energy (15 minutes) Lei Zhang, Unit Head, Project Administration, Energy Sector Office, Sectors Department 1, ADB
3:10pm (10:10am)	Doing Business with ADB and the ADB Procurement System (35 minutes) Olivier Leonard, Principal Procurement Specialist, PPFD, ADB
3:45pm (10:45am)	Discussion and Q&A to be facilitated by a moderator (10 minutes) Darwin Ng, Commercial Officer, Israel Economic Mission to the Philippines
3:55pm (10:55am)	Closing Remarks (5 minutes) Darwin Ng, Commercial Officer, Israel Economic Mission to the Philippines