Early Warning System

IIC-12050-01 MAS Equity Partners



## **Quick Facts**

Countries	Colombia
Financial Institutions	IDB Invest (IDBI)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2017-07-11
Borrower	MAS Equity Fund III L.P.
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Equity
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 9.94 million



### **Project Description**

The IIC is proposing an equity investment for up to US\$10 million as a limited partner into MAS Equity Fund III, a Colombian private equity fund targeting investments in high growth companies operating in Colombia or focused in Colombia. The Fund will have a life of eight years with the possibility to extend two additional years starting April 2016.

It is a multi-sector fund that will primarily acquire minority positions in mid-market companies with a focus on: (a) niche segments and changing demographics; (b) strong and disciplined management teams with clear vision; (c) innovative business models in segments with sustainable competitive advantages; (d) clear value creation plan and exit opportunities; and (e) businesses with potential to expand nationally and internationally.

# Early Warning System Project Analysis

E&S category according to the bank:FI-2

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#### **Financial Intermediary**

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

• MAS Equity Fund III L.P. (Financial Intermediary)

## **Contact Information**

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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#### **Bank Documents**

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