Early Warning System

EIB-20170053

RDI AND PRODUCTION EXPANSION FOR DAIRY PRODUCTS

Quick Facts

Countries	Germany
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2017-11-16
Borrower	MÜLLER GROUP
Sectors	Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 106.00 million
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Project Cost (USD)	$ 252.05 million

Project Description

According to EIB website, the project is an investment in new premises Muller Group's existing sites, as well as RDI investments in order to enhance competitiveness through innovation in the food sector. The activities will be carried out predominantly in Germany between 2017 and 2020 by a leader in the dairy sector in the EU. The project is consists of:

1. Construction and operation of a processing & packaging plant for dairy products

2. Research, development and innovation (RDI) investments related to food quality, new health ingredients, packaging technologies and the expansion of the product line.

Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)

Contact Information

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

- Environmental and Social Data Sheet