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<b>Activity Title</b>	<b>Activity Description</b>	<b>TCB Category</b>	
<b>ADB Advisor for Financial Sector Development in Asia</b>	A Resident Advisor is posted to the Asian Development Bank (ADB) at its Manila headquarters to provide guidance and operational support to the financial and governance sector operations of Regional Departments related to anti-money laundering and border controls as well as to enhance the regional capacity of ADB Developing Member Countries. Funded and implemented by Department of Treasury/OTA.	Gov/Transparency & Inter-Agency Coord.	425,353
		Activity Total	425,353
<b>Accelerating Economic Recovery in Asia</b>	This program, in support of a US-Thai Free Trade Agreement, includes workshops and a study tour to the United States on the topic of development and management of small business incubators. It also supports a series of workshops on logistics and a conference on financing small medium enterprises. The goal is to help small businesses recover from the tsunami, and support entrepreneurship and business management training, software development and marketing assistance to the hotel and tourism sector in southern Thailand. In addition, work on a series of practical, private sector-oriented activities started to provide increased trade capacity to the private sector packaged-food producers in ASEAN. The key was to build business skills and trade capacity rather than production capacity, focusing on meeting international sanitary, labeling and packaging standards, disseminating information on marketing and branding and linking to global supply chains. Funded and implemented by USAID/RDM/Asia.	Tourism Sector Development	84,323
		Environmental Trade & Standards	42,162
		Financial Sector Dev. & Good Governance	42,162
		Business Services & Training	126,485
		Export Promotion	84,323
		E-Commerce & IT	42,162
		Activity Total	421,617
<b>Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) - Scientific Symposium</b>	The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) provided training on the Global Harmonization Task Force guidance, comparing operational medical device regulatory systems around the world and from that comparison, isolating the elements / principles that are suitable for harmonization from those that may present obstacles to uniform regulations. In addition, the group is also responsible for developing a standardized format for pre-market submissions and harmonized product labeling requirements. Funded and implemented by Health and Human Services/FDA.	Agreement on TBT	5,500
		Activity Total	5,500

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<b>Asia Regional Biodiversity Conservation Project</b>	The goal of the Asia Regional Biodiversity Conservation Program (ARBCP) is to improve the sustainable management of natural resources and the conservation of biodiversity in Vietnam and the Greater Mekong Sub-region (GMS). The project will be implemented to strengthen landscape-scale biodiversity conservation at regional, national, provincial and local scales. Together with its Vietnamese partners, the program will develop sustainable finance mechanisms based on payments for environmental services (PES) mechanisms explicitly designed to support biodiversity conservation approaches at the landscape level. Development of cocoa-based agro-forestry and other income alternatives will be targeted to reduce poverty in the rural areas. Activities will be developed to provide local stakeholders with a strong role in managing the forest resources upon which their livelihoods depend. Governance systems will be strengthened to create the necessary enabling conditions. Funded and implemented by USAID/RDM/Asia.	Trade-Related Agriculture	288,179
		Business Services & Training	192,120
		Activity Total	480,299
<b>Avian Influenza Training - Asia</b>	This activity supports training to prevent the spread of avian influenza. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Trade-Related Agriculture	7,388
		Activity Total	7,388
<b>Border Security: Asian Regional Seminar on Government Outreach</b>	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Asian countries to enforce export controls. This activity was a regional seminar held in Malaysia on government outreach. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	300,000
		Activity Total	300,000

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<b>Border Security: Government Outreach Training in Asia</b>	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Asian countries to implement a government outreach program. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Commerce.	Customs Operation & Administration	150,000
		Activity Total	150,000
<b>Border Security: International Seaport Interdiction Training - Asia</b>	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Asian countries to implement an international seaport interdiction program. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	140,000
		Activity Total	140,000

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		Activity Total	150,000
<b>Border Security: Regional Country Activities in Asia</b>	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Asian countries to enforce export controls. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	400,000
		Activity Total	400,000

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<b>Border Security: Targeting and Risk Management in Asia</b>	Promotes border security and customs operations by supporting the ability of Asian countries to target export controls and manage risk. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded by Department of State and implemented by Department of Homeland Security/Customs.	Customs Operation & Administration	150,000
		Activity Total	150,000
<b>Central Asia Regional Power Conference</b>	The Central Asia Regional Power Conference will focus on regional power integration in Central Asia, including developing power transmission lines to Afghanistan. The conference will highlight transmission and power generation project opportunities for investment and provision of equipment and services in the region. This conference will also enable government officials from the region to discuss regional cooperation and make specific commitments to power integration. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Physical Infrastructure Development	214,897
		Activity Total	214,897
<b>Central Asia Regional Power Conference - Briefing Book</b>	The Central Asia Regional Power Conference will focus on regional power integration in Central Asia, including developing power transmission lines to Afghanistan. The conference will highlight transmission and power generation project opportunities for investment and provision of equipment and services in the region. This conference will also enable government officials from the region to discuss regional cooperation and make specific commitments to power integration. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Physical Infrastructure Development	115,000
		Activity Total	115,000

