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VALUE FOR MONEY: DRIVING QUALITY INFRASTRUCTURE

Financial Management Consulting Opportunities

Strengthening Public and Project Financial Management Across South Asia



Systemic FM Weaknesses at Country, Agency and Project Level Drive the Demand



Weak institutional capacity & high staff turnover

Manual accounting & financial reporting systems

Non-adherence to IPSAS/IFRS and ISA/ISSAI standards

Absent fixed asset management & maintenance systems

Weak internal control environment

Internal audit function poorly understood

Inadequate financial reporting disclosures

Audit qualifications & observations not followed up



How ADB Addresses the FM Gap

End-to-End Engagement: Country · Sector · Project · Entity

Assessments & Diagnostics

- Country PFM diagnostics (PEFA, GMAP, ROSC)
- Financial Due diligence during Project processing (FMA, FA and Costing)
- Diverse range of agencies (SOEs, Urban local bodies, banks)
- Development partner coordination on PFM reform

Fiduciary Oversight

- Review of audited project financial statements & review missions, risk-assessments and mitigation action plans
- Customized implementation support and training
- Advocacy for adherence to international accounting & auditing standards and adoption of digital systems
- Development of FM manuals

Capacity & Sustainability

- Country level PFM reform projects to improve country systems
- Institutional capacity development (e.g to SAls, SOEs, ULBs)
- Strengthening asset management systems
- Embedded finance specialists advising EAs and IAs (studies, gap analysis, drafting of manuals, asset management)



Your Next Engagement starts here

FM consulting opportunities

Anticipated Assignments

- Conduct PFM Diagnostic Assessments – PEFA, GMAP, SAFMA, ROSC, etc.
- Support Government and SOE Transition to and Implementation of IPSAS/IFRS
- Undertake Project Financial Due Diligence and Financial Assessments
- Support project's & agencies during implementation
- Assess and Improve Public Asset Management and Accounting
- Design and Support Digitalization of Financial Management Processes and Systems
- Support Supreme Audit Institutions (SAIs)
- Provide PFM Reform Advisory, Implementation Support, and Capacity Building

Evaluation Criteria

- Qualification: CPA, CA, ACCA, or equivalent (usually mandatory)
- Experience: Demonstrated PFM, audit, or financial advisory
- Experience in the region and Local Presence
- Communication: Strong analytical writing and oral presentation skills, Negotiation skills
- Track Record: Evidenced by deliverables, e.g. assessment reports, FM manuals, reform plans, training materials