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Quick Facts

Countries	Tajikistan
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2014-12-17

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Project Description

TRANSLATED VERSION OF THIS PSD:RUSSIAN

Russian

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Under the Tajikistan Solid Waste Framework the EBRD is considering financing priority capital investments for selected cities in Tajikistan. The framework consists of sub-projects aimed at improving the solid waste management services.

TRANSITION IMPACT

The transition impact potential of each sub-project under the framework is expected to arise from:(i) Consolidation of solid waste activities under one company (where applicable);(ii) Ownership transfer from the national authorities to municipal authorities in line with best practice (where applicable);(iii) The signing of a Public Service Contract between the company and the municipality with performance indicators;(iv) Tariff reform (i.e., adoption of cost recovery principle, tariff increases to operational cost recovery, etc.); and(v) Capacity building for the company (e.g., preparation of a Corporate Development Programme).

THE CLIENT

Solid waste management company in each participating city.

EBRD FINANCE

For each sub-project the EBRD will provide sovereign guaranteed loans to the solid waste companies. Total amount of the loans proposed under the framework: USD26 million

PROJECT COST

Up to USD 64.2 million including investment and technical cooperation grants.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

The Framework is not categorised under the 2008 E&S Policy; however, each sub-project will be categorised. The sub-projects are expected to bring substantial environmental, health and safety benefits to the subject cities and the surrounding communities through the rehabilitation of waste collection, transportation, and disposal services; increased operational efficiency, and environmental and hygiene standards. The ESDD for each sub-project will include at minimum an assessment of potential E&S impacts and benefits, and an E&S audit of the operations and facilities of each participating Municipality to help structure the PIPs. Corrective ESAPs and SEPs will be prepared for implementation during the projects, where necessary. Derogation from the ESP may need to be sought because the limited financial resources available are unlikely to be adequate for meeting the EU environmental requirements relating to recovery, recycling and re-use of waste and disposing of waste as

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Investment Description

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Contact Information

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Other Related Projects

- EBRD-46794 Kulob Solid Waste Sub-project