Early Warning System

EIB-20220625 BOAD EQUITY INCREASE



Quick Facts

| Financial Institutions | European Investment Bank (EIB) | | | |
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| Status | Approved | | | |
| Bank Risk Rating | U | | | |
| Voting Date | 2022-12-14 | | | |
| Borrower | BANQUE OUEST AFRICAINE DE DEVELOPPEMENT | | | |
| Sectors | Finance | | | |
| Investment Type(s) | Equity | | | |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 28.00 million | | | |
| Project Cost (USD) | \$ 56.00 million | | | |



Project Description

According to bank provided information, the investment involves an increase of EIB's existing 0.4% equity stake in the West African Development Bank by a direct equity investment of up to USD 28 million to reach a shareholding of at least 1% after the West African Development Bank's capital increase.

The capital increase shall support the implementation of the West African Development Bank's current 5-year strategic plan and therewith ensure a competitive source of public financing for the region.



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| Private Actor 1 | Private Actor 1 Role | Private Actor 1 Sector | Relation | Private Actor 2 | Private Actor 2 Role | Private Actor 2 Sector |
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| - | - | - | - | BANQUE OUEST AFRICAINE DE DEVELOPPEMENT | Client | - |

Contact Information

Contact information not provided at the time of disclosure

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

ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF EIB

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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