Early Warning System

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Quick Facts

Countries	Netherlands
Specific Location	Rotterdam
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2017-02-01
Borrower	Koninkrijk der Nederlanden
Sectors	Infrastructure, Transport
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1,058.25 million

Project Description

This 20-year project finances the construction of a 2x3 lane motorway stretching 4.2km, incorporating below river and land based tunnels. The motorway also includes lowered connections to the A20 motorway, and elevated connections to the A15 motorway.

The project aims to increase capacity and improve road safety of this section of the TEN-T road network.

Investment Description

• European Investment Bank (EIB)

This project is being procured as a design-build-finance-maintain public-private partnership.

Concession bids are expected to happen in 2017 and include design, construction, financing and maintenance.

Contact Information

ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF FIB

The EIB Complaints Mechanism is designed to facilitate and handle complaints against the EIB by individuals, organizations or corporations affected by EIB activities. When exercising the right to lodge a complaint against the EIB, any member of the public has access to a two-tier procedure, one internal - the Complaints Mechanism Office - and one external - the European Ombudsman. A complaint can be lodged via a written communication addressed to the Secretary General of the EIB, via email to the dedicated email address complaints@eib.org, by completing the online complaint form available at the following address: http://www.eib.org/complaints/form, via fax or delivered directly to the EIB Complaints Mechanism Division, any EIB local representation office or any EIB staff. For further details, check:

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: http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu/atyourservice/interactiveguide.faces

Bank Documents

- Environmental and Social Data Sheet [Original Source]
- Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (Dutch)