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### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Ecuador
Financial Institutions	Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2024-03-08
Borrower	Government of Ecuador
Sectors	Technical Cooperation, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 0.60 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 0.60 million



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### **Project Description**

According to the IADB, the objective of this technical cooperation (TC) is to support the improvement of solid waste management in Ecuador with a vision of climate change mitigation and an inclusive circular economy, through the execution of activities in the city of Cuenca, on the island of Galapagos, and at the national level. Leveraging the South Korean experience in sustainable waste management, technologies, and information.



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#### **Early Warning System Project Analysis**

According to the TC document:

The main risks associated with this TC are: (i) the low institutional capacity of the country in solid waste management; and (ii) low involvement of local governments in project implementation. To mitigate these risks, the components include knowledge sharing and capacity building to strengthen the results and lessons learned in the TC. As such, the sustainability of the TC will be focused on providing the beneficiaries with the required tools and pathways for the projects to achieve financial sustainability,

therefore operating after the assistance from the Bank has been completed by including in studies, policies and plans the components of sustainability and operation.



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### **Investment Description**

• Inter-American Development Bank (IADB)



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#### **Contact Information**

"No contacts available at the time of disclosure."

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#### **Bank Documents**

- Procurement Plan [Original Source]
- Request from the Client [Original Source]
- Results Matrix [Original Source]
- TC Document Disclosure [Original Source]
- Terms of Reference [Original Source]