

Duration

The Project is expected to be completed by December, 2015.

Outcome

Following is the expected outcome of the project :

- Improved environment and well being of urban residents in five capital cities.
- Increased access to better urban services to about 1.5 million people living in 5 cities by 2015.
 - about 1.2 million people in the 5 cities provided treated water for 12 to 24 hours daily
 - about 0.3 million people in the central zone of 4 programme cities provided with sewerage
 - reduction in volume of waste water and effluent discharged to water bodies
 - about 0.9 million people provided with solid waste collection and treatment facilities
 - sanitary disposal practiced in 5 cities
- Strengthened financial capacity of Urban Local Bodies.
- Social and environmental safeguards to combat negative environmental or social impacts.
- Implementation of reforms pertaining to city level water utility arrangements, municipal accounting, property tax, rationalization of user charges, e-governance and capacity building of municipal staff.
- Reduction in wastage of water and reducing extent of non-revenue water (NRW) to zero level in a phased manner.
- All municipalities empowered as defined in 74th Constitutional Amendment Act.