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Environmental and Social Data Sheet

Overview

Project Name: Numares
Project Number: 2021-0316
Country: Germany

Project Description: Numares AG is a medtech company based in Regensburg

(Germany) with subsidiaries in Boston and Singapore. Founded in 2004 as a spin-off of Regensburg University, the Company employs 60 FTEs. It focuses on the development of Axinon, a modular software-based system for diagnostics based on nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) metabolomics with multiple applications. The project will consist in completing the ongoing clinical studies in conjunction with relevant cost items providing Numares with sufficient runway to

commercialize its platform.

EIA required: no

Project included in Carbon Footprint Exercise¹: no

Environmental and Social Assessment

Environmental Assessment

The project concerns investments in research and development activities, carried out by the Promoter and its partners in existing facilities without changing their already authorised scope. The project does not fall under the scope of the EIA Directive 2014/52/EU amending Directive 2011/92/EU.

The Promoter maintains adequate internal procedures and management practices that are in line with best industry standards and are subjected to audits. The project will be carried out according to state-of-the-art technology and will take into consideration environmentally friendly, low energy-and-resource consuming technologies.

Other Environmental and Social Aspects

If successful, the project is expected to lead to important social benefits, considering that the diagnostic tests under development address high-unmet medical needs.

Conclusions and Recommendations

¹ Only projects that meet the scope of the Carbon Footprint Exercise, as defined in the EIB Carbon Footprint Methodologies, are included, provided estimated emissions exceed the methodology thresholds: 20,000 tonnes CO2e/year absolute (gross) or 20,000 tonnes CO2e/year relative (net) – both increases and savings.



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The project's activities are not listed in any of the annexes of the EU Directive 2014/52/EU amending 2011/92/EU; therefore, an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) is not required. The research activities will be executed in existing and authorised research facilities. The promoter has effective policies and operating procedures in place, which are in line with industry standards.

The project, while contributing to the EU coordinated response to the COVID-19 crisis, will not result in any significant additional negative environmental and social impacts.

Considering the above, the project is considered acceptable for Bank financing in environmental and social terms.