Early Warning System

# NDB-SERRAWIND

## Serra da Palmeira Wind Power Project

#### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Brazil
Specific Location	State of Paraíba
Financial Institutions	New Development Bank (NDB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	China Three Gorges Brasil Energia S.A.
Sectors	Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 212.10 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 212.10 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 883.00 million



#### **Project Description**

As stated on the project disclosure page, NDB will finance the construction of the Serra da Palmeira power project, a 648-MW wind power project in the State of Paraíba, Brazil. The Project, with wind turbine generators to be imported from China, showcases increasing cooperation among NDB member countries. The Project's associated facilities include the construction of a 34.5/500-kV private substation and a 75-km long 500-kV transmission line connecting the Project to the Campina Grande III substation, which is the interface with the national grid.



#### **Investment Description**

• New Development Bank (NDB)



#### **Private Actors Description**

As stated by the NDB, China Three Gorges Brasil Energia S.A. (CTG Brasil) is a large power generation group in Brazil, with a total installed capacity of 8.3 GW including 17 hydroelectric power plants, 5 groups of wind farms, and 1 solar plant spread across eleven states in Brazil. In November 2023, CTG Brasil was awarded for the fourth consecutive year, with the gold seal of the Brazilian GHG Protocol Program, a national reference for measuring and managing greenhouse gas (GHG) inventories. As part of the strategy, CTG Group plans to increase further renewable energy generation capacity and will contribute to the diversification of the sources of electricity supply in Brazil.



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Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector		Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
China Three Gorges Corporation	Parent Company	Energy	owns	China Three Gorges Brasil Energia S.A. (CTG Brasil)	Client	Energy

#### **Contact Information**

No project contacts provided at the time of disclosure.

#### ACCESS TO INFORMATION

You can submit an information request for project information though a form at the bottom of the following webpoage https://www.ndb.int/about-us/contact-us/. Alternatively, you can send an e-mail to info@ndb.int.

#### ACCOUNTABILITY MECHANISM OF NEW DEVELOPMENT BANK

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