

 Early Warning System

EBRD-53909

FIF - EaP SMEC - OTP Bank (former Mobiasbanca) II



Quick Facts

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| Countries | Moldova |
| Financial Institutions | European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) |
| Status | Approved |
| Bank Risk Rating | FI |
| Voting Date | 2022-11-15 |
| Borrower | MOBIASBANCA - OTP GROUP SA |
| Sectors | Finance, Industry and Trade |
| Investment Type(s) | Loan |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 15.82 million |
| Project Cost (USD) | \$ 15.82 million |



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project consists of the provision of a five-year senior unsecured loan of up to EUR 15 million to OTP Bank SA (OTP Bank) under the SME Competitiveness Programme in the Eastern Partnership for on-lending to eligible micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs). The loan will be available in three tranches of EUR 5 million each. In addition to long-term financing, eligible sub-borrowers will receive technical assistance funded by the European Union and grant support in the form of investment incentives upon the completion of their investment projects.

The SME Competitiveness Programme in the Eastern Partnership is a follow-on facility of the existing FI DCFTA Blended Finance Programme (DCFTA), designed for Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine to support upgrades in micro, small and medium-sized enterprises (MSME) to European Union (EU) standards. The proposed project will enable OTP Bank to extend loans for investment purposes to local SMEs, financing upgrades of technology and equipment necessary to meet EU standards in terms of product quality, health and safety measures and environmental preservation and thus will help businesses to become greener and more competitive.



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.

- [MOBIASBANCA](#) (Financial Intermediary)



| 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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| - | - | - | - | OTP Bank Group | Parent Company | - |



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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>