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Quick Facts

Countries	Zambia, Zimbabwe
Financial Institutions	African Development Bank (AFDB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2014-12-15
Borrower	Government of Zambia, Government of Zimbabwe
Sectors	Hydropower, Technical Cooperation
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 61.89 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 289.11 million

Project Description

This is financing for the Plunge Pool: This component of the project will includes;

1. Technical assistance to Zambezi River Authority (ZRA) in detailed design, supervision and preparation of bidding documents for the works associated with reshaping of the plunge pool;
2. Actual works associated with the reshaping of the plunge pool;
3. Anvironmental and social mitigation activities; and,
4. Strengthening the project implementation team for effective project monitoring and implementation. This will be supported through the provision of:
    i. Consulting Services;
    ii. Civil Works;
    iii. Goods, Equipment and Non-Consulting Services;
    iv. Operating expenses.

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This project is part of the Programme for Infrastructure Development In Africa (PIDA)

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Bank Documents

- AfDB approves US $70 million Kariba Dam Rehabilitation Project
- ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT SUMMARY [Original Source]
- Programme for Infrastructure Development in Africa (PIDA) - Batoka Gorge Hydro Electric Power Scheme

Other Related Projects

- WB-P143546 Zambezi River Basin Management Project