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Quick Facts

Countries	France
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	DEPARTEMENT DES BOUCHES-DU-RHONE
Sectors	Education and Health
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 169.72 million
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Project Cost (USD)	$ 349.62 million

Project Description

According to EIB website, the project includes the new construction, reconstruction, extension and renovation of colleges (that is, lower secondary schools) in the Bouches-du-Rhône department of France. It targets a subset of the departmental investment plan for education, the "Plan Charlemagne". The project integrates 22 investment operations for public colleges: four college buildings, three college reconstructions, three college building constructions, six partial modernization operations of existing colleges, including renovation, reconstruction and / or new construction, and six existing college renovation projects or other developments related to internal retrofit, improved energy efficiency or the use of renewable energy.

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Contact Information

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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