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Quick Facts

Countries	Laos
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2019-12-20
Borrower	LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 100.00 million
Loan Amount (USD)	$ 100.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 398.00 million

Project Description

According to the bank document, the proposed framework loan is expected to finance road rehabilitation works in Laos to maintain and improve connectivity and accessibility and to improve their climate resilience. The project will include road sections that require urgent rehabilitation as their current condition hampers economic development and access to public services.

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This operation is covered by the EU Guarantee for EIB loans outside the EU.

Contact Information

There is no further information being disclosed at this stage of the project

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