

## **USAID**

## **Energy Sector Coordinating Committee Energy Work Plan 2013-2015**

**Knowledge-Based Activities** 

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## Objectives:

- Foster Common Understanding of Common Challenges in Regional Power-Market Cooperation;
- Facilitate Dialogue on Mutually-Advantageous Approaches and Solutions;
- Exposure to International Experience in Resolving Comparable Challenges

- Approach:
  - Support Analyses of Critical Themes;
  - Knowledge Transfer and Capacity-Building;
  - Development of Institutional Capacities

- Planned and Proposed Activities Analyses (I):
  - Completion of Analysis of Options for Kazakhstan-Kyrgyzstan Wholesale Power-Market Integration;
  - Resolving Treatment of Unscheduled Power Flows;
  - Dispatch Coordination Options under Changing Regional Power-System Configuration;

- Planned and Proposed Activities Analyses (II):
  - National Power-Systems' Synchronization Obstacles and Prerequisites;
  - Coordination and Harmonization of Power-Flow Data Collection and Dissemination;

- Planned and Proposed Activities Knowledge-Transfer and Capacity-Building (I):
  - Unscheduled Power Flows, Ancillary-Services Valuation and Pricing, and Settlement Arrangements;
  - Seminars on Commercial Contracting for Investment Mobilization and Power Delivery;
  - Regional Power-Market/Power-Pool Development Legal Frameworks and Institutional Requirements

- Planned and Proposed Activities Knowledge-Transfer and Capacity-Building (II):
  - •Inter-System/Cross-Border Metering Protocols;
  - Modelling of Economic Aspects of Water-Energy Linkages;
  - Study-Tour of Aral Sea-Basin Riparians to Pacific Northwest –
    US-Canada Columbia River Treaty;

- Planned and Proposed Activities Institutional Capacity Development:
  - Support to Regional Water-Resource Data-Collection and Management;