

 Early Warning System

EIB-20150110  
LIGHT RAIL ROTTERDAM



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Netherlands
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	European Investment Bank (EIB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	U
<b>Voting Date</b>	2016-12-15
<b>Borrower</b>	ROTTERDAMSE ELEKTRISCHE TRAM NV
<b>Sectors</b>	Construction, Infrastructure, Transport
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 103.73 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 207.46 million



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## Project Description

This project finances the purchase of modern light rail vehicles and the refurbishment and construction of related infrastructure to improve public transport in the region.



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## Investment Description

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Rotterdamse Elektrische Tram (RET) is the main public transport operator in Rotterdam, Netherlands. Under this project, RET is responsible for the purchase of 16 three-section light rail vehicles from Bombardier, Inc. Bombardier, Inc, is a Canadian multinational aerospace and transportation company and is the parent company of Bombardier Aerospace, Bombardier Transportation, and Short Brothers.



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## Contact Information

\*No contacts available\*

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[http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints\\_mechanism\\_policy\\_en.pdf](http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints_mechanism_policy_en.pdf)

When dissatisfied with a complaint to the EIB Complaints Mechanism, citizens can then turn towards the European Ombudsman. A memorandum of Understanding has been signed between the EIB and the European Ombudsman establishes that citizens (even outside of the EU if the Ombudsman finds their complaint justified) can turn towards the Ombudsman on issues related to 'maladministration' by the EIB. Note that before going to the Ombudsman, an attempt must be made to resolve the case by contacting the EIB. In addition, the complaint must be made within two years of the date when the facts on which your complaint is based became known to you. You can write to the Ombudsman in any of the languages of the European Union. Additional details, including filing requirements and complaint forms, are available at:

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