

European Investment Bank (EIB)

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# **Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)**

### Overview

Project Name: MULTI SECTOR IT RDI

Project Number: 2015-0586 Country: SPAIN

Project Description: The project comprised the promoter's ongoing

expenditures on Research, Development and Innovation (RDI) for the development of ICT services and solutions, mainly in the areas of transport, Air Traffic Management, digital, homeland security and

smart energy.

## **Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion**

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

The activities included in the project did not fall under Annex I or II of the EIA Directive; the project did therefore not require neither screening nor an Environmental Impact Assessment as per Directive 2014/52/EU amending Directive 2011/92/EU. Moreover, the research and development activities have been carried out in existing facilities already authorised that did not change their scope due to the project, reducing the environmental impact of the activities.

The projects scope was linked to ICT developments in a variety of sectors; the project activities did therefore not induce any environmental risk.

No significant environmental or social issues were noted during the project implementation period (2016 – 2018).

#### 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.