

 Early Warning System

EBRD-54317

Eurobank Bail-in Senior Preferred (Nephele IV)



### Quick Facts

Countries	Greece
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2020-12-16
Borrower	Eurobank SA
Sectors	Finance
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 130.50 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 2,195.31 million



### Project Description

The EBRD has invested in four bail-in-able issuances of Eurobank S.A. ("ERB") and its parent Eurobank Ergasias Services and Holdings S.A. ("ERBH").

The project supports the resilience and regulatory compliance of a systemically important institution in the country and contributes to the capital market development of Greece. The project also aims to support strong green targets with 150% of the EBRD's investment to be allocated to finance green projects in line with EBRD's Green Economy Transition eligibility criteria.



## Investment Description

- European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

On 28 April 2021, the EBRD invested EUR 50 million (10% participation) in a senior preferred bond issued by ERB as part of a public benchmark issuance of EUR 500 million listed on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange. On 7 September 2021, the EBRD invested another EUR 27 million (5.4% participation) in the second senior preferred bond issuance of ERB. On 29 November 2022, the EBRD invested EUR 10 million (3.3% of the issuance amount) in subordinated ('Tier 2') bonds issued by ERBH as part of a public issuance of EUR 300 million listed on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange. The bonds have a 10 year maturity with a call option on the fifth year (10NC5 structure). On 19 January 2023, the EBRD invested EUR 20 million (4% of the issuance amount) in senior preferred bonds issued by ERB as part of a public issuance of EUR 500 million to be listed on the Luxembourg Stock Exchange. The bonds have a 6 year maturity with a call option on the fifth year (6NC5 structure).

## 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.

- [Eurobank S.A.](#) (Financial Intermediary) **is owned by** [Eurobank Ergasias S.A.](#) (Parent Company)



### Private Actors Description

From the EIB's website:

Eurobank S.A. is one of the largest banks in Greece in terms of total assets. Its core business is concentrated in Greece and it is a well-recognised bank in South-Eastern Europe with presence in Bulgaria, Cyprus and Serbia. Eurobank S.A. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Eurobank Ergasias Services and Holdings SA listed on the Athens Stock Exchange.



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