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<b>Global Labor Union and Non-Governmental Organization Strengthening - Asia</b>	Through educational, advocacy, and public awareness activities the Asian Labor Network on International Financial Institutions (ALNI) program will strengthen recently formed civil society coalitions, promote the ability of trade unions and other civil society organizations to influence international financial institutions (IFI) and government policies, foster awareness among workers of their rights to a voice in economic policy-making, and promote sharing of experiences and development of common approaches among ALNI affiliates. Funded and implemented by USAID/DCHA.	Human Resources & Labor Standards	34,835
		Activity Total	34,835
<b>OECD Cartel Conference at Regional Training Center in Korea</b>	The Department of Justice Antitrust Division participated in a cartel training conference at the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development/Korea competition training center in Seoul, Korea. Funded and implemented by Department of Justice/Antitrust Division.	Competition Policy & Foreign Investment	4,956
		Activity Total	4,956
<b>Regional Airports Conference - Briefing Book</b>	The Airports Conference brought together officials from around Central Asia to share strategies for improving and modernizing airports and expanding infrastructure. Funded and implemented by Trade and Development Agency.	Physical Infrastructure Development	95,000
		Activity Total	95,000
<b>Regional Export Control Enforcement Introductory Workshop for Asia</b>	Promotes border security and customs operations among Asian developing countries by hosting a regional workshop in Singapore on enforcing export controls. This activity is part of the Export Control and Related Border Security Assistance (EXBS) program, the premier initiative by the U.S. Government to help other countries improve their export control systems. The EXBS program takes a regional and multilateral approach, promoting harmonization of national export control systems with international standards and facilitating information-sharing agreements among nations. The program also organizes a number of regional fora to bring national policymakers and technical experts together to share information and best practices. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Customs Operation & Administration	300,000
		Activity Total	300,000

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<b>Responsible Asia Forestry and Trade (RAFT)</b>	To address the problems of illegal logging and conversion of forests with high biodiversity value and promotion of legal timber trade, the program aims to improve timber trade policies and corporate procurement practices mainly in six countries: Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea and Vietnam. The program proposes a number of interventions, such as legal standards, certification, log-tracking through the supply chain, market incentives, procurement practices, reduced impact logging, and conflict management to tackle the challenges of unsustainable management of forest resources pervasively present in the Asian region. Funded and implemented by USAID/RDM/Asia.	Gov/Transparency & Inter-Agency Coord.	373,258
		Environmental Trade & Standards	746,516
		Business Services & Training	373,258
		Activity Total	1,493,031
<b>Sanitary and Phytosanitary Training - Asia ns</b>	Support for sanitary and phytosanitary training through an international workshop. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Agreement on SPS	1,844
		Activity Total	1,844
<b>Sanitary and Phytosanitary Training I - Asia</b>	Activity supports training related to avian influenza. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Agreement on SPS	11,275
		Activity Total	11,275
<b>Sanitary and Phytosanitary Training II - Asia</b>	Training workshop on the Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Agreement, the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC), and international standards. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Agreement on SPS	13,705
		Activity Total	13,705
<b>Sanitary and Phytosanitary Training III - Asia</b>	Training workshop on the Sanitary and Phytosanitary (SPS) Agreement, the International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC) and pest risk analysis (PRA). Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Agreement on SPS	6,272
		Activity Total	6,272
<b>Sanitary and Phytosanitary Workshop II - Asia</b>	Support for regulatory reform workshop. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Agreement on SPS	7,328
		Activity Total	7,328
<b>Sanitary and Phytosanitary Workshop III - Asia</b>	Support for workshop that included discussions of biotechnology regulatory policies. Funded and implemented by Department of Agriculture.	Agreement on SPS	389
		Activity Total	389

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<b>Support for ASEAN Wildlife Enforcement Network Hub</b>	Funds will be used to establish an Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) Wildlife Enforcement Network (WEN), which would build regional wildlife law enforcement capacity to combat illegal trafficking of wildlife. The technical assistance would maximize synergies among regional environmental law enforcement agencies through increased information sharing and cooperation in wildlife law enforcement activities with the aim to decrease the number of wildlife crimes. Funded and implemented by Department of State.	Environmental Trade & Standards	100,000
		Activity Total	100,000
<b>Technical Assistance on Influenza Activities - Asia</b>	This activity supports a regulatory preparedness workshop on human vaccines for pandemic influenza. Funded and implemented by Health and Human Services/FDA.	Agreement on TBT	5,500
		Activity Total	5,500
<b>Trade Facilitation</b>	Peace Corps Volunteers are working at the community level with host country organizations and individuals to build their capacity to participate in global trade by helping to: (1) integrate information communication technology, (2) provide training in entrepreneurship skills, and (3) to develop sustainable production and marketing efforts. Funded and implemented by Peace Corps.	Business Services & Training	164,523
		E-Commerce & IT	164,523
		Activity Total	329,045

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<b>Technical Assistance on Influenza Activities - Asia</b>	5,500
<b>Trade Facilitation</b>	329,045
<b>Total FY06 TCB Funding</b>	5,363,234