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Quick Facts

Countries	Solomon Islands
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2023-11-30
Borrower	Government of Solomon Islands
Sectors	Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 25.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 25.00 million



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Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the development objective of the project aims to support the Solomon Islands government through two series in its efforts to improve fiscal management, private sector development, and climate and disaster resilience. The series supports the government's objective to improve fiscal management, support private sector development, enhance resilience to climate change, natural disasters and health emergencies. Pillar 1 aims to support fiscal management by reforming the tax system, improving the fiscal regime of the extractives sector and a better management of public investments. This is aligned with the government's policy to implement tax reforms for revenue mobilization. Pillar 2 serves to improve the business environment by reducing energy costs, enhancing private sector credit and foreign investment, aligned with the government's policy statement to create and promote more opportunities for business. Finally, pillar 3 is aligned with the government's objective to enhance resilience to climate, natural disasters and health emergencies by updating the climate change policy, increasing resilience of buildings and improving the institutional and regulatory framework for health emergencies.



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Investment Description

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Bank Documents

- Concept Program Information Document (PID) The First Solomon Islands Resilience DPO with a Catastr [Original Source]
- Official Documents- Financing Agreement for Grant E2550-SB.pdf [Original Source]
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Other Related Projects

• WB-P181397 The Second Solomon Islands Resilience Development Policy Operation