

# EBRD-44847 Baltcap Private Equity Fund II

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#### **Quick Facts**

Financial Institutions European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

Status Approved

Bank Risk Rating U

**Voting Date** 2013-11-26



#### **Project Description**

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The EBRD is considering an investment of up to EUR 20 million to BaltCap Private Equity Fund II (the "Fund"). The Fund will invest in equity and equity-related securities of small or medium sized enterprises ("SMEs") and Small Mid-Cap enterprises ("SMCs") in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania (the "Baltics" or "Baltic States").

#### TRANSITION IMPACT

The transition impact of the proposed project would come from the following areas:(i) the Fund will facilitate improved access of SMEs and SMCs in the Baltics to equity capital and provide wider demonstration of the attractiveness of private equity financing;(ii) the regional buy-and-build strategy of the Fund will facilitate much needed consolidation of SMEs and SMCs in the Baltics and promote their 'regionalisation''; this will also demonstrate to other private equity funds and companies the viability of a cross-border consolidation strategy in the Baltics;(iii) the Fund will promote high standards of corporate governance and integrity at the level of the Fund and the investee companies.

#### THE CLIENT

BaltCap is a leading private equity and venture capital fund manager in the Baltics, investing in the region since 1996.

#### **EBRD FINANCE**

The Bank will invest up to EUR 20 million.

PROJECT COST

The target size of the Fund is EUR 100 million.

**ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT** 

Categorised FI.

**TECHNICAL COOPERATION** 

None.

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# **Investment Description**

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