Early Warning System

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Quick Facts

Countries Bulgaria

Financial Institutions European Investment Bank (EIB)

Status Proposed

Bank Risk Rating U

Borrower FUND FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND GOVERNMENTS IN BULGARIA - FLAG EAD - SOFIA

Sectors Infrastructure

Investment Type(s) Loan

Loan Amount (USD) \$ 29.42 million

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Project Description

The proposed project operation consists of a framework loan to FLAG to support the modernization and expansion of the urban infrastructure of municipalities across Bulgaria. The loan will be added to the investments supported by the urban development Decentralized Financial Instruments (DFI) and will cover smaller scale investments in multiple sectors.

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Bank Documents

• Environmental and Social Data Sheet (ESDS)