Early Warning System

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Quick Facts

Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	ACCEPTABLE CORPORATE(S)
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry
Investment Type(s)	Fund
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 46.06 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 230.31 million

Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project consists of a fund focused on regenerating natural ecosystems for sustainable environmental and financial impact by selling carbon credits via long term offtake agreements.

The Fund will invest in sustainability-focused projects in forestry, mangroves and agroforestry sectors. The target projects will generate the highest quality removal carbon credits, which will be sold via long-term offtake agreements. The emerging markets will be targeted, creating positive impacts in terms of carbon sequestration climate change mitigation and adaptation, biodiversity protection and community inclusion. The Fund will contribute to climate adaptation targets by creating nature-based carbon credits with environmental integrity.

Early Warning System Project Analysis

The Fund will be required to identify and assess the environmental and social risks, impacts and opportunities as part of the standard due diligence process for each underlying investment, thereby ensuring that the investments are in compliance with applicable national and EU environmental and social legislation as well as the relevant EIB's Environmental and Social Standards. Details of the Fund's environmental and social due diligence procedures as well as the capacity of the Fund Manager to implement the environmental and social risk management system will be reviewed during appraisal.

Investment Description

• European Investment Bank (EIB)

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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http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints mechanism policy en.pdf

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