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A Review of the Ocean's Health Action Plan

1. The significance of the Ocean's Health Action Plan
 - Health of the people who live around
 - Safeguarding human food sources
 - Marine fishery
2. China approves implementation of the Ocean's Health Action Plan under GMS framework
3. We hope the design of the project name is more in line with the theme of urbanization.

A Review of the ASEAN Smart City Initiative

1. In 2014, China has issued *Guidance on the Healthy Development of Smart Cities*, and now has more than 500 pilot cities.
2. Leave no one behind. Smart City Initiative under the GMS framework, Chinese cities cannot be excluded. It is hoped that ADB will listen to the opinions of all parties when designing the project plan seriously.

Progress of Urbanization in China



Urbanization rate
59.58%



Urban population
831 million

Since 2000, China's urbanization rate has been rising by 1.3 percentage points on average annually.



Progress of the GMS project in China

- GMS Urban cooperation initiation.
- Dongxing-Mang cai Cross-border Economic Cooperation Zone.
- Hekou-Lao cai Cross-border Economic Cooperation Zone project successfully implemented .
- China is willing to continue to support urbanization cooperation under the GMS framework and make due contributions to knowledge sharing.





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