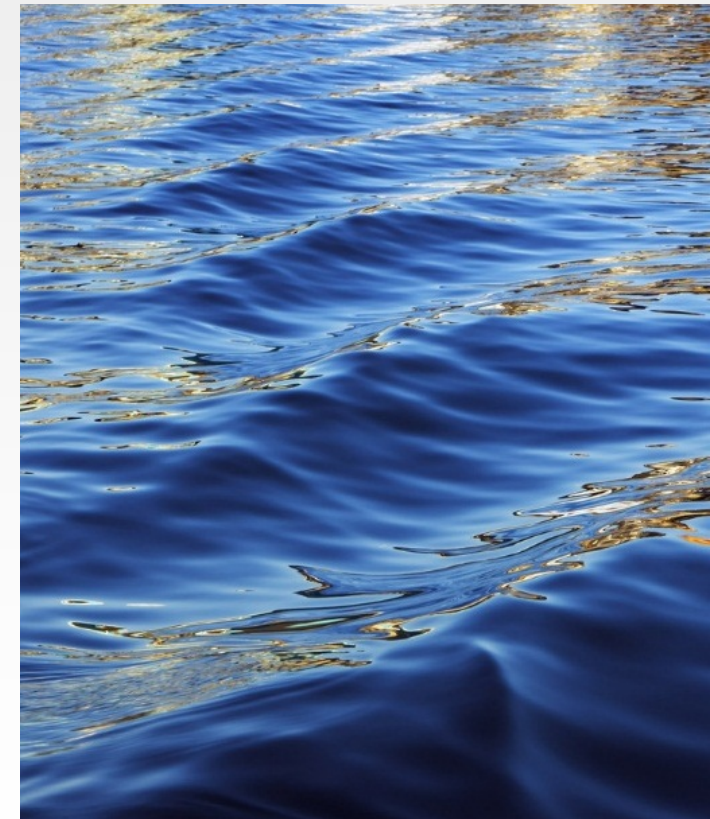




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Implementing the Environmental and Social Policy and the Gender Policy: An interactive exercise

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THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL POLICY AND GENDER POLICY

► The proposed project:

A (fictitious) small island state is suffering from the impact of climate change. A part of its coast is now regularly flooding, and the coastal ring road is regularly cut by the rising seawater. You, the NIE, are preparing a project for Adaptation Fund financing to construct a part of road on higher ground on the steep hillside to bypass the flooding area and keep the ring road usable at all times.

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► Situation:

There are 3 villages inside or in the immediate vicinity of the flooded area. Please see map. In the flooding area is also the only fish market of this part of the island. Women of the three villages sell the fish catch of their husbands at that market.

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► Tasks:

1. Identify the environmental and social risks associated with the proposed project using the table with the 15 principles, and justify your conclusion for each principle.
2. Identify ways to promote gender equality and women's empowerment in the design and implementation of the project.



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Checklist of environmental and social principles	No further assessment required for compliance	Potential impacts and risks – further assessment and management required for compliance
<i>1. Compliance with the Law</i>		
<i>2. Access and Equity</i>		
<i>3. Marginalized and Vulnerable Groups</i>		
<i>4. Human Rights</i>		
<i>5. Gender Equity and Women’s Empowerment</i>		
<i>6. Core Labour Rights</i>		
<i>7. Indigenous Peoples</i>		
<i>8. Involuntary Resettlement</i>		
<i>9. Protection of Natural Habitats</i>		
<i>10. Conservation of Biological Diversity</i>		
<i>11. Climate Change</i>		
<i>12. Pollution Prevention and Resource Efficiency</i>		
<i>13. Public Health</i>		
<i>14. Physical and Cultural Heritage</i>		
<i>15. Lands and Soil Conservation</i>		



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