Early Warning System

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Quick Facts

Countries	Armenia				
Financial Institutions	Netherlands Development Finance Company (FMO)				
Status	Approved				
Bank Risk Rating	C				
Voting Date	2019-05-15				
Borrower	Armeconombank				
Sectors	Finance				
Ring Fence	Small & Medium Enterprises				
Investment Type(s)	Loan				
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 10.00 million				

Project Description

According to the Bank's website, this project provides financing to Armeconombank to finance their micro, small and medium-sized enterprises portfolio. The loan will especially be used to finance a combination of micro clients and eligible women and youth clients of Armeconombank.

According to the Bank, this project will have minimal or no adverse environmental and social impacts.

Investment Description

• Netherlands Development Finance Company (FMO)

Private Actor Relationship

There is often limited information publicly available about what development banks are funding through financial intermediaries. In 2021, the Early Warning System partnered with Oxfam International to incorporate information on high-risk projects being funded by financial intermediaries receiving funding from the International Finance Corporation (IFC) and the Dutch Development Bank (FMO).

The information listed below describes the relationship between the different private actors linked to high-risk sectors and subprojects of IFC and FMO's financial intermediary investments and/or the financial intermediary's parent companies made from 2017 through 2020, including any associated ring fences.

The database, however, does not explicitly or implicitly imply that IFC or FMO have material exposure to or are contractually or legally accountable to the sub-projects financed by their financial intermediaries or the financial intermediary's parent companies. It only shows a seemingly financial relationship among the different private actors, the financial intermediaries, and IFC or FMO.

Private Actors Description

Armeconombank is a mid-sized universal bank with a focus on micro, small and medium sized enterprises and retail.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Armeconombank	Client	-

Contact Information

No contact information available at time of writing.

ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF FMO

Communities who believe they will be negatively affected by a project funded by the Dutch Development Bank (FMO) may be able to file a complaint with the Independent Complaints Mechanism, which is the joint independent accountability mechanism of the Dutch Development Bank (FMO) and the German Investment Corporation (KfW). A complaint can be filed in writing, by email, post, or online. The complaint can be filed in English or any other language of the complainant. The Independent Complaints Mechanism is comprised of a three-member Independent Expert Panel and it can provide either problem-solving, compliance review or both, in either order. Additional information about this accountability mechanism, including a guide and template for filing a complaint, can be found at: https://www.fmo.nl/independent-complaints-mechanism