

 Early Warning System

EBRD-53133

FIF - WB&G; WiB - FATEN



Quick Facts

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| Countries | Palestine, West Bank, Gaza |
| Financial Institutions | European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) |
| Status | Approved |
| Bank Risk Rating | F1 |
| Voting Date | 2021-12-08 |
| Borrower | PALESTINIAN COMPANY FOR CREDIT AND DEVELOPMENT (FATEN) |
| Sectors | Finance |
| Investment Type(s) | Loan |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 2.00 million |
| Project Cost (USD) | \$ 2.00 million |



Project Description

According to bank provided information, the investment involves the provision of a Women in Business (WiB) loan of up to USD 2.0 million (EUR 1.7 million equivalent) in favor of Palestine for Credit and Development (FATEN), a non-profit microfinance institution incorporated in the West Bank, for on-lending to women businesses in the West Bank.

The credit line will be used by FATEN to on-lend to women MSMEs in the West Bank.



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Private Actors Description

Palestine for Credit and Development (FATEN) was established in its current form in 1999 as a private non-profit company registered with the Palestinian Ministry of Economy. In May 2014, FATEN became licensed by the Palestine Monetary Authority (PMA). Since its establishment, FATEN has played a key role in supporting the MSME sector in the West Bank and Gaza, creating job opportunities and reducing poverty and unemployment rates.



| Private Actor 1 | Private Actor 1 Role | Private Actor 1 Sector | Relation | Private Actor 2 | Private Actor 2 Role | Private Actor 2 Sector |
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| - | - | - | - | Palestine for Credit and Development | Client | - |



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