

Early Warning System

IADB-BL-J0005

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Quick Facts

Countries	Belize
Specific Location	Districts of Cayo and Belize, and others
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	B
Borrower	Belize Water Services Limited
Sectors	Water and Sanitation
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 1.00 million

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Project Description

According to the IADB, the general objective of this program is to reduce service gaps between urban and peri-urban/rural areas, through the following specific objectives: (i) increasing access to safe water in peri-urban and rural areas, with emphasis in vulnerable population such as migrants; and (ii) improving the operational and financial performance of BWS.

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Investment Description

- Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)

Private Actors Description

From the company's website:

Belize Water Services Limited is the national water and sewerage utility that was vested with the Assets and Liabilities of the Water and Sewerage Authority in March 2001. The company has issued share capital of forty million (40,000,000) shares with the Government of Belize, the majority shareholder, owning approximately 83% of the total shares; the Social Security Board holds 10% and the remaining 7% is held by some 1,400 minority shareholders.

Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Belize Water Services	Client	Water and Sanitation

Contact Information

No project contacts available at the time of disclosure.

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Bank Documents

- BL-L1043 ESA ESMP - Final Version - FFD [Original Source]
- BL-L1043 ESA ESMP - First draft [Original Source]
- BL-L1043 ESMF - Final Version [Original Source]