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Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)

Overview

Project Name:	POLISH ACADEMY OF SCIENCES III
Project Number:	2018-0054
Country:	Poland
Project Description:	Financing of the fundamental scientific activities of the institutes and research units belonging to the Polish Academy of Sciences during the period 2019-2020.

Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

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

The project financed intangible scientific activities of the institutes and research units belonging to the Polish Academy of Sciences (PAS). Due to the nature of the operation (mainly salaries of R&D staff, literature and digital resources), no EIA was required.

No significant environment or social issues were noted.

The knowledge produced by PAS benefits the wider society. PAS advisory panels are a trusted, independent provider of publicly available, evidence-based information on societal challenges such as the COVID-19 pandemic and the Climate Crisis.

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.