Early Warning System

MIGA-15018

Kasada Hospitality Fund LP, Sub-project Galaxy



Quick Facts

Countries	Nigeria
Specific Location	Lagos
Financial Institutions	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2024-06-25
Borrower	Kasada Albatross Holding
Sectors	Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Guarantee
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 38.80 million





Project Description

According to the Bank's website, MIGA issued guarantees totaling US\$38.8 million to Kasada Albatross Holding, a subsidiary of Kasada Hospitality Fund LP (Kasada) of Mauritius, for its equity and shareholder loan investments for the acquisition, refurbishment, and operation of the 'Ikoyi Hotel' in Lagos, Nigeria, as well as the construction and operation of additional hospitality, conference, event, and co-working facilities. MIGA is providing political risk insurance coverage against the risks of Expropriation (Expro) and War and Civil Disturbance (WCD) for a period of up to 15 years.

This project is part of a Master Contract issued to Kasada Hospitality Fund LP on June 30, 2021. In total, MIGA has issued 18 individual Contracts of Guarantees under the Master Contract framework, covering 17 hospitality projects in Cote d'Ivoire, Senegal, Cameroon, Namibia, Kenya, Rwanda, and now Nigeria.



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Early Warning System Project Analysis

This is a Category B project according to IFC's / MIGA's Policy on Environmental and Social Sustainability (2012 / 2013). Based on IFC's review, coupled with existing knowledge of the sector, the project is expected to have limited adverse environmental and social risks and impacts that are site-specific, and can be avoided or mitigated by adhering to recognized good international industry practice (GIIP).

Key E&S risks and issues associated with this project include: (i) the Fund's E&S management system and procedures allied to the their internal capacity to effectively identify, assess and manage E&S risks and impacts associated with the portfolio of hotels as well as future new greenfield developments; (ii) provision of fair and safe working conditions for workers (including contractors) during both operational and refurbishment activities; (iii) the state of hospitality industry relations in the country and the level of engagement with labour unions; (iv) resource efficiency and waste management; (v) life and fire safety and emergency preparedness and response; and (vi) stakeholder engagement, including effective grievance management and redress.



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Private Actors Description

Kasada Hospitality Fund is a private equity fund with a focus on the Sub-Saharan Africa hospitality sector. The fund is owned by Accor (the 6th largest hotel management company in the world) and the Qatar Investment Authority (Qatar's sovereign wealth fund) as limited partners. Over the next three years, Kasada expects to establish a portfolio of up to 20 hotels requiring a total investment (debt and equity) of approximately US\$1 billion.



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Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	Kasada Albatross Holding	Client	-



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Bank Documents

- Environmental and Social Action Plan (ESAP)
- Environmental and Social Review Summary