Early Warning System

# EIB-20180061

## BUDAPEST DISTRICT HEATING STRATEGIC INVESTMENTS



#### **Quick Facts**

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Countries	Hungary
Specific Location	Budapest
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	BUDAPESTI TAVHOSZOLGALTATO ZARTKORUEN MUKODO RESZVENYTARSASAG
Sectors	Construction, Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 88.65 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 203.16 million



### **Project Description**

This project provides financing for investments in the district heating system of Budapest through modernizing, extending and interconnecting the network, and increasing capacity of heat generation facilities. This includes replacing small fossil fuel-fired heating boilers in residential and public buildings.

The aim of this project is to optimize heat generation and reduce emmissions of greenhouse gases.



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### **Contact Information**

No contact information available at time of writing.

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