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Quick Facts

Countries	Bahamas
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2016-11-02
Borrower	The Commonwealth of The Bahamas
Sectors	Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 25.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 50.00 million

Project Description

This project will have the following specific objectives: (i) increase relevant skills and employability in productive jobs of programme beneficiaries; (ii) improve the effectiveness of the Public Employment Services; and (iii) enhance the capacity of the labour market´s intelligence systems. This will be achieved by: (i) the implementation of a pre-apprenticeships and apprenticeships program and establishment of sector skills councils to identify sector skills needs and articulate with training providers; (ii) strengthening the Department of Labour through modernization of its services, capacity building, and infrastructure improvements; and (iii) supporting the country’s labour market information system and increasing the labour sector’s data collection and forecasting capacity.

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The amount of this specific investment program is estimated in US$50 million, of which US$25 million will be financed from the resources of Ordinary Capital (OC) of the IADB and US$25 million will be financed from the local counterpart resources of the Government of the Bahamas. The programme has a six-year disbursement period.

Contact Information

ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF IADB

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