

 Early Warning System

WB-P161348

Modernizing Afghan State-Owned Banks Project



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Afghanistan
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	World Bank (WB)
<b>Status</b>	Active
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	C
<b>Voting Date</b>	2018-03-28
<b>Borrower</b>	Government of Islamic Republic of Afghanistan
<b>Sectors</b>	Finance, Law and Government
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 40.00 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 40.00 million



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## **Project Description**

The objective of the project "is to enhance the corporate governance and operational efficiency of the supported Afghan state-owned banks, thereby contributing to their improved financial soundness and outreach".

The proposed project seeks to undertake the modernization of state owned banks in Afghanistan in order to address the underlying deficiencies of the country's financial sector that could result in economic growth and job creation.

The project will include the following three components:

- (i) Strengthening the ownership role of Ministry of Finance and the corporate governance of state owned banks.
- (ii) Supporting institutional development and business strategy of state owned banks as well as the modernization of IT systems and business processes of banks.
- (iii) Support for project implementation and monitoring.



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## Bank Documents

- [Afghanistan - Modernizing Afghan State-Owned Banks Project \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Concept Integrated Safeguards Data Sheet-Integrated Safeguards Document - Modernizing Afghan State O](#) [Original Source]
- [Disbursement Letter](#) [Original Source]
- [Financing Agreement](#) [Original Source]
- [Implementation Status and Results Report](#) [Original Source]
- [Official Documents- Agreement for Advance V0820-AF \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Official Documents- Disbursement Letter for Advance V0820-AF \(English\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Procurement Plan - \(Archive 4\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Procurement Plan - Archive 1](#) [Original Source]
- [Procurement Plan - Archive 2](#) [Original Source]
- [Procurement Plan - Archive 3](#) [Original Source]
- [Project Information Document-Integrated Safeguards Data Sheet \(English\)](#) [Original Source]