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Quick Facts

Countries	Belize
Specific Location	Belcogen, Corozal, Orange Walk
Financial Institutions	Caribbean Development Bank (CDB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2013-12-01
Borrower	Belize Electricity Limited
Sectors	Energy, Infrastructure
Project Cost (USD)	$ 15.21 million

Project Description

According to the CDB, the project will improve the reliability of Belize’s sub-transmission and distribution systems, delivering quality power supply to customers in an efficient manner, with sufficient capacity that caters to increased projected demand for electricity in four major load centres across the country to 2030.

Investment Description

- Caribbean Development Bank (CDB)

Private Actors Description

As stated on the companies' websites:

Belize Electricity Limited is the primary distributor of electricity in Belize, Central America. Aggregate energy sold in 2019 was 588.4 gigawatt hours. The Company served a customer base of over 100,000 accounts with peak power demand of approximately 105.6 megawatts during the year.

For more than 20 years APS Power Solutions has been dedicated to providing products and services for developing, improving and maintaining the electrical infrastructures in South America, Central America and the Caribbean. Our core competencies are focused in the Generation, Transmission, and Distribution segment of the electrical utility, industrial, and commercial market.

ABB's Electrification business offers a wide-ranging portfolio of products, digital solutions and services, from substation to socket, enabling safe, smart and sustainable electrification. Offerings encompass digital and connected innovations for low- and medium-voltage, including EV infrastructure, solar inverters, modular substations, distribution automation, power protection, wiring accessories, switchgear, enclosures, cabling, sensing and control.

The relocation of the Power Switch Division of Siemens Energy & Automation from Portland, Oregon to Jackson, Mississippi gave three former Siemens employees the impetus to begin a new switch corporation. The switch company, headed by Art Crino, P.E., was founded upon their stringent criteria; build a superior product and support it with superior customer service. Pacific Air Switch Corporation, PASCOR, was thus founded in the fall of 1988.
As stated by Bloomberg, Advanced Control Systems Inc a provider of smart grid solutions to the electric industry. The Company supplies an integrated real-time distribution and outage management system and establish standards-based advanced automation solutions. Advanced Control Systems serves customers in the United States.

Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	ABB Group	Parent Company	Energy
-	-	-	-	Advanced Control Systems Inc.	Contractor	Energy
-	-	-	-	APS Power Solutions LLC	Contractor	Energy
-	-	-	-	Belize Electricity Limited	Client	Energy
-	-	-	-	Pacific Air Switch Corporation (PASCOR)	Contractor	Energy

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To make a complaint, access the following webpage: https://secure.ethicspoint.com/domain/media/en/gui/55678/index.html.

Bank Documents

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Other Related Projects

- CDB-2019-POWERBELIZE7 Seventh Power Project (Caye Caulker Submarine)