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#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Bosnia and Herzegovina
Financial Institutions	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2025-05-13
Borrower	Intesa Sanpaolo BiH
Sectors	Energy, Finance, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 2.24 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 2.24 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 2.24 million



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#### **Project Description**

As stated by the EBRD, the project consists of the provision of a senior unsecured loan of up to EUR2 million to Intesa Sanpaolo BiH for on-lending to the residential sector in BiH. The loan is envisaged under the Western Balkans Green Economy Financing Facility III - REpower. This will enable the bank to promote green economy investments in the country.

The proceeds of the loan will be used to provide financing to ISP BiH for gender-responsive on-lending to eligible subborrowers in the residential sector for investments supporting Green Economy Transition - eligible residential renewable energies and energy efficient technologies.

The project will be supported by a comprehensive technical assistance package to ISP BiH and sub-borrowers to facilitate the project preparation and successful implementation of the WB GEFF III programme. The source for TC is funded by Japan-EBRD Cooperation Fund and the European Union (EU) via Western Balkans Investment Framework (WBIF) through European Western Balkans Joint Fund (EWBJF). The source for non-TC funding is provided by the EU via WBIF through EWBJF.



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

The EBRD categorized the project environmental and social risk as 'FI'.

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#### **Investment Description**

• European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD)

#### **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.

• INTESA SANPAOLO BANKA DD BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA (Financial Intermediary) is owned by Intesa Sanpaolo S.p.A. (Parent Company)



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#### **Private Actors Description**

As stated by the EBRD, Intesa Sanpaolo Banka d.d. Bosnia and Herzegovina is the 6th largest bank in Bosnia and Herzegovina with assets of EUR 1.51bn and a market share of 6.9% by total assets at YE 2024. The company is headquartered in Sarajevo and services the entire territory of BiH through electronic channels and a network of 43 branches. At YE 2024, the bank had 612 employees.



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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



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#### **Bank Documents**

• PSD Translation (Bosnian)



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#### **Other Related Projects**

• EBRD-53344 Western Balkans GEFF III