

# INTEGRATED SAFEGUARDS DATA SHEET

## IDENTIFICATION / CONCEPT STAGE

**Report No.:** ISDSC17474

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### I. BASIC INFORMATION

#### A. Basic Project Data

<b>Country:</b>	Zambia	<b>Project ID:</b>	P159717
<b>Project Name:</b>	EITI Post Compliance Implementation Support III		
<b>Team Leader(s):</b>	Martin Lokanc		
<b>Estimated Date of Approval:</b>	01-Jul-2016		
<b>Managing Unit:</b>	GEEDR	<b>Lending Instrument:</b>	Lending Instrument
<b>Sector(s):</b>	Public administration- Energy and mining (20%), Other Mining and Extractive Industries (80%)		
<b>Theme(s):</b>	Other accountability/anti-corruption (20%), Participation and civic engagement (20%), Other environment and natural resources management (60%)		
<b>Financing (in USD Million)</b>			
<b>Total Project Cost:</b>	0.35	<b>Total Bank Financing:</b>	0
<b>Financing Gap:</b>	0		
<b>Financing Source</b>			<b>Amount</b>
Extractives Global Programmatic Support			0.35
<b>Environment Category:</b>	C - Not Required		

#### B. Project Development Objective(s)

The overarching development objective is to improve transparency and accountability in Zambia's extractive sector by supporting the EITI Zambia Secretariat and the Zambia EITI Council to successfully implement the Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative in Zambia.

#### C. Project Description

Zambia now has a strong track record in producing timely reconciliation reports. So far the information gained from these reconciliation reports has not been used in informing and shaping the policy dialogue in Zambia's mining sector. ZEITI is trying to move beyond the production and dissemination of reconciliation reports to become a more active proponent of transparency and accountability in the sector. The strategic plan that is currently being finalized elaborates further on this.

Regarding the new 2016 EITI standard, Zambia has already made significant progress in publishing

information on beneficial ownership in its EITI reconciliation reports. The EITI Secretariat has also developed expertise in collecting the data used in the reconciliation reports, which might provide an entry-point for "mainstreaming transparency" in government systems rather than reproducing the data in EITI reporting down the road. Funding for EITI implementation from the GRZ has increased over time and the proposed 2-year US\$350,000 grant will provide financing for a smaller portion of the EITI work plan for the next two years.

The proposed grant aims to support ZEITI in these efforts. In addition to financing the production of the next two reconciliation reports, which are needed to keep the momentum of EITI in Zambia, the grant foresees financing more innovative and impact-oriented dissemination methods (including the results of the Mining Investment and Governance Review (MInGov) conducted in Zambia) and a mid-year topical report (in mid-2017) that will support ZEITI's new role.

#### **D. Project location and salient physical characteristics relevant to the safeguard analysis (if known)**

The project provides funding for the continued implementation of EITI in Zambia. It aims to enhance transparency and accountability in the mining sector. There are no physical investments planned and the grant will not finance any site specific interventions. Outreach and dissemination activities will take place in Lusaka and mining regions with a broad range of stakeholders, including communities, civil society and community based organizations, and mining companies.

#### **E. Borrower's Institutional Capacity for Safeguard Policies**

The project does not require specific measures on safeguards.

#### **F. Environmental and Social Safeguards Specialists on the Team**

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## **II. SAFEGUARD POLICIES THAT MIGHT APPLY**

<b>Safeguard Policies</b>	<b>Triggered?</b>	<b>Explanation (Optional)</b>
Environmental Assessment OP/ BP 4.01	No	The project provides funding for the preparation and dissemination of EITI reconciliation reports. There will be no recommendation for investment in specific areas. Therefore, no adverse social or environmental impacts are expected and this project was assigned an Environmental Risk Category C.
Natural Habitats OP/BP 4.04	No	This policy is not triggered as project activities are not expected to have any impact on natural habitats.
Forests OP/BP 4.36	No	This policy is not triggered as project activities are not expected to have any impact on the management of forests.
Pest Management OP 4.09	No	This policy is not triggered as project activities will not finance the procurement of pesticides.
Physical Cultural Resources OP/ BP 4.11	No	This policy is not triggered as the project

		activities are not expected to have any impact on physical cultural resources.
Indigenous Peoples OP/BP 4.10	No	This policy is not triggered as project activities are not expected to have an impact on indigenous peoples.
Involuntary Resettlement OP/BP 4.12	No	This policy is not triggered as project activities are not expected to cause any physical or economic displacement, nor any restriction in access to natural resources.
Safety of Dams OP/BP 4.37	No	This policy is not triggered as the project is not financing any dam construction or rehabilitation nor any activities that rely on the operations of existing dams.
Projects on International Waterways OP/BP 7.50	No	This policy is not triggered as the project is not financing any activities in international waterways as defined by this policy.
Projects in Disputed Areas OP/BP 7.60	No	This policy is not triggered as the project is not financing any activities in disputed areas as defined by the policy.

### III. SAFEGUARD PREPARATION PLAN

Appraisal stage ISDS required?: No

### IV. APPROVALS

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