### Early Warning System

# FMO-54742 OFF-GRID ELECTRIC TANZANIA LIMITED



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#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Tanzania
Financial Institutions	Netherlands Development Finance Company (FMO)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2018-12-18
Borrower	Republic of Tanzania
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 12.50 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 12.50 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 12.50 million

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#### **Project Description**

Off-Grid Electric Tanzania LTD (active under the brand name ZOLA Electric) is one of the leading providers of Off-Grid solar home systems in Tanzania. The company's business model consists of the design, manufacture, distribution, and financing of various solar-powered energy solutions, through a Pay-As-You-Go offering. Customers pay off their system and associated devices through a 3-year pay plan.

The objective of the investment is to allow Off-Grid Electric Tanzania to continue its expansion in the market. The proceeds of the funds will primarily be used to fund the acquisition of inventory and the general scale-up of the business.

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• Netherlands Development Finance Company (FMO)



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#### **Bank Documents**

• Project Information