Early Warning System

MIGA-12907 Equity Bank (South Sudan) Limited



Quick Facts

Countries	South Sudan
Financial Institutions	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2015-12-10
Borrower	Equity Group Holdings Limited
Sectors	Construction, Finance, Transport
Investment Type(s)	Guarantee
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 36.00 million



Project Description

This project finances an investment by Equity Group Holdings Limited of Kenya in its fully-owned subsidiary Equity Bank (South Sudan) Limited to support its diversified loan portfolio, which includes construction, transportation, trade finance and services, and other activities in South Sudan.

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• Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)

Equity Group Holdings Limited has applied for a MIGA guarantee of \$36.0 million for a period of up to 10 years against the risks of transfer restriction, expropriation, and war and civil disturbance. MIGA also proposes to use its Conflict-Affected and Fragile Economies Facility on a first-loss basis.

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.

• Equity Group Holdings Limited (Financial Intermediary)



Contact Information

No contacts available

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