Early Warning System

FMO-53525 BURAPHA AGRO-FORESTRY CO. LTD



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Quick Facts

Countries	Laos
Specific Location	Greater Vientiane area
Financial Institutions	Netherlands Development Finance Company (FMO)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	В
Borrower	BURAPHA AGRO-FORESTRY CO. LTD
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 5.00 million
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Project Description

Burapha is a Lao-Swedish joint venture with forest plantations and processing capacity, which develops and manages agroforestry plantations in the greater Vientiane area (Laos). Burapha's strategy is to increase its plantation base and to build a plywood mill of nominal capacity 59,000 m3, with the ultimate objective to produce cost-competitive and sustainable FSC certified wood products, mainly plywood, for export and the domestic market.

The proposed funding will be used for CAPEX of the plywood mill and expansion of plantations from 3,540 ha to 7,000 ha by the end of 2019.

Investment Description

• Netherlands Development Finance Company (FMO)

Contact Information

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