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Quick Facts

Countries	Greece, Romania
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2021-06-23
Borrower	Alpha Services and Holdings SA
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Equity
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 8.89 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 80.04 million

Project Description

According to the bank website, EBRD has invested in a follow-on equity investment in Alpha Services and Holdings SA in the amount of EUR 7 million. The Project is part of a EUR 800 million capital increase, which will be utilised in the context of Alpha's recent business plan announcement to (i) accelerate NPE clean up and improve balance sheet strength, (ii) improve operational efficiency, (iii) drive fee and commission income recovery, (iv) capitalise on the significant lending growth opportunity in the Grek banking sector and (v) help with international expansion in Romania.



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Financial Intermediary

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

• Alpha Bank (Financial Intermediary)

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ACCESS TO INFORMATION

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Bank Documents

• Translation: Alpha Bank equity increase (Greek)