



Session 3: Reports on Recent and Ongoing GMS Activities

Part II. Report of the Chair of the Development Partners' Meeting





“ The forthcoming strategy for the GMS underscores the importance of developing the GMS program as an **open and inclusive platform** to **deepen collaboration and cooperation** with development partners with the aim to **pool together knowledge and financing.** ”





Meeting Objectives



Discuss GMS responses to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19)



Brief development partners on the **GMS Economic Cooperation Program Strategic Framework 2030 (GMS-2030)**



Exchange ideas on **how development partners can contribute** to areas of the GMS-2030 and COVID-19 response and recovery



Update development partners on the **GMS Regional Investment Framework 2022** and discuss potential areas for development partners to support the projects





➔ Close to **200** participants
From **54** development partner organizations, private sector, knowledge institutions, and GMS senior officials.

➔ 20 Development Partner Verbal Statements

➔ 2 Written Statements





Common Themes

- 1. Building back better** from COVID-19.
- 2. Inclusive development** that protects vulnerable communities.
- 3. Sustainable Development.**

Enablers

Partnerships
and Synergies

Digitalization

Private sector
development
and
participation





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Thank you!

Meeting documents are uploaded at:

<https://greatermekong.org/greater-mekong-subregion-development-partners-meeting>

