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ABSTRACT

The Country Opinion Survey in Bahrain assists the World Bank Group (WBG) in gaining a better understanding of how stakeholders in Bahrain perceive the WBG. It provides the WBG with systematic feedback from national and local governments, multilateral/bilateral agencies, media, academia, the private sector, and civil society in Bahrain on:

- 1) their views regarding the general environment in Bahrain;
- 2) their overall attitudes toward the WBG in Bahrain;
- 3) overall impressions of the WBG's effectiveness and results, knowledge work and activities, and communication and information sharing in Bahrain; and
- 4) their perceptions of the WBG's future role in Bahrain.

KIND OF DATA
Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS
Stakeholders of the World Bank Group in Bahrain

Scope

NOTES

The scope of the study includes:

- General Issues Facing Bahrain
- Overall Attitudes toward the World Bank Group
- World Bank Group's Effectiveness and Results
- The World Bank Group's Knowledge Work and Activities
- Working with the World Bank Group
- The Future Role of the World Bank Group in Bahrain
- Communication and Information Sharing
- Background Information

Coverage

UNIVERSE

Opinion leaders from national and local governments, multilateral/bilateral agencies, media, academia, the private sector, and civil society.

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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

From February to April 2018, 711 stakeholders of the WBG in four GCC countries (109 in Bahrain; 269 in Kuwait; 173 in Oman, and 160 in UAE) were invited to provide their opinions on the WBG's work in the country by participating in a Country Opinion Survey. Participants were drawn from the Office of a Minister, Office of a Parliamentarian, employees of ministries/ministerial departments/implementation agencies, Project Management Units (PMUs) overseeing implementation of WBG activities and consultants/contractors working on WBG-supported activities, bilateral and multilateral agencies, private sector organizations, private foundations, the financial sector/private banks, NGOs and community-based organizations (CBOs), the media, independent government institutions, chambers of commerce, academia/research institutes/think tanks, the judiciary branch, and other organizations.

Response Rate

36%

Weighting

The results in this year's Country Survey were compared to those in the Country Survey conducted in FY '15 (response rate was 29%, N=231). The data were weighted to reach similar stakeholder compositions across both survey years, allowing for more statistically reliable comparisons. Note, stakeholders who identified themselves as "Other" in the stakeholder category options were not included in these comparisons. As a result, mean ratings, percentages of respondents, and the total number of respondents in both years are slightly different from those of the original data reported in the FY '15 COS report and the non-weighted data presented in this report. For the weighted stakeholder breakdown and year comparison results, please refer to Appendix E (see page 102) in the Related Materials.

Questionnaires

Overview

English and Arabic. The English version is provided as related material.

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