

# MYANMAR STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP

## KEY RESULTS AT A GLANCE (As of December 2019)

### SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND INCLUSION

Improving reliability and transparency of school grants



**47,445**

schools across all 330 townships receive School Improvement Fund regularly and as scheduled



poor and vulnerable students in 57 townships receive stipends worth

**244,331**

**US\$16 million**



**2**

new townships (Minpya and Pauktaw) in Rakhine State selected for stipend expansion<sup>1</sup>, providing universal coverage<sup>2</sup> to all students from Grade 6 to Grade 9

Improving the capacity to implement programs

**More than 48,000**

head teachers and education officials receive training in



social inclusive consultation and non-discriminatory practices

new feedback and complaints mechanism

**20,000** schools participated in mentoring activities



**100%** complete

Financial Debottlenecking and Public Financial Management Roadmap

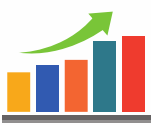


**66%**

of households in Kayah State participate in Village Development Planning confirmation meetings

### INSTITUTIONAL STRENGTHENING

Increasing revenue from completed self-assessment



**4.08%**

ratio of taxes collected from Large Taxpayers to GDP (relative to baseline with year target)



**+14.3%**

Increasing budgetary share to Health and Education Ministries achieved through budget rebalancing (compared with original approved)



Establishing baseline to inform more equitable budgeting

Maintaining prudent macro-fiscal position

**More than 2.7% of GDP** maintaining fiscal deficit-to-GDP

12.6% being directly financed by the Central Bank of Myanmar



Strengthening budget credibility

with further improvements in the composition of expenditure out-turn compared to original approved



**5 out of 8**

Institutional Strengthening Window projects incorporate a gender dimension

### PRIVATE SECTOR DEVELOPMENT



**US\$17.2 million**

in compliance cost savings<sup>3</sup>



**US\$50 million**

in financing made easier for facilitation



**15**

business reforms in legal, regulatory, and procedural win legislative adoption



**4**

capacity-building interventions improving business performance



**7**

projects addressing gender challenges

Interventions focused on Tourism and Agriculture (including Food Safety), as well as E&S and Corporate Governance, Lighting Myanmar, and the diagnostic research being undertaken in the Trade Component

<sup>1</sup> Endorsed by the Rakhine State Government

<sup>2</sup> Not to create social tension from mixed communities

<sup>3</sup> Savings accruing to the private sector as a result of reforms such as simplification of procedures, a reduction in the time spent dealing with certain procedures, or a reduction in the actual fees or charges associated with a procedure