

 Early Warning System

EBRD-54981

InvestEU Green Capped Portfolio Guarantee Framework



Quick Facts

Countries	Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2023-12-14
Borrower	Financial institutions, including commercial banks and leasing companies.
Sectors	Energy, Finance, Transport
Investment Type(s)	Guarantee
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 161.97 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 161.97 million



Project Description

According to the EBRD, the project consists of a framework of capped unfunded portfolio guarantees of up to EUR 151.8 million to be provided by the EBRD, as an implementing partner under the European Union's InvestEU programme, to eligible partner financial intermediaries (PFIs) in the 12 EU countries of operations (EU12 CoOs) to cover newly-generated portfolios of loans financing eligible green projects across industry sectors, benefitting private enterprises - SMEs, mid- and large-cap companies - and publicly-owned companies. The Bank's guarantees will be partially covered by first loss risk cover provided by the European Commission (EC) under InvestEU.

The overall objective of the Framework is to contribute towards improved sustainability and minimised climate and environmental footprint of the EU economies where EBRD operates, address the vital issue of carbon intensity of the economies of the EU12 CoOs, the energy crisis triggered by the Russian war in Ukraine and the heightened economic uncertainty related to the ongoing military escalation in the Middle East. Using portfolio guarantee instruments by eligible credit enhancement providers allows banks to reduce the risk weights of their loan portfolios, thus optimising the use of capital and strengthening their capital resilience, while scaling up financing activities for sustainable investments.



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- European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)



Private Actors Description

Eligible partner financial intermediaries.

Not identified at the time of disclosure.



Contact Information

No contacts provided at the time of disclosure.

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