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Supporting civil society to engage in urban water and sanitation reforms

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Primer on the Asian Development Bank (2006) WaterAid



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*The Advocacy Sourcebook* (2007)  
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*WaterWorks: A consumer advocacy guide to water and sanitation* (2004)  
CI



## Websites

### **Public Services International Research Unit**

Database of private sector participation experience in the provision of water services.

[www.psiru.org](http://www.psiru.org)

### **The International Benchmarking Network for Water and Sanitation Utilities (IBNET)**

Claims to be the world largest database for water and sanitation utilities' performance data.

[www.ib-net.org](http://www.ib-net.org)

### **World Bank**

Project Database (under 'Projects and Operations') includes the Project Appraisal Document for many urban water projects - usually a source of very detailed information.

[www.worldbank.org](http://www.worldbank.org)

### **WaterAid**

The international water and sanitation NGO's website.

[www.wateraid.org](http://www.wateraid.org)