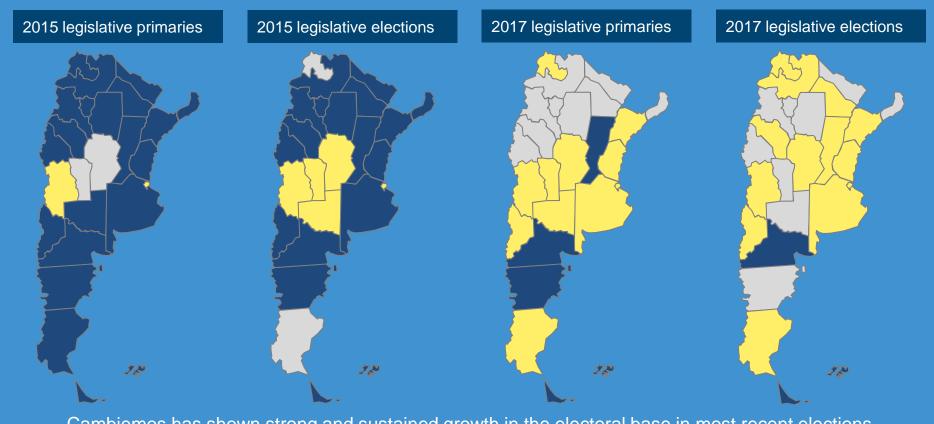
# **PPP Road Concessions**



# Growing popular support



Cambiemos has shown strong and sustained growth in the electoral base in most recent elections

# A higher profile in the global community for 2018



#### President Macri's new administration has a clear plan to unveil full potential

#### Key reforms and initiatives

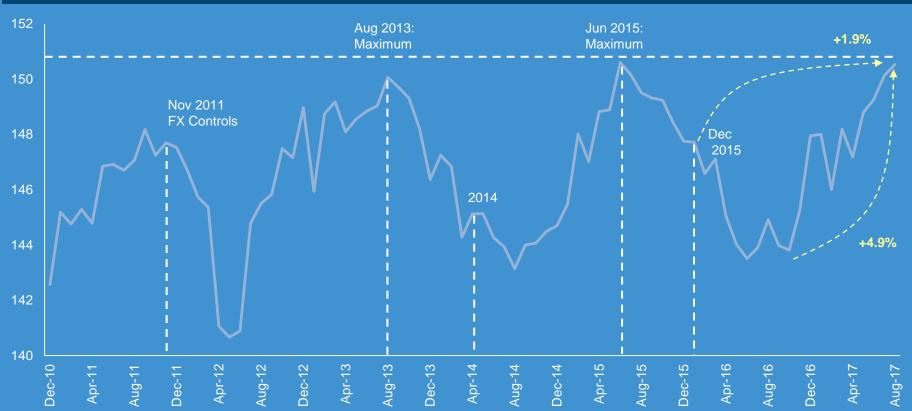
- Removed capital control and repatriation restrictions
- ✓ Floated exchange rate and recovered monetary reserves
- Resolved defaulted debt and regained access to financial markets.
- ✓ Introduced Central Bank independence
- Re-launched the National Statistics Bureau
- Instituted inflation targeting policy to reduce inflation
- Established plan to eliminate the primary fiscal deficit
- New Public-Private Partnerships (PPP) regulatory framework.
- ✓ Implemented an unprecedented tax amnesty scheme

#### Consensus and support on key regulations

- ✓ Antitrust Law
- Capital Markets Law
- Labor Reform Law
- Tax Reform Law
- ✓ Pension Reform Law
- Fiscal Responsibility Law

