### Early Warning System

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#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Latvia
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	ATTISTIBAS FINANSU INSTITUCIJA ALTUM AS
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 22.06 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 29.42 million



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#### **Project Description**

According to the bank website, "The project consists of a framework loan to ALTUM, the national promotional institution. The operation falls within the Private Finance for Energy Efficiency (PF4EE) instrument scope, a joint financial instrument with the European Commission to promote energy efficiency lending by financial institutions.

This operation intends to bring environmental benefits by supporting projects that reduce energy consumption and help to mitigate climate change. The individual schemes to be financed are small and are expected to have very limited negative environmental impacts."

#### **Investment Description**

• European Investment Bank (EIB)



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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**

• Latvia: ALTUM and EIB join forces for energy efficiency investments