

Data Sheet

USAID Mission:	Central Asian Republics Regional
Program Title:	Conflict Prevention
Pillar:	Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance
Strategic Objective:	176-0240
Status:	New in FY 2004
Planned FY 2005 Obligation:	\$70,000 FSA
Prior Year Unobligated:	\$0
Proposed FY 2006 Obligation:	\$0
Year of Initial Obligation:	2004
Estimated Year of Final Obligation:	2008

Summary: USAID's conflict mitigation activities are addressing conflict by identifying vulnerable communities, building consensus around sources of tension, and then tempering those sources through community infrastructure and social projects. USAID is addressing both the root and immediate causes of potential conflict.

Inputs, Outputs, Activities:

FY 2005 Program: Improve Community-Based Reconciliation Efforts (\$70,000 FSA). USAID will use regional FSA funding for management costs associated with its conflict mitigation program, including the operation and maintenance of the Project Reporting System (PRS), an interactive web-based database which tracks results and success stories. The PRS will be expanded to include indicators and results data from new conflict programs in FY 2005, and USAID will implement PRS trainings for new implementers. Semi-annual polling for the conflict mitigation program will continue. Regional funds will be utilized for a one-day regional conflict conference and a two-day training for USAID personnel on the cross-cutting nature of conflict. Principal contractors/grantees: Community, Habitat, and Finance International (CHF) (prime), InterMedia (prime), and TBD (prime).

FY 2006 Program: No new funding is planned for FY 2006.

Performance and Results: Regional conflict prevention activities are focused on targeted communities where tensions run especially high due to: closed international borders restricting trade; disputes resulting from recent land reform measures; a general lack of information; government control of media; unemployment; manipulation by political and economic elites; and ethnically-motivated tensions in mixed areas. High unemployment and uneven energy and water resource allocation policies contribute to tensions in targeted communities as well. Social and infrastructure projects (more than 900 in total) aimed at conflict prevention are active in approximately 460 communities across Central Asia, benefiting more than 2.5 million people. Regional funds supported the management of these activities by funding a regionally-based U.S. Personal Services Contract employee, his support costs, monitoring and evaluation expenses, and a regional conference and training for USAID. Additional regional funds were used to support the PRS database of results and success stories and the semi-annual conflict poll to measure performance. By program's end, there should be a growing trend of target communities reporting lessened tension or resolved conflicts, strengthened community participation, and improved satisfaction of local service delivery.

US Financing in Thousands of Dollars

Central Asian Republics Regional

176-0240 Conflict Prevention	FSA
Through September 30, 2003	
Obligations	0
Expenditures	0
Unliquidated	0
Fiscal Year 2004	
Obligations	0
Expenditures	0
Through September 30, 2004	
Obligations	0
Expenditures	0
Unliquidated	0
Prior Year Unobligated Funds	
Obligations	0
Planned Fiscal Year 2005 NOA	
Obligations	70
Total Planned Fiscal Year 2005	
Obligations	70
Proposed Fiscal Year 2006 NOA	
Obligations	0
Future Obligations	0
Est. Total Cost	70