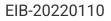
Early Warning System

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DE LAGE LANDEN SUSTAINABILITY L4SME-MIDCAPS 2



Quick Facts

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Countries	Belgium, Germany, Italy, Poland, Spain
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2023-11-09
Borrower	De Lage Landen Finans AB,De Lage Landen International BV,De Lage Landen Leasing,and others
Sectors	Climate and Environment, Finance, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 320.01 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 320.01 million



Project Description

As stated by the EIB, the project will finance small/medium scale projects carried out by small and medium sized enterprises (SMEs) and Midcaps with a strong focus towards sustainability.

The project supports the financing of small scale projects carried out by SMEs and Mid-Caps across the EU with high relevance in terms of sustainability. The project has a very good policy contribution as it addresses access to finance for SMEs and Mid-Caps with a focus on Climate Action & Environmental Sustainability. The operation is a further step in the implementation of the Climate Action & Environmental Sustainability via financial intermediaries, targeting a specific sub-segment of SME/Mid-Cap lending.

Investment Description

• European Investment Bank (EIB)

Financial Intermediary

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

- DE LAGE LANDEN FINANS AB (Financial Intermediary)
- De Lage Landen International B.V. (Financial Intermediary)
- De Lage Landen Leasing N.V. (Financial Intermediary)



Private Actors Description

As stated by Bloomberg, De Lage Landen International B.V. (DLL) provides financial services. The Company offers commercial, retail, and used equipment financing services. DLL serves agri, food, healthcare, construction, and transport industries worldiwde.

The other branches of the De Lage Landen Group operate in the same, or similar sectors.

Contact Information

Project contacts not provided at the time of disclosure.

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ACCESS TO INFORMATION

You can submit an information request for project information at: https://www.eib.org/en/infocentre/registers/request-form/request-form-default.htm

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http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints_mechanism_policy_en.pdf

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