

 Early Warning System

EIB-20240045

HELABA PS PROJECTS IN KASSEL



Quick Facts

Countries	Germany
Specific Location	Kassel
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen Girozentrale (Helaba)
Sectors	Construction, Education and Health, Finance
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 113.74 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 113.74 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 227.48 million



Project Description

According to the EIB, the project consists of an intermediate loan to finance the construction of a secondary school building for 900 students as well as a fire brigade in the city of Kassel.

The aim is to contribute to improve educational facilities as well as the quality and the attractiveness of the public spaces. The fire brigade and rescue station will promote the city's resilience and civil protection, in line with the municipality's climate adaptation goals.



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.

- [Helaba Landesbank Hessen-Thüringen](#) (Financial Intermediary)



Private Actors Description

As stated by Bloomberg, Landesbank Hessen-Thueringen Girozentrale, doing business as Helaba Landesbank Hessen-Thueringen, provides banking services. The Bank offers savings accounts, corporate financing, online banking, investment management, and business development services. Helaba Landesbank Hessen-Thueringens serves customers worldwide.



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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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