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EBRD-54546

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Quick Facts

Countries	Moldova
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2023-07-18
Borrower	Eximbank JSCB
Sectors	Finance, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 11.23 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 11.23 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 11.23 million

Project Description

According to the EBRD, the project consists in the provision of a five-year senior loan of up to EUR 10 million, comprising two equal tranches with the second tranche being uncommitted, to Eximbank under the Financial Intermediaries Framework for onlending to eligible micro, small and medium enterprises.

The project will be implemented under FIF with proceeds to be used for on-lending to MSMEs in Moldova in accordance with the FIF Policy Statement. The transaction will help Eximbank to (i) diversify its funding structure with medium-term financing and (ii) support its MSME portfolio growth.

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• 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.

• Eximbank JSCB (Financial Intermediary) is owned by Intesa Sanpaolo S.p.A. (Parent Company)

Private Actors Description

As stated by the EBRD, Eximbank is a medium-sized universal commercial bank, owned by Intesa Sanpaolo since 2018. It is ranked 7th (out of 11 banks in the country) by total assets (EUR 246 million; 3% market share).

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