Early Warning System

EBRD-53490 Poland REFF - SCB



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Quick Facts

Countries	Poland
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2022-09-06
Borrower	Santander Consumer Bank S.A.
Sectors	Energy, Finance
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 78.53 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 78.53 million

Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project consists of the provision of a senior loan of up to PLN 350 million (EUR 74 million equivalent) to Santander Consumer Bank S.A. (SCB) under the Poland-Renewable Energy Financing Facility (REFF) framework. The loan will be complemented by a comprehensive Technical Cooperation support package. Santander Consumer Bank S.A. will on-lend the EBRD funds to retail customers to finance eligible energy and resource saving projects in residential buildings in Poland.

The project will promote investments in energy efficiency measures in residential buildings through one of the leading consumer finance banks in Poland, contributing to energy savings and CO2 emission reductions.

Early Warning System Project Analysis

The EBRD categorized the project risks as 'FI'.



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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.

• Santander Consumer Bank S.A. (Financial Intermediary)

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You can contact the PCM at: pcm@ebrd.com or you can submit a complaint online using an online form at: http://www.ebrd.com/eform/pcm/complaint form?language=en

You can learn more about the PCM and how to file a complaint at: http://www.ebrd.com/work-with-us/project-finance/project-complaint-mechanism.html

Bank Documents

• Translation: Poland REFF - SCB (Polish)