

 Early Warning System

EIB-20230681

OEBB SERVICEJET RETTUNGSZUEGE



Quick Facts

Countries	Austria
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2025-01-09
Borrower	OEBB-INFRASTRUKTUR AG
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 123.56 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 274.91 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project will finance the acquisition of 18 high-tech-hybrid service jets trains for fire extinguishing and rescue, serving in maintenance, train rescue and firefighting roles. The new trains will have three propulsion systems, such as electric, battery only and diesel (emergency-use only).

By replacing the existing, obsolete and age expired fleet, the project will enable the Austrian railway network to continue delivery essential maintenance and safety services with improved operational efficiency, reliability and effectiveness.

The three carriage train is designed for bidirectional movement without the need for reconfiguration and can reach speeds of up to 160 km/h. This significantly reduces response times in emergencies compared to the existing OEBB firefighting and rescue trains.



Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)



Private Actors Description

ÖBB-Infrastruktur AG (sometimes abbreviated to ÖBB Infra) is a subsidiary of ÖBB-Holding AG. ÖBB-Infrastruktur is responsible for train path allocation, operation, and maintenance of the Austrian rail network, as well as the planning, design, and construction of rail infrastructure, stations, and stops. The company's sole shareholder is ÖBB-Holding AG, which is wholly owned by the Republic of Austria (federal government). As of December 31, 2022, ÖBB-Infrastruktur holds 24 investments in other companies.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	OBB-INFRASTRUKTUR AG	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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