Early Warning System

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Quick Facts

| Countries | Uganda |
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| Financial Institutions | African Development Bank (AFDB) |
| Status | Active |
| Bank Risk Rating | U |
| Voting Date | 2018-12-14 |
| Borrower | Republic of Uganda |
| Sectors | Hydropower |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 10.32 million |
| Project Cost (USD) | \$ 56.74 million |

Project Description

The project is a design, construct and operate type with a 42 MW (4x10.5MW turbines) turnkey run-of-river hydropower plant (HPP) with an annual output of 281 GWh along the Achwa river, in Gulu district, Northern Uganda, including a 38km access road. Client intends to implement in total five plants (109MW) in the region, Achwa 2 being the first one. This greenfield plant shall be interconnected to the grid by a 140km transmission line (t-line) to the substation at Lira to be constructed by the Uganda Electricity and Transmission Company Limited ("UETCL").

Investment Description

• African Development Bank (AFDB)

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Bank Documents

• Project Information