

# “Asian Development Bank or Anti Development Bank?”

You are invited to a press conference on  
**July 24, 2003 11:30 AM at**  
**Sulo Hotel, Diliman, Quezon City**

**With**

**Members of the NGO FORUM on ADB**  
**including participants from Papua New Guinea, Bangladesh, Sri**  
**Lanka, the Philippines and the release of the Report:**  
**“The Asian Development Bank: In Its Own Words” (By**  
**Environmental Defense and ADBwatch)**

“Given such significant performance failures, increased ADB lending to Pakistan and Sri Lanka may not only generate debt and fail to promote sustainable development, but may actually foster instability and increase hardship for the poor at a particularly crucial time for these countries.”

Find out more about the evidence that underlies this conclusion as we present case studies from around Asia.

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