



European Investment Bank (EIB)

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Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)

Overview

Project Name:	TOMATO PROCESSING LINE
Project Number:	2016-0653
Country:	Ukraine
Project Description:	The project consists of: (i) the construction and operation of a new plant for the production of tomato paste in the Mykolaiv region, and (ii) the expansion of their agricultural production through an increase of their land base with currently irrigated land, envisioning the modernization of existing assets, with a specific focus of producing the industry tomatoes required by the new processing line.

Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

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

The EIA decision was received the 30th of June 2016 and all mitigation measures included in the EIA were implemented by the promoter. The building and operating permits were obtained in due time.

The promoter did issue yearly environmental and social reports, fulfilling EIB's undertaking requirement. Contaminants to air, water and waste streams did not exceed the relevant BAT-BREF emission levels.

The EIB received a complaint on land tenure in 2019. After an initial assessment and a collaborative resolution process, the promoter decided not to use anymore the concerned land for farming.

Other than the above complaint, no significant environment or social issues were reported for the project during the implementation and early operation phase to date.

Summary opinion of Environmental and Social aspects at completion:

EIB is of the opinion based on reports from the promoter, and 2 site visits by the EIB team realized in 2017 and 2018 during the construction period that the Project has been implemented in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards, applicable at the time of appraisal.