



PROVISIONAL AGENDA  
(as of 27 June 2017)

<b>Meeting Objectives</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Update recent developments of the overall GMS Program and review/confirm the GMS Regional Investment Framework 2022 Urban Development and Other Multisector projects.</li> <li>• Discuss the planning and implementation of the GMS Corridor Towns Development Project.</li> <li>• Discuss the ongoing ADB financed TA “Policy Coordination and Planning of Border Economic Zones of the People’s Republic of China and Viet Nam.</li> <li>• Discuss and agree the terms of reference for the GMS Urban Working Group (upgraded from the GMS Urban Task Force) and its 3-year work plan.</li> </ul>	
<b>Chair:</b>	Mr. Duong Hung Cuong, Director in charge of GMS Program/Focal, Foreign Economic Relations Department, Ministry of Planning and Investment
<b>Co-Chair:</b>	Ms. Eri Honda, Principal Urban Development Specialist, Urban Development and Water Division (SEUW), Southeast Asia Department (SERD), Asian Development Bank (ADB)

DAY 1: 28 June 2017, Wednesday	
0830-0900	<b>Registration</b>
0900-0930 (30 mins)	<b>Opening Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome Remarks by Chair</li> <li>• Introductory Remarks and Recap of 5<sup>th</sup> GMS Task Force Meeting on Urban Development by Co-Chair</li> <li>• Brief statements of Heads of Country Delegations and Mr. Norio Saito, Deputy Country Director, ADB Resident Mission in Viet Nam</li> </ul> <p>Group Photo</p>
0930-0945	<b>Coffee, Tea Break</b>



DAY 1: 28 June 2017, Wednesday	
0945-1000	<p><b>Session 1. Recent Developments and Other Linkages with the GMS Program</b></p> <p><b>1. Updates from GMS meetings and Other Program Developments</b></p> <p><b>2. Review/Confirmation of RIF 2022 Urban Development and Other Multisector and BEZs Projects</b></p> <p>Mr. Shunichi Hinata, Regional Cooperation Specialist, Regional Cooperation and Operations Coordination Division (SERC), SERD, ADB</p>
1000-1100	<p><b>Session 2: Planning and Implementation of GMS Corridor Towns Development Project: Progress of RETA 8989-GMS: Capacity Development for Economic Zones in Border Areas</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr. Jean-Pierre Verbiest, Team Leader of the TA Consultant (40 mins)</li> <li>• Questions and Answers (20 mins)</li> </ul>
1100-1200	<p><b>Session 3: Presentation on the TA on Policy Coordination and Planning of Border Economic Zones of the People's Republic of China and Viet Nam</b></p> <p>Mr. Seung Min Lee, Financial Sector Specialist, EARD, ADB (30 mins)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Comments from PRC (5 mins)</li> <li>• Comments from Viet Nam (5 mins)</li> </ul> <p>Questions and Answers (20 mins)</p>
1200-1330	<p><b>Lunch</b></p> <p>Venue: Ba Mien Restaurant (R Floor, Hilton Hanoi)</p>
1330-1530	<p><b>Session 4: Planning and Implementation of GMS Corridor Towns Development Project (15 mins per country)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cambodia</li> <li>• People's Republic of China</li> <li>• Lao People's Democratic Republic</li> <li>• Myanmar</li> <li>• Thailand</li> <li>• Viet Nam</li> </ul>
1530-1600	<p><b>Coffee, Tea Break</b></p>
1600-1700 (60 mins)	<p><b>Session 5: Next Steps</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Terms of Reference for the GMS Urban Working Group upgraded from the GMS Urban Task Force)</li> <li>• 3-year work plan of the GMS Urban WG</li> </ul>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Next meeting (2nd Urban WG Meeting Date, host, venue, theme)</li> <li>• Other matters</li> </ul>
1830-2000	<p><b>Dinner</b> hosted by Viet Nam          Venue: Buffet Restaurants Sen          No 60, Ly Thai To Street, Hoan Kiem District, Hanoi          (near to Hanoi Hilton Opera Hotel, 3 minutes from Hotel).</p>
<b>DAY 2: 29 June 2017, Thursday</b>	
0830-1200 (half day)	<p><b>Site Visit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hanoi Metro Rail System Project</li> </ul>
1200-1330	<p><b>Lunch and Closing Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wrap-up by Co-Chair</li> <li>• Concluding Remarks by Chair</li> </ul> <p>Venue: Ba Mien Restaurant (R Floor, Hilton Hanoi)</p>