Early Warning System

# EIB-20200318

# PROGRAMME COLLECTIVITES FRANCE VS COVID-19



# **Quick Facts**

Countries	France
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2020-07-14
Borrower	PUBLIC ENTITY(IES)
Sectors	Education and Health, Finance, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 1,711.56 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 1,711.56 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 2,567.34 million



# **Project Description**

The project will finance a multi-thematic programme aimed at supporting French public authorities for their urgent investments linked to the COVID-19 health crisis and its consequences. The programme loan will be entirely dedicated to the financing of expenditure and investments of local authorities in France (Regions, Departments, inter-municipalities and municipalities) responding to the health crisis and the EIB sectors of activity, such as protective EIB equipment, sanitary facilities, funding for research and development, SMEs support, soft traffic, climate action, particularly convergence regions.

#### French translation provided:

Le projet consiste en la réalisation d'un programme multi-thématique visant à soutenir les collectivités publiques françaises pour leurs investissements urgents liés à la crise sanitaire COVID-19 et ses suites. Le prêt programme sera entièrement dédié au financement de dépenses et d'investissements des collectivités locales en France (Régions, Départements, intercommunalités et communes) répondant à la crise sanitaire et dans les secteurs d'activité de la BEI (exemples: équipements de protection, aménagements sanitaires, financement de la recherche-développement, soutien aux PME, circulations douces, action climatique notamment dans les régions en convergence).



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# **Contact Information**

\*Project contacts are not available at the time of disclosure.\*

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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



# **Other Related Projects**

- EIB-20200539 COLLECTIVITES FRANCE VS COVID 19 GRENOBLE
- EIB-20200585 COLLECTIVITES FRANCE VS COVID 19 GRAND CHAMBERY
- EIB-20200540 COLLECTIVITES FRANCE VS COVID19 BOUCHES DU RHONE
- EIB-20200762 COLLECTIVITES VS COVID 19 LE NORD
- EIB-20210606 COLLECTIVITES VS COVID 19 CALL EAU & DECHETS