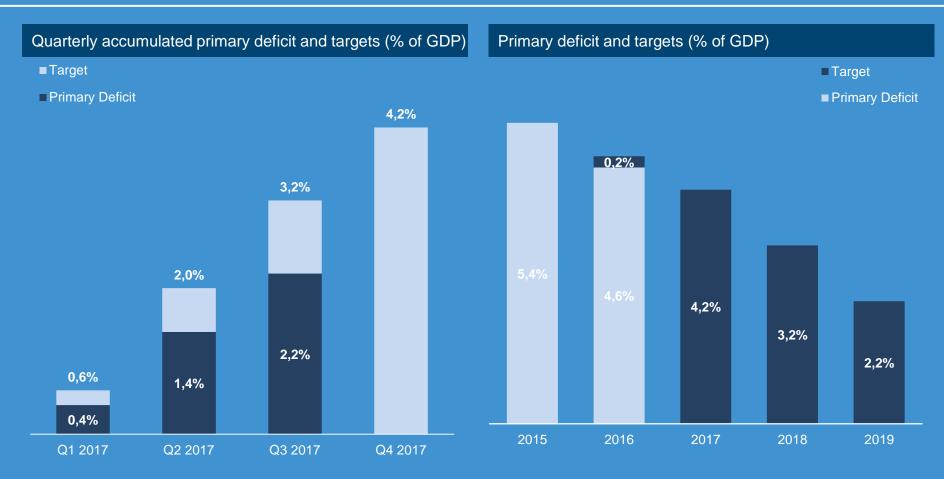
## Economic recovery – breaking historic patterns





Source: INDEC, Ministry of Finance

# Convergence to fiscal balance



Source: Ministry of Finance

#### 2017 in perspective: we have not seen this type of reform

First time in 100 years that these results have occurred simultaneously...



Primary fiscal deficit/GDP decreases



Real public expenditure decreases



Tax pressure decreases



Inflation decreases



GDP grows

### How to mitigate construction and operational risks

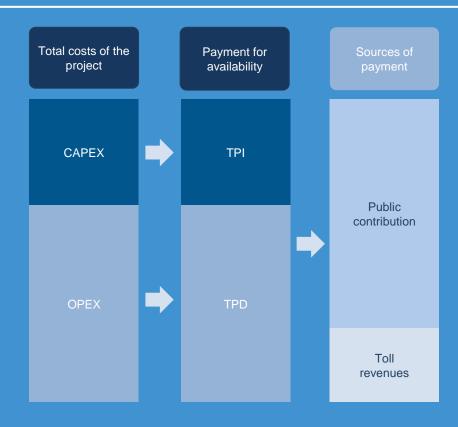
- Repayment of investments incurred both during construction and operation of the project
- Establishment of service and infrastructure availability payments, applying penalties and fines in case of breaches
- Separate repayment, with distinction between TPI and TPD:



- Linked to investment
  obligations, recoverable in the long term
- ✓ Linked to the construction phase risks only

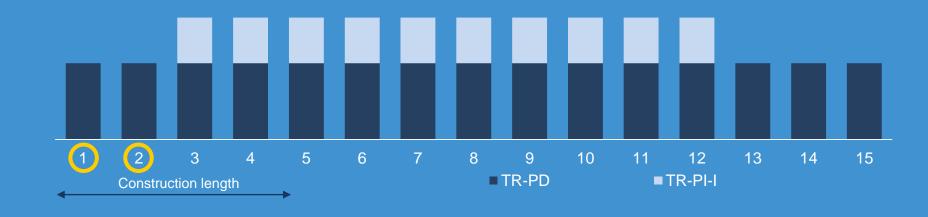


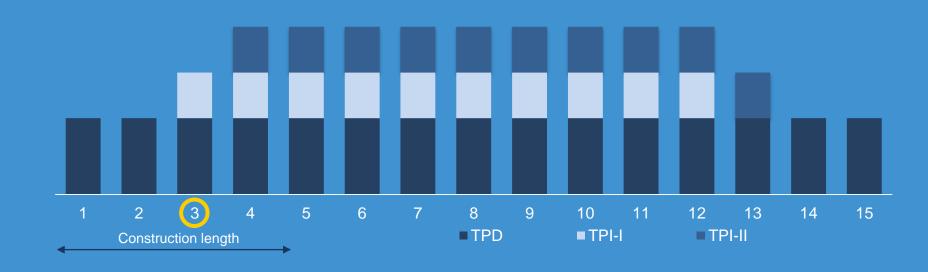
- Linked to obligations to provide the service of operation and maintenance
- ✓ Linked to the operational phase risks only

