

 Early Warning System

EIB-20250214

PROJECT AJAX



Quick Facts

Countries	Lithuania
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2025-10-22
Borrower	Government of Lithuania
Sectors	Education and Health, Infrastructure, Law and Government, Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 580.36 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 1,160.71 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project will co-finance the Republic of Lithuania's state defence budget for 2024-2030. The aim is to enhance the European Union's security and defence capabilities, contributing to the provision of a public good.

The Project is structured as a framework loan including development of infrastructure and acquisition of equipment schemes. It includes several schemes under the following broad investment categories: (i) harbour boats for patrolling, piloting and towing; (ii) medical transport and equipment; and (iii) infrastructure development comprising development of accommodation, administrative, training, transport and logistics infrastructure.

The infrastructure and equipment included in the project do not include any weapons or ammunition.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

According to the Environmental and Social Data Sheet, for schemes subject to a screening procedure or EIA procedure, the Promoter will submit to the Bank the screening out decision or the EIA report and the environmental consent, including confirmation of unlikelihood or absence of impact on Natura 2000 sites, as applicable, as well as the building permits.



Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)

A framework loan.



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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Bank Documents

- [25/10/2025 - Environmental and Social Data Sheet \(ESDS\) - PROJECT AJAX](#)