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Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)¹

Overview

Project Name: RADIANT AND ELDOSOL SOLAR PV POWER

PLANTS

Project Number: 20150682 Country: Kenya

Project Description: Construction of 2 x 40MW net output solar photovoltaic (PV) power plants near Eldoret, Western Kenya. The projects were developed as Independent Power Producers (IPPs) under the feed-in tariff regime in Kenya. The two projects share interconnection facilities and services and supply electricity to the national grid.

Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

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

If the project were located within the EU it would fall under Annex II of the EIA-Directive (2014/52/EU), requiring the competent authorities to determine whether an EIA is required. Under Kenyan national legislation a similar screening process is required. Environmental and social impact assessment (ESIA) project reports were prepared for each of the two PV plants included in the project scope and approved by the competent authority, NEMA (National Environmental Management Authority), which concluded that there is no need for a further detailed ESIA study in either case. The ESIA Project Reports were of good quality and in line with international best practice, except for the omission of a Cumulative Impact Analysis, which was conducted by the promoter as a separate exercise to meet EIB and FMO/IFC standards but was not required by NEMA.

As part of the ESIA project reports, Environmental and Social Monitoring and Management Plans (ESMMPs) was prepared for the construction, operational and decommissioning phases of the two plants. During construction, the promoter ensured that all contractors and subcontractors complied with the requirements of ESMMP. Regular monitoring by the Owners Engineer were conducted. The key aspects of monitoring included the Construction Environmental Management Plan; Health and Safety Management Plan; Waste Management Plan; Labour and Employment Plan; Emergency Response Plan; Water Management Plan; and the Traffic Management Plan.

Though no significant negative residual impact, the transmission line involved limited economic displacement; therefore, the promoter was required to demonstrate that the land acquisition process had been conducted in compliance with national legal requirements and with the Bank's E&S standards.

No significant environmental or social issues were reported by the promoter.

EIB had a financing condition outlined in the ESDS that states "The Bank's financing is subject to compliance with the Environmental and Social Action Plan, to the satisfaction of the Lenders' Technical Adviser and the Bank".

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¹ The template is for ILs and FLs



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Summary opinion of Environmental and Social aspects at completion:

EIB is of the opinion, based on reports from the promoter and/or inputs provided by Lenders' Advisors, that the Project has been implemented in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards and the ESAP applicable at the time of appraisal.