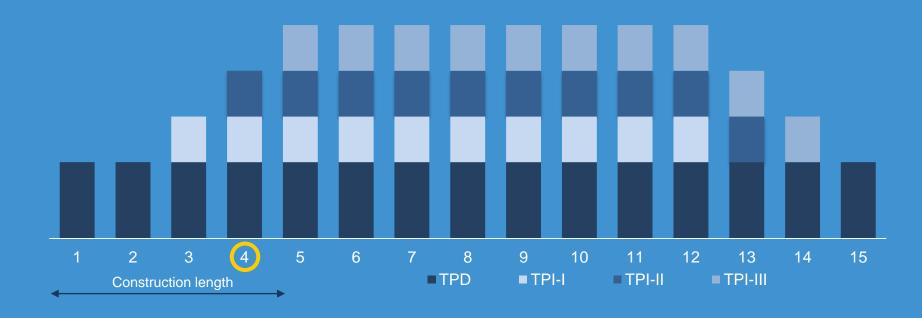


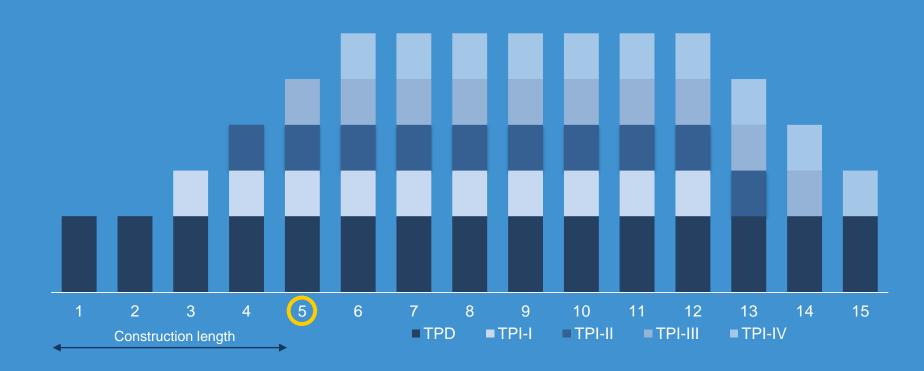


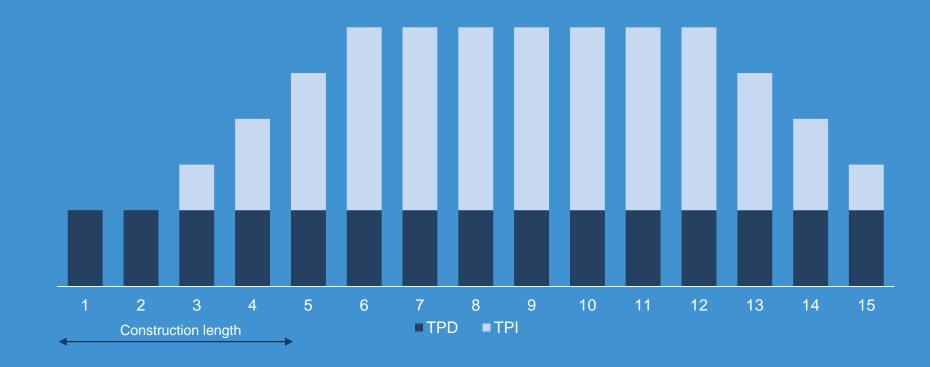




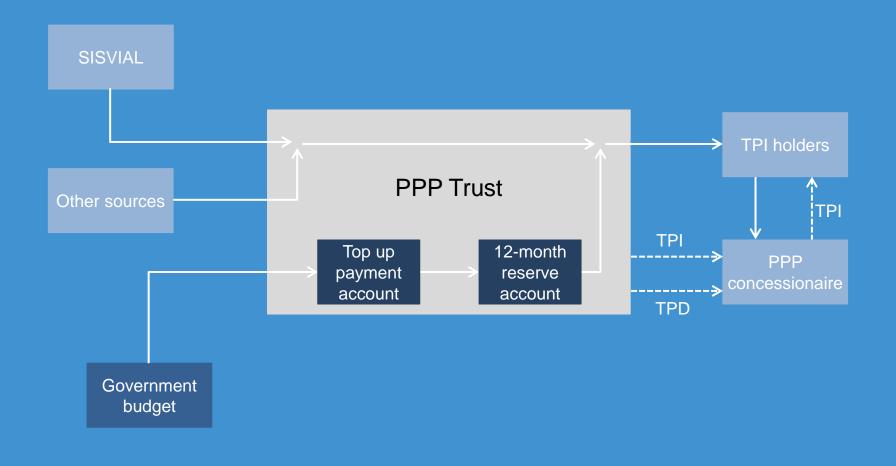




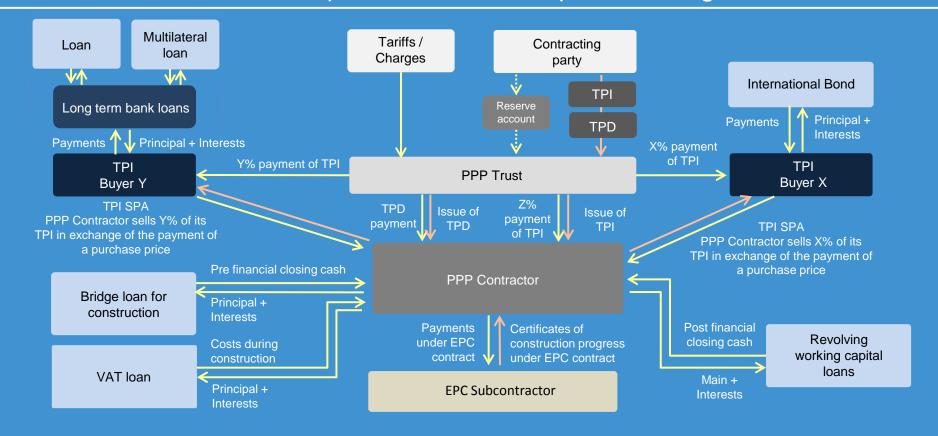




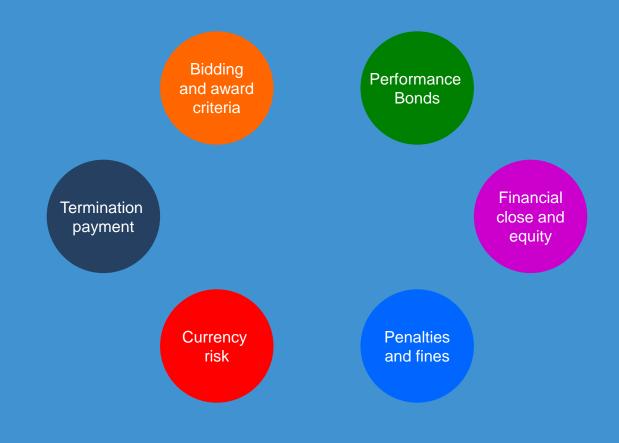
## PPP Trust to manage issuance and payment of TPI's and TPD's



### A structure to enable the optimization of multiple financing sources



## **Structural Considerations**



#### Structural Considerations

Bidding and award criteria

- No limits on quantity of projects bid
- Lowest annual repayment bid wins
- No more than 2 projects awarded to a single bidder
- Bid with highest spread to runnerup's bid will be awarded in case of 3 or more projects won by single bidder

