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Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)

Overview

Project Name:	MONACO I BAVARIAN GAS PIPELINE
Project Number:	2015-0003
Country:	Germany
Project Description:	Construction of a 87 km-long gas pipeline from Überackern (Austria) to Finsing (Germany)

Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

The project concerned the construction and operation of an 87 km long natural gas transmission pipeline (nominal diameter (DN) 1200, operating pressure 100 bar, nominal transport capacity 210 TWh/year) in south-east Germany, extending from Überackern, at the border with Austria, to Finsing, near Munich. It included pressure control and metering stations at both ends, where the pipeline is connected to the regional German and Austrian gas transmission systems, which include the Austrian underground gas storages that provide cross-border security of supply and operating flexibility for gas consumption areas in Germany. The pipeline enables bi-directional flows and is equipped with pipe scraper launching and receiving stations. Furthermore, there are several gate valve stations so as to be able to isolate the pipeline into several sections for safety reasons. The project has applied proven technology.

EIB notes the following key Environmental and Social outcomes at Project Completion.

No significant environment or social issues were noted.

Summary opinion of Environmental and Social aspects at completion:

EIB is of the opinion based on reports from the promoter that the project has been implemented in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards, applicable at the time of appraisal.