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**Comments from UK--Approval by Mail: PPCR Cambodia: Promoting Climate-Resilient  
Agriculture in Koh Kong and Mondulhiri Provinces Project (ADB)**

Dear colleagues,

The UK welcomes this project and is content to approve the funding. We are very pleased to see the focus on gender and ensuring that women are included in measures designed to improve their capacity to adapt to climate change. The project also has a strong focus on knowledge sharing and lesson learning which we welcome. It will be important to ensure that i) ADB's safeguard procedures are employed to ensure the most appropriate design and to mitigate the risk of potential negative impacts arising from sea defences, and ii) economically, sea defences have been appraised as the most viable and cost-effective option set against a range of alternatives.

Many thanks,

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