Early Warning System

# EIB-20190761 MVM DISTRIBUTION NETWORK UPGRADE



#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Hungary
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	NKM ARAMHALOZATI KFT
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 140.92 million



## **Project Description**

According to the bank website, this project consists of an investment programme including schemes for the reinforcement and modernisation of the electricity distribution network in South-East Hungary.

The project includes schemes that fall under Annex II of Directive 2014/52/EU amending the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Directive 2011/92/EU, thus requiring a review by the competent authorities at the permitting stage, with regards to the necessity for environmental and biodiversity assessments. The impacts that can typically be expected from some schemes relate to visual impact, vegetation clearance, collision and electrocution of flying vertebrates, electromagnetic fields, noise nuisance, and disturbance during construction.



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#### **Bank Documents**

• Environmental and Social Data Sheet (ESDS)