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Quick Facts

Countries	Bulgaria
Specific Location	Sofia
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2015-09-04
Borrower	Sofia Municipality
Sectors	Construction, Energy
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 50.03 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 150.08 million

Project Description

This project finances the construction and commissioning of a new combined heat and power plant for Sofia's district heating network.

Investment Description

• European Investment Bank (EIB)

Toplofikacia Sofia E.A.D. is the oldest district heating system in Bulgaria and the company responsible for operating Sofia's district heating network for which the new combined heat and power plant will be built.

Contact Information

No contacts available

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http://www.eib.org/attachments/strategies/complaints mechanism policy en.pdf

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