## Early Warning System

EBRD-55061

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#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Bulgaria, Croatia, Hungary, Romania, Slovenia
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2024-04-24
Borrower	BOOSTER CAPITAL FUND I
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Equity
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 16.29 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 108.62 million

#### **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the proposed transaction is an equity commitment of up to EUR 15 million in favour of Booster Capital Fund SCS (the "Fund").

The Fund will make equity and equity related investments in SMEs in Romania, Hungary, Bulgaria, Croatia and Slovenia, with the objective of generating long-term capital appreciation.



#### **Early Warning System Project Analysis**

Categorised FI (ESP 2019). The Fund will be required to comply with EBRD's Performance Requirements 2, 4 and 9, adopt and implement EBRD's Environmental and Social Risk Management Procedures for Active Equity Funds and to submit Annual Environmental and Social Reports to the Bank.



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An equity commitment of up to EUR 15 million.

#### **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.

• BOOSTER CAPITAL FUND I (Financial Intermediary)



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#### **Bank Documents**

- Translation: Booster Capital Fund (Bulgarian)
- Translation: Booster Capital Fund (Croatian)
- Translation: Booster Capital Fund (Hungarian)
- Translation: Booster Capital Fund (Romanian)
- Translation: Booster Capital Fund (Slovenian)