

 Early Warning System

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CABO VERDE BLUE ECONOMY SUSTAINABLE PORTS FL



Quick Facts

Countries	Cape Verde
Specific Location	São Vicente, Santo Antão, São Vicente and Sal
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2024-06-20
Borrower	CABNAVE - ESTALEIROS NAVAIS DE CABO VERDE SA; EMPRESA NACIONAL DE ADMINISTRACAO DOS PORTOS EP
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 122.05 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 245.17 million



### Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project consists of a Framework loan to finance the rehabilitation and expansion of various ports in the archipelago of Cabo Verde (on different islands including Santo Antão, São Vicente and Sal), as well as of the country's main shipyard located in São Vicente, contributing to the sustainability and resilience of the sector.

The objective of the proposed framework loan is to transform Cape Verde ports and main shipyard into a regional centre of excellence, equipped with modern technology, infrastructure and human resources. Indeed, investments in ports and related blue economy infrastructures are necessary to expand the country's economy by unifying a scattered market and creating the necessary conditions to explore international connections, value chains and markets.



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- European Investment Bank (EIB)

A Framework loan, under EFSD+ Guarantee



### Private Actors Description

The CABNAVE – Estaleiros Navais de Cabo Verde, SA, is an industrial company, headquartered in Mindelo, São Vicente island. It is a ship repair yard, designed, built and equipped to ensure all the necessary support for fishing, cargo and tug fleets operating in its region, as well as, with the firm purpose of contributing to the country's maritime safety and socioeconomic development.

EMPRESA NACIONAL DE ADMINISTRACAO DOS PORTOS EP (ENAPOR) is a public limited company with public capital held directly and exclusively by the State of Cape Verde.

A sociedade, enquanto concessionária geral dos portos, tem por objecto a administração, gestão e exploração económica dos Portos de Cabo Verde, terminais e zonas de jurisdição portuária, cuidando da sua conservação, planeamento e desenvolvimento, abrangendo o exercício das competências e prerrogativas de autoridade portuária que lhe sejam ou venham a ser cometidas.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	CABNAVE - ESTALEIROS NAVAIS DE CABO VERDE SA	Client	-
-	-	-	-	EMPRESA NACIONAL DE ADMINISTRACAO DOS PORTOS EP (ENAPOR)	Client	-



### Contact Information

*No contacts available 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>

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