Performance Bonds

- Bid bond until contract signing
- Financial closing bond up to 12 months
- Main works performance bond
- Main services performance bond

Financial closing and equity

- 6-month initial deadline
- 2 consecutive 3month extension at the option of PPP contractor
- Rising financial close bond with every extension
- Evidence of availability of funds needs to be presented

Penalties and fines

- 100% irrevocable and unconditional TPI's if penalties and fines backed by on-demand bonds
- 85% irrevocable and unconditional TPI's, and 15% irrevocable but conditional TPI's, if penalties and fines not backed by ondemand bonds

Currency risk

- TPI's paid in US dollars
- Optional FX collar offered to mitigate deviations above and below 10% real FX fluctuation
- TPD's paid in local currency, adjusted by official indices

Termination payment

- Monthly investment advancement acts (ARAI's) issued by DNV
- ARAI's included automatically in the calculation of the termination payment
- Dispute resolution mechanisms through Technical Board, then Arbitration Court

#### Argentina — Risk assessment of the Road infrastructure PPP program



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Traffic

- Known traffic history
- More than 20 years of records available
- +3% growth historical trend
- Low competition of other forms of transport

SISVIAL

- High correlation with gas oil price
- High correlation with asphalt price
- High correlation of the amount collected to exchange rate
- Collection security and funds application through the Integrated Transport System Trust (SIT)

Environmental impact

- Low environmental risk because they are known ways
- Original approvals issued
- Broad experience of the National Road Directory (DNV) in mitigating environmental impact
- Early intervention of the Ministry of Environment approved

Right of way

- Low expropriation risk as it is an existing plan
- Legal framework allows to go forward first and face controversies later

Toll collection

- Long experience in local toll collection
- More than 20 years of records available
- Toll complemented by the government
- User acceptance of toll updates

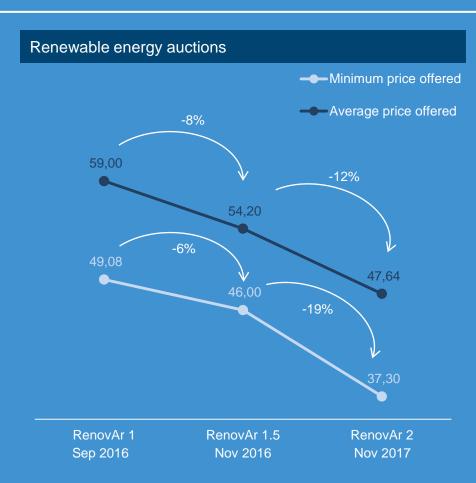
HLRM transparency framework

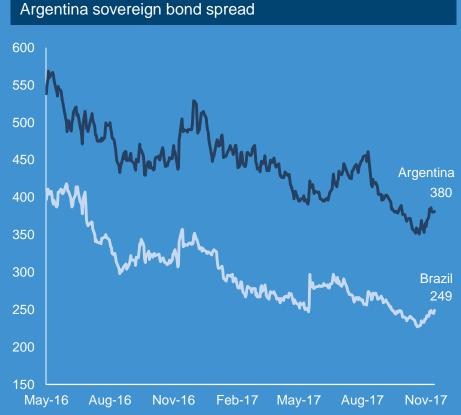
- PPP Road infrastructure pilot program
- High level report mechanism implemented jointly with OECD
- Possibility to raise early alarms in anonymity

# Timetable documents

	2017						2018			
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Previous studies and preliminary report	24			17						
Reports by Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development, Treasury and Finance					14					
Executive Summary publication, Public hearing, transparent consultation procedure, debate and exchange of formal inquiries					15	22				
Pre-bidding documents publication						1				
Summons, approval and publication of final bidding documents						26				
Bid presentation and opening								26		
Bid evaluation and ruling								27		9
Contract award										10
Contract signing										18
Notice to proceed										21

#### RenovAr as a witness case





# Thank you

