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Quick Facts

Countries	North Macedonia
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	A
Voting Date	2015-11-25
Borrower	MEPSO AD
Sectors	Energy, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 39.29 million
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Project Cost (USD)	\$ 52.04 million



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Project Description

According to EBRD website, the project entails (i) the construction of electricity transmission infrastructure from Bitola to the Albanian border, with a substation at Ohrid and (ii) the introduction of Smart Grid components at MEPSO. It will provide the missing link in the initiative to establish an East - West electricity transmission corridor between Bulgaria, FYR Macedonia, Albania, Montenegro and Italy.

Technical cooperation assignments are Feasibility study and preparation of the main design of the project.



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Early Warning System MEPSO: FYR Macedonia-Albania Transmission Phase I

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Bank Documents

• Environmental and Social Impact Assessment