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Quick Facts

Countries	Egypt
Financial Institutions	Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2017-09-04
Borrower	Arinna Solar Power S.A.E.
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Equity, Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 14.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 40.00 million

Project Description

According to bank documents, the Project entails the development, financing, construction, testing, commissioning, operation and maintenance of a 20MWac solar PV power plant located in Benban Solar Park. All output generated by the Project will be sold to the Egyptian Electricity Transmission Company (EETC) under a 25-year Power Purchase Agreement.

Investment Description

- Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)

The Project cost is up to $35-40 USD million. The Bank is considering a senior loan of up to $12-14 USD million. The Project will be co-financed by IFC and other lenders for up to $18 USD million, and the balance will be covered by equity.

Private Actors Description

The Project is being developed by Arinna Solar Power S.A.E. (the Borrower), a special purpose vehicle owned by a joint venture between Al Bilal Group for General Contracts Limited (52%), Enerray S.p.A. (25%), Desert Technologies (15%) and Tech Project Development Group Incorporated (7%) and others (1%), collectively, the Sponsors.

Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Arinna Solar Power S.A.E.	Client	-

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Bank Documents

- IFC disclosure
- Project Summary

Other Related Projects

- AIIB-000041 Egypt Round II Solar PV Feed-in Tariffs Program: Al Subh Solar Power (Subproject of AIIB-000035)
- AIIB-000035 Egypt: Egypt Round II Solar PV Feed-in Tariffs Program