# Early Warning System

EBRD-55295

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# **Quick Facts**

Countries	Ukraine
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	FI
Voting Date	2024-05-29
Borrower	BANK LVIV JSC
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 21.40 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 21.40 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 21.40 million

### **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the project consists of a senior unsecured LCY-denominated loan of up to EUR 20 million equivalent to be provided to Bank Lviv in four equal tranches to enable the bank's support to private small and medium sized enterprises ("SMEs") in Ukraine. The facility is under the EBRD Resilience and Livelihoods Framework

The Project will help Bank Lviv to maintain a sustainable funding base during the crisis and provide continued access to finance for private SMEs affected by the ongoing war on Ukraine. At least 30% of all financed sub-loans under the Project are to be directed on a best effort basis to support projects compliant with EBRD Green Economy Transition (GET) approach.

### **Investment Description**

• European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

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EBRD Finance Summary: EUR 20,000,000.00

Includes a committed tranche of EUR 5 million equivalent and up to EUR 5 million equivalent for each of three uncommitted tranches, calculated based on the UAH-EUR exchange rate at the time of disbursement of the respective tranche of the loan.

Total Project Cost: EUR 20,000,000.00

#### **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.

• Bank Lvivi JSC (Financial Intermediary)



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# **Private Actors Description**

BANK LVIV JSC - A regional MSME-focused bank in the western part of Ukraine with total assets of USD 280 million (ranked #27, 0.4% market share) and a loan portfolio of USD 183 million (ranked #18, 1% market share) as of YE2023. The bank has a head office in Lviv and operates through 19 branches (1 in Kyiv, 13 in Lviv region and 5 in other main cities in the western part of Ukraine).



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# **Bank Documents**

• Framework project: Resilience and Livelihoods Framework