Early Warning System

# EBRD-55489

# EQR Hatay Arsuz Wastewater Project



#### **Quick Facts**

| Countries               | Turkiye                                                 |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Specific Location       | Arsuz district of city of Hatay                         |  |  |  |
| Financial Institutions  | European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) |  |  |  |
| Status                  | Proposed                                                |  |  |  |
| Bank Risk Rating        | В                                                       |  |  |  |
| Voting Date             | 2025-04-30                                              |  |  |  |
| Borrower                | Government of Turkiye                                   |  |  |  |
| Sectors                 | Infrastructure, Water and Sanitation                    |  |  |  |
| Investment Type(s)      | Loan                                                    |  |  |  |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 103.72 million                                       |  |  |  |
| Loan Amount (USD)       | \$ 103.72 million                                       |  |  |  |
| Project Cost (USD)      | \$ 103.72 million                                       |  |  |  |



### **Project Description**

As stated by the EBRD, the project consists of a sovereign loan of up to EUR 100m to the Republic of Turkiye represented by the Ministry of Treasury and Finance, which will be on-granted to Hatay Water and Sewage Administration ("HATSU") in Turkiye. The loan will finance the construction of up to 370 km of a sewer network and Ucgulluk Wastewater Treatment Plant ("WWTP") with a capacity of 21,000m3/d, deep-sea discharge, including construction supervision services and procurement of maintenance equipment, in the Arsuz district of city of Hatay, subject to the outcome of technical due diligence.

The Project aims to support the construction of essential wastewater infrastructure in Hatay, a region severely impacted by the two catastrophic earthquakes with magnitude of 7.7 and 7.6 on February 6, 2023, which caused a widespread devastation across 11 provinces in southeastern Turkiye, severely disrupting the livelihoods of countless people.

The Bank's investment is intended to improve essential services in the region and support the long-term resilience and sustainability of the city's infrastructure.

The Borrower is the Republic of Turkiye, represented by the Ministry of Treasury and Finance. HATSU is the Beneficiary of the Project. ILBANK is a development and investment bank owned by municipalities and provincial special administrations. The Project will be carried out by HATSU with the oversight and supervision of ILBANK.

#### **Investment Description**

• European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)



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| Private Actor 1 | Private Actor<br>1 Role | Private Actor<br>1 Sector | Relation | Private Actor 2             | Private Actor<br>2 Role | Private Actor<br>2 Sector |
|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| -               | -                       | -                         | -        | Iller Bankasi A.S. (Ilbank) | Contractor              | Finance                   |

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You can learn more about the PCM and how to file a complaint at: http://www.ebrd.com/work-with-us/project-finance/project-complaint-mechanism.html



#### **Bank Documents**

• Translation: EQR Hatay Arsuz Wastewater Project (Turkish)