

Mongolia Compact Progress

- ★ **Vocational Education Project:** MCA-Mongolia advertised a key procurement for the implementation of the Competitive Grants activity that is designed to promote initiatives taken by Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) schools, private companies, and local governments towards forming Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs).
- ★ **Property Rights Project:** MCA-Mongolia launched the procurement for consulting services for the training of herder groups selected to participate in the peri-urban rangeland activity. This activity introduces a new land-use regime by providing herder groups with leases to defined tracts of rangeland in areas around Mongolia's three largest cities, providing key infrastructure, and training to improve livestock and rangeland management.
- ★ **Health Project:** In June, MCA-Mongolia signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the World Health Organization (WHO) for support to the Ministry of Health for implementation of the second round of surveys on prevalence of non-communicable diseases risk factors in Mongolia. The survey results will make it possible to determine changes in risk behavior and the prevalence of major non-communicable diseases.
- ★ **Rail Project:** On April 27, 2009 the Government of Mongolia notified MCC that it intends to withdraw the rail component of the compact. MCC is currently in the process of evaluating possible next steps.

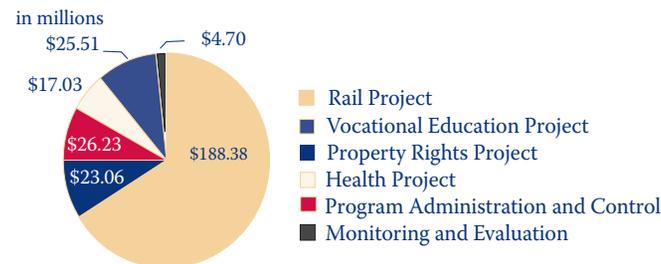
Compact At-A-Glance

Signed 10/22/2007

Entry Into Force.....9/17/2008

The five-year, \$285 million compact seeks to better enable the country's burgeoning urbanized market based economy and help Mongolians increase their incomes by becoming healthier and better trained, by using their land assets more productively and by increasing their capacity to trade with the world.

Obligations by Project



\$10,721,855 total contract commitments
\$5,240,906 disbursed to date

Country At-A-Glance

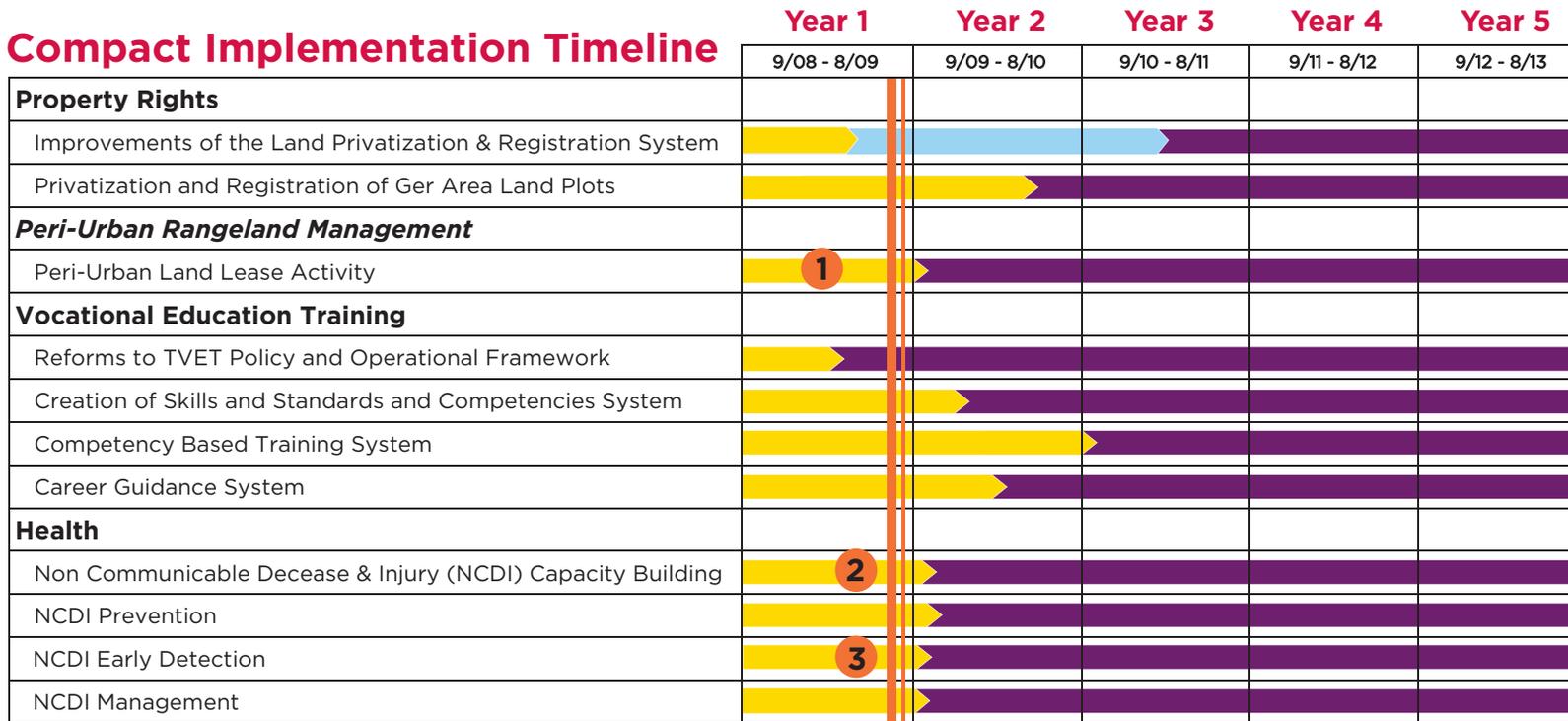
Population.....2,554,000*

GNI per Capita\$1,290*



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Compact Implementation Timeline



1
March 2009:
Contract for Rangeland Mapping Services signed and consultants mobilized.

2
June 2009:
Mobilization of the Institutional Consultancy contractor.

3
June 2009:
Memorandum of Understanding signed with World Health Organization.

- Project Preparation
- Construction - Infrastructure
- Project Activities - Other Sectors

We Are Here

August 2009
Disbursements to Date..... \$5,240,906
Total Contract Commitments..... \$10,721,855

* For more information on country proposals, due diligence, program set-up, implementation and monitoring, and ongoing impact, please see the diagram entitled *Typical MCC Program Cycle* at www.mcc.gov.