

 Early Warning System

IADB-EC-L1312

Project to Strengthen the Public Defender's Office to Improve the
Delivery of Justice and Legal Defense Services



Quick Facts

Countries	Ecuador
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2026-09-23
Borrower	Government of Ecuador
Sectors	Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 28.70 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 28.70 million



Project Description

According to the IADB, the General Development Objective (GDO) is to contribute to increasing access to justice services for vulnerable populations. The Specific Development Objectives (SDOs) are to: (i) increase the availability of public legal aid services for vulnerable populations; and (ii) improve the efficiency of public legal aid service delivery.



Investment Description

- Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)



Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure

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Bank Documents

- [Ecuador. Proyecto de Fortalecimiento de la Defensoria Publica \(PR-5414\)](#)