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Quick Facts

Countries	Vietnam
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2024-02-01
Borrower	Lien Viet Post Joint Stock Commercial Bank
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Grant, Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 30.75 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 30.00 million
Grant Amount (USD)	\$ 0.75 million



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Project Description

According to the bank's website, the project aims to provide funds to LPB to finance rural and urban Women-Owned Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises (WSMEs).



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Early Warning System Project Analysis

The ADB categorized the E&S risks of the project as 'FI-C'.



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Investment Description

• Asian Development Bank (ADB)

Financial Intermediary

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

• Lien Viet Post Joint Stock Commercial Bank (Financial Intermediary)



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Private Actors Description

As stated by the Wall Street Journal, Lien Viet Post Joint Stock Commercial Bank provides commercial banking services. It offers typical products and preferential programs, postal transaction office banking, personal banking, corporate banking services. The firm also provides institutional banking services.

Lien Viet Post Joint Stock Commercial Bank serves customers in Vietnam.



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Bank Documents

- Country Economic Indicators
- LPB Expanding Access to Finance for Women-Owned Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises Project: FAST Rep
- Project Disclosure PDF