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### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Germany, Netherlands
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2016-12-28
Borrower	NIBC BANK NV
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Guarantee
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 260.37 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 260.37 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 729.04 million

#### **Project Description**

According to EIB website, this mid-cap guarantee operation will be set up as a risk-sharing instrument under the InnovFin Mid-cap Guarantee facility established within the scope of the Horizon 2020 Debt Financial Instrument targeting research and innovation-driven mid-caps. The guarantee will cover 50% of the credit risk associated with a portfolio of new loans to mid-caps originated by NIBC Bank NV. The guarantee is expected to provide regulatory capital relief to NIBC Bank. It intends to increase the capacity of NIBC Bank to fund innovative mid-caps, as a result of the regulatory capital relief resulting from the issuance of the guarantee.

It will be ensured that this project is implemented in compliance with the EU legislation in terms of environmental and social aspects.

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• European Investment Bank (EIB)

#### **Contact Information**

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints mechanism policy en.pdf

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• InnovFin: EIB to guarantee EUR 500m loans by NIBC to Mid-Caps