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Quick Facts

Countries	Morocco
Specific Location	Casablanca
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2018-07-06
Borrower	SOCIETE NATIONALE DES AUTOROUTES DU MAROC
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan

Project Description

According to EIB website, the project consists of the widening of the Casablanca-Berrechid motorway (25.8 km) and the Casablanca motorway bypass between the Mohammedia and the Lissasfa interchanges (31.7 km), from 2x2 lanes to 2x3 lanes. It addresses traffic growth and improves transport conditions and road safety. Both investments that make up the project aim at improving level of service, relieving congestion, for both commuting and transit traffic through and from Casablanca (the second largest city in the Maghreb region). The project meets the Bank's priority objectives for transport lending and is in line with the Bank's objectives.

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- European Investment Bank (EIB)

Contact Information

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

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