Early Warning System

# EBRD-53120

## FIF - Regional SME CSP - NLB Banka Skopje II



### **Quick Facts**

Countries	North Macedonia
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	FI
Voting Date	2021-11-09
Borrower	NLB BANKA AD SKOPJE
Sectors	Finance, Industry and Trade, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 5.64 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 5.64 million



## **Project Description**

According to the bank website, the objective of this project is the provision of a senior unsecured loan of up to EUR 5.0m under the Regional SME Competitiveness Support Programme ("CSP") in two tranches of EUR 3.0m and EUR 2.0m (2nd tranche uncommitted). The project will support investments in small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) to upgrade production facilities and comply with various EU Directives in environmental protection, workers' safety and product quality and safety.

## **Investment Description**

• European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

## **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.

• Nova Ljubljanska Banka d.d. (Financial Intermediary)

## **Contact Information**

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