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Quick Facts

Countries	Kazakhstan
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	A
Voting Date	2020-03-31
Borrower	Ministry of Finance
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 500.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 500.00 million

Project Description

According to the Bank's website, this project aims to finance the growth of a competitive livestock sector in Kazakhstan. This will entail three results areas:

1. Improve access to international markets by: (i) establishing an effective traceability system; (ii) improving the quality of veterinary service delivery for safe meat production aligned with export orientation; and (iii) seeking to reduce the environmental footprint of the livestock sector in Kazakhstan

2. Support jobs and improve incomes in rural areas through: (i) improved management and utilisation of existing grasslands and pastures; (ii) increasing small and medium livestock farmers' access to grassland and pasture resources; (iii) supporting infrastructure upgrades to increase the quality and quantity of fodder; and (iv) promoting market linkages and service provision for small and medium farmers

3. Improve efficiency of public expenditures

The identified environmental risks include the following: (i) soil erosion due to overgrazing; (ii) water quality deterioration due to leakages of manure and other residue; (iii) increase of dust and particulate matter in the air due to degraded grazing areas and feedlots; (iv) increased noise at the feedlots; (v) increased GHG emissions (methane and CO2 emissions) from manure and animal wastes and reduced carbon sequestration capacity of land used for grazing; (vi) biodiversity loss due to grazing and reclaiming territory for feed production; (vii) water resource decrease; and (viii) trespassing of the territory on nature reserves

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