Early Warning System

EBRD-50814

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Quick Facts

Countries	Jordan
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2019-10-14
Borrower	Bank Al Etihad
Sectors	Finance, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 30.04 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 30.04 million

Project Description

According to bank documents, the EBRD has provided a subordinated loan of JOD 21.3 million to Bank Al Etihad ("BAE") to support the bank's growth plans and on-lending to private local SMEs. The subordinated loan will strengthen the capital base of BAE to support planned growth and the financing of SMEs in the local market.



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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.

• Bank Al Etihad (Financial Intermediary)

Private Actors Description

Bank Al Etihad is a universal commercial bank and is the 4th largest in Jordan with market shares of 6.3%, 6.9% and 7.0% in terms of assets, loans and deposits as at 1Q19. Bank Al Etihad was established in 1978 and listed on the Amman Stock Exchange. BAE serves to corporate, SME, and retail clients through its 47 branches cross Jordan.



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