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## **Quick Facts**

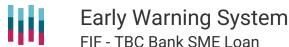
Countries	Georgia
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2024-07-09
Borrower	TBC BANK JSC
Sectors	Finance, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 25.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 35.00 million

## **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the project consists of a senior unsecured SME loan in the amount of up to USD 25 million in local currency to be provided to JSC TBC Bank. The project will enable TBC to finance private sector SMEs operating in Georgia at a multiple of 1.4x, while 50% of proceeds will be used to finance GET-eligible investments.

# **Early Warning System Project Analysis**

Categorised FI (ESP 2019).



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Total Project Cost: USD 35 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.

• JSC TBC Bank (Financial Intermediary)

#### **Private Actors Description**

TBC Bank ('TBC') is a leading universal bank in Georgia. It offers a full range of financial products and services to the retail, corporate and MSME clients through the wide distribution network of 130 branches and digital channels. TBC's credit rating is BB/Stable by Fitch, Ba2/Stable by Moody's.

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#### **Bank Documents**

• Translation: FIF - TBC Bank SME Loan (Georgian)

## **Other Related Projects**

• EBRD-55952 FIF - TBC Bank SME Loan II