

 Early Warning System

IDBI-15900-01

La Dorada - Chiriguana Railway Corridor



Quick Facts

Countries	Colombia
Specific Location	Caldas, Cesar
Financial Institutions	IDB Invest (IDBI)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	A
Voting Date	2026-03-28
Borrower	Sacos de Polipropileno Especializados, S.A. de C.V.
Sectors	Transport
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 200.00 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 200.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 200.00 million



Project Description

According to the IDBI, the APP La Dorada - Chiriguana Railway Corridor is a strategic initiative led by the National Infrastructure Agency (ANI) to reactivate freight rail transport in Colombia, promoting intermodality and logistical efficiency. The project involves the construction, rehabilitation, improvement, commissioning, operation, and maintenance of a railway corridor of approximately 525 kilometers, connecting the municipalities of La Dorada (Caldas) and Chiriguana (Cesar), and crossing five departments and twenty-five municipalities. It also includes the modernization of administrative and operational infrastructure, such as control buildings, workshops, communication and signaling systems, as well as the construction of logistics centers for cargo transfer.

The scope of the project covers three main functional units: (1) the rehabilitation and operation of the railway corridor and its branches, (2) the construction and operation of administrative and operational control infrastructure, and (3) the logistics infrastructure for cargo transfer services. The project aims to strengthen connectivity between the country's center and the Caribbean coast, boost foreign trade, energize local economies, and improve road and pedestrian safety in the areas of influence. It also encourages the hiring of local labor, the participation of regional suppliers, and the improvement of educational infrastructure, contributing to environmental sustainability through the reduction of CO2 emissions and efficient resource use.



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Private Actors Description

According to Bloomberg, Sacos De Polipropileno Especializado, S.A. De C.V. was founded in 1999. The Company's line of business includes the manufacturing of plastic and laminated coated bags.



Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Sacos de Polipropileno Especializados, S.A. de C.V.	Client	-



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