Early Warning System

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Quick Facts

Countries	Turkiye
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2022-12-16
Borrower	Citibank Turkey
Sectors	Finance, Humanitarian Response
Investment Type(s)	Guarantee
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 100.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 200.00 million

Project Description

According to the bank website, the Project is a 39-month, funded risk sharing facility (the "Facility") whereby Citibank and its affiliates ("Citi") and IFC would share the risk, on an up to 50-50% basis, in a portfolio of up to US\$200 million of senior trade loans that Citi provides to banks in Turkey. The project is part of a wider World Bank Group COVID-19 response, through which IFC plays a countercyclical role at a time when the appetite of lending institutions and other investors may be subdued due to the negative economic impacts of the global pandemic.

Early Warning System Project Analysis

The IFC categorized the project E&S risk as 'FI-2'.

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Financial Intermediary

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• Citibank Turkey (Financial Intermediary)

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