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# MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING OF 14 DECEMBER 2022

# Meeting of the Board of Directors – 14 December 2022 List of Participants

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Charlotte Ruhe
Dariga Sambayeva
Francis Malige
Michael Parry
Anne Fossemalle

# 1. Adoption of the Agenda

- The Agenda was approved.
- The Board of Directors noted that, since the previous meeting, the following items had been approved on a no-objection basis:

#### On 2 December 2022

EBRD Diversity and Inclusion Policy

#### On 5 December 2022

- Shareholder Special Fund: West Irbid Wastewater Treatment Plant
- Regional: Cersanit Ukraine and Poland (Under Regional: War on Ukraine -EBRD Resilience Package Resilience and Livelihoods Framework)

#### On 6 December 2022

- EvD Work Programme and Budget 2023-2025
- IPAM Work Programme and Budget 2023

## On 7 December 2022

- Albania: VISP: OSHEE COVID-19 Response Project
- Regional: P3 CEE Expansion
- Tunisia: BIAT (under Regional: Trade Facilitation Programme Framework)

## On 8 December 2022

- Amendment to the Rules of the EBRD Post-Graduation Special Fund

#### On 9 December 2022

- Shareholder Special Fund: ENR 10th Ramadan Railway Link

#### On 12 December 2022

- Internal Audit Update Proposed 2023 Work Plan
- Shareholder Special Fund: Western Balkans GEFF III Repower Residential 3 Banka AD
- Kyrgyz Republic: Chakan GES Modernization
- Greece: Project Ermis II

#### On 13 December 2022

- Mongolia: Oyu Tolgoi
- West Bank & Gaza: Bank of Palestine Limit Increase (under Regional Trade Facilitation Programme)
- Shareholder Special Fund: Regional InvestEU Advisory Hub for EU-12 COOs
- Shareholder Special Fund: Uzbekistan: Financial Intermediaries Development Technical Co-operation Programme Extension
- Jordan: MR3: Al Ghabawi Septic Tank Facility (under Municipal Resilience Refugee Response Framework)

- 2. Minutes of the Board Meeting of 21 September 2022 Minutes of the Board Meeting of 2 November 2022 Minutes of the Board Meeting of 30 November 2022
- The Board of Directors approved the Minutes and Addenda of 21 September,
   November and 30 November 2022.
- Summary of the Execution of the 2022 Borrowing Programme and the Proposed 2023 Borrowing Programme Report by the Chair of the Budget and Administrative Affairs Committee
- The Board of Directors approved the item.
- 4. Procedures and Terms of Reference of Board Committees
- The Board of Directors approved the revised Procedures and Terms of Reference of Board Committees.
- 5. Poland: Elemental Equity
- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.
- 6. Türkiye: FIF TurWiB II TEB (under Financial Intermediaries Framework)
- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.
- 7. Serbia: FIF SME Erste Bank Serbia (under Financial Intermediaries Framework)
- The Board of Directors approved the loan to Erste Bank Serbia in the amount of up to EUR 15 million under the Financial Intermediaries Framework. The loan will support the bank's plans to increase the credit flow to SMEs including new clients and those in economically less developed regions of the country.

- 8. Staff Compensation and Benefits Proposals for 2023
  Report by the Chair of the Budget and Administrative Affairs Committee
- The Board of Directors approved the item.
- Strategy Implementation Plan 2023-2025
   Report by the Chair of the Budget and Administrative Affairs Committee
- The Board of Directors approved the item.
- 10. Report of the Board of Directors to the Board of Governors Resilience and Reconstruction in Ukraine: The role of the EBRD
  Report by the Chair of the Financial and Operations Policies Committee
- The Board of Directors approved the item.
- 11. Ukraine: RLF Sunflower (under Regional: War on Ukraine EBRD Resilience Package, Resilience and Livelihoods Framework)
- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.
- 12. Ukraine: AMKR Working Capital (under Regional: War on Ukraine EBRD Resilience Package, Resilience and Livelihoods Framework)
- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.
- 13. Azerbaijan: Project Aztelekom
- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.

# 14. Poland: Project Pharmacist

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.

## 15. Türkiye: SASA GET

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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# 16. Türkiye: Project Nera

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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#### 17. Kazakhstan: KEGOC Bond

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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# 18. Serbia: FIF SME – Banca Intesa Belgrade FIF Belgrade / WiB III Phase II - Banca Intesa Belgrade (under Financial Intermediaries Framework)

- The Board of Directors approved the following loans to Banca Intesa Belgrade:
  - (i) SME loan in the amount of up to EUR 100 million in two equal tranches. The second tranche of EUR 50 million will be uncommitted and the approval will be delegated to EBRD management.
  - (ii) WB WiB II loan in the amount of up to EUR 5 million.

The loans will enable Banca Intesa Belgrade to continue supporting micro and SME sector in Serbia, through promoting investments in green technologies and enabling access to finance and know-how for women entrepreneurs.

# 19. Regional: EBRD InvestEU Framework for Sustainable Transition

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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## 20. Regional: InvestEU Green Uncapped Portfolio Guarantee Framework

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
- Disclosure of project information was delayed in accordance with Section III.2.6 of the Access to Information Policy.

# 21. Croatia: Project Mirna

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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# 22. Regional: Early-Stage Innovation Facility II Framework

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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# 23. Regional: Inovo III (under Regional: Early-Stage Innovation Facility II Framework ("ESIF II")

- The Board of Directors approved the project.
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#### 24. Other Business

No decisions were taken.