

**OFFICIAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE (ODA) FACILITIES FOR
LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs)
(as of September 28, 2018)**

CONTACT DETAILS	IMPLEMENTING AGENCY/ DONOR	OBJECTIVES/ MAIN AREAS OF ASSISTANCE	TARGET REGIONS AND/OR LGUS/ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ASSISTANCE	DURATION / STATUS OF ASSISTANCE
Perez-Guerrero Trust Fund for Economic and Technical Cooperation Among Developing Countries				
Asec. Bayani S. Mercado Office of United Nations and Other International Organizations Department of Foreign Affairs 2330 Roxas Blvd., Pasay City Tel: 834-4890 Fax: 832-3245 & The Chair Alternate Technical Cooperation Council of the Philippines Department of Foreign Affairs 2330 Roxas Blvd., Pasay City Tel: 834-3129 Fax: 834-4177	DFA / Funds are channelled through the United Nations Development Programme, following the approval by the Group of 77 (G-77).	The objective of the PGTF is to provide seed money for: (i) financing pre-investment/ feasibility studies/reports prepared by professional consultancy organizations in developing country-members of the Group of 77; and (ii) facilitating the implementation of projects within the framework of the Caracas Programme of Action of ECDC. Project proposals submitted for funding from PGTF should address sectoral priorities contained in the Caracas Programme of Action that is trade, technology, food and agriculture, energy, raw materials, finance and industrialization and technical cooperation among developing countries as well as the Havana Programme of Action in the areas of South-South cooperation.	For guidelines and procedures for application for funding, please visit: http://www.g77.org/pgtf/ Projects that are of national nature would not be eligible for financing. For nationally executed projects to be eligible, the cooperative component of the project has to be established through the identification and declared interest of and explicit participation by other developing countries as potential beneficiaries in the activities of the project, as appropriate. Accordingly, written evidence of endorsement or declared interest should be part of the proposal. The Committee of Experts would not consider proposals failing to comply with this requirement. Cooperative projects can be carried out on a sub-regional, regional or inter- regional basis, with a minimum of three (3) participating countries. Therefore, projects that are of a bilateral nature are not eligible for funding.	Ongoing facility (call for proposals is on annual basis). Applications should be submitted not later than April 30 of each year. Late project proposals will not be considered. The maximum amount of PGTF support available for any given project in 2018 will be US\$35,000.
Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Project (General Grant Program)				
Economic Section Embassy of Japan 2627 Roxas Blvd., Manila PO Box 414 Pasay Central Post Office web: www.ph.emb-japan.go.jp For inquiries, please contact: The GGP Team Embassy of Japan Tel. No.: 551-5710 loc 2112/2111 2119/2109 E-mail: ggp@ma.mofa.go.jp	GOJ/ Embassy of Japan	GGP aims to support small-scale projects directly benefiting the grassroots level as well as contributing to the socio-economic development of developing countries. Priority is given to the following areas: i. Education -Construction or renovation of classroom buildings in primary, elementary, secondary education and technical-vocational courses. ii. Agriculture -Construction or procurement of pre and post-harvest facilities to improve productivity of farmers, especially in Agrarian Reform Communities and poor areas. iii. Health and Sanitation -Upgrading of health services in poor and remote areas through construction or improvement of health facilities and procurement of basic medical equipment in hospitals, rural health units and barangay health stations. -Level I and II water system development and water quality improvement in poor areas without access to potable water. iv. Social Welfare -Construction or improvement of centers, workshops or shelters for the marginalized sectors (children, elderly, indigenous people, persons with disabilities, women, etc.).	NGOs, POs, cooperatives, LGUs, educational institutions (universities) and medical institutions For guidelines and concept paper format, please visit: http://www.ph.emb-japan.go.jp/bilateral/oda/grassroots.html	Ongoing facility (Deadline for submission of grant application is end of July every year.)

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Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction (JFPR)				
Mr. Toshimasa Mae Financing Partnerships Specialist Office of Cofinancing Operations Asian Development Bank 6 ADB Avenue, Mandaluyong City Tel. No. 632-5311 Email: TMAE@adb.org	ADB	Add substantive value and development impact to ADB assistance through grants for poverty reduction. Project Grants (i) support well-targeted poverty reduction and social development activities that have a direct impact on the poor and on socially or economically excluded or vulnerable groups; (ii) stimulate the self-help capacities of the poor; (iii) stimulate widespread stakeholder participation at the community level; and (iv) provide a systematic impact on operations and approaches toward sustainable poverty reduction. TA Grants (i) enhance the capacity of executing agencies and other development partners, including implementing and operating projects; (ii) formulate and coordinate development strategies, plans, and programs, and undertake studies related to sectors, policies, and issues; (iii) improve knowledge about development issues in Asia and the Pacific and foster inclusive growth, environmentally sustainable growth, and regional cooperation and integration among DMCs; and (iv) identify, formulate, and prepare development projects.	All ADB DMCs are eligible for JFPR grants	Ongoing facility. JFPR provides both technical assistance and grants.
Philippine Rural Development Project (PRDP)				
PRDP National Project Coordination Office 4th floor, Department of Agriculture-National Agricultural and Fishery Council Building, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City Tel. No.: (02) 928 8762 to 65 Website: http://www.daprdp.net/	World Bank (WB)	PRDP is a six-year national government platform which aims to i) increase rural incomes, and enhance farm and fishery productivity in 16 regions and 80 provinces and ii) make the agriculture and fishery sector more market-oriented and climate-resilient. Specifically, the project seeks to achieve the following: i) at least 5 percent increase annually in real household incomes of farmer beneficiaries; ii) 30 percent increase in incomes of beneficiaries involved with enterprise development; iii) 7 percent increase in value of annual marketed output; and iv) 20 percent increase in the number of farmers and fishers with improved access to the services of the Department of Agriculture (DA). In partnership with local government units (LGUs) and the private sector, the Project shall provide key infrastructure, facilities, technology and information to raise incomes, productivity and competitiveness in targeted areas.	An LGU that is interested to take part in the PRDP must send a Letter of Intent (LOI) to the Project through the concerned DA RFO. In most cases, the participating PLGU shall identify and implement interventions. To officially commence the partnership between the PRDP and the LGU, both parties shall enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA). The critical role of PLGUs in the development of the region's priority commodity/ies will be identifying appropriate interventions based on the VCA. This will be followed by the crafting of a PCIP, which is a three-year rolling plan that rationalizes the interventions within the various segments of the value chain of commodities that are of significance to the province and that will contribute to the national goals of the agriculture and fishery sector. The PLGU will list various subprojects as reflected in the PCIP, following the corresponding requirements depending on the type of a subproject. This will be followed by a series of trainings to capacitate the LGU in the preparation of various requirements such as Feasibility Study (FS), Business Plan (BP), Detailed Engineering Design (DED), etc.	Ongoing facility.

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For inquiries on how to avail of funding assistance and terms and conditions of each facility, please directly coordinate with the concerned donor agencies, contact information of which are stated above.