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Regional MSME Investment Fund for Sub-Saharan Africa

Technical Assistance Facility

QUARTERLY FACT SHEET

Q4/2012

EUR 5.5m
EUR 3.8m
EUR 0.224m

Funding



Donor commitments



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TA Facility Manager Comment

Within the reporting quarter seven projects were approved supporting the institutions in Business Planning, Saving Plans and Loan Products Development, Forensic Securities Review, Savings Mobilization, Individual Lending Product Development, International Financial Reporting Standards and an Impact Study on financial and social impact of the Fund's and TAF's financial services provided to the PLIs. All approved projects will kick off in Q1/2013 or Q2/2013, whereby two out of the 7 projects were contracted in 2012 already.

Eight contracts were concluded in the reporting quarter. Currently there are 12 projects ongoing and therefore under monitoring. In Q4 2 projects came to completion: The implementation of a platform for SMS Banking and eBanking as well as a training and mentoring project to mid-level managers and lending officers (individual lending technology and internal control). Both projects were appreciated for the quality of service delivered and the results achieved. With currently 6 projects in progress the beginning of the year 2013, this presents good prospects for the TA Facility. Between January 2012 and December 2012, a total of 18 projects were approved. Additionally the TA Facility financed projects for three different training institutions, bringing the total number of approved projects to 21.

Projects

	As of reporting quarter
In progress	6
- of which approved in Q4	7
On-going	12
Completed	2
PLIs with approved and ongoing projects	11
Countries	7

Approved projects by tender procedure applied

	Reporting Quarter	Year-to-date
International restricted tender procedure	0	0
Competitive negotiated procedure		
Single tender	3	11

Approved projects by area of intervention

	Reporting Quarter	Year-to-date
Institutional Development and Transformation	0	0
Management Information System		
Product Development	0	0
Governance, Management, Business Planning		
Risk Management, Internal Control	1	2
Loan Portfolio, Credit Products		
Social Performance Management	0	0
Human Resources		
Finance and Accounting	1	1
Marketing and Customer Relationship Management		
Network Management and Reporting		0
Savings and Non-credit product development		1
Other (Evaluation and impact studies)	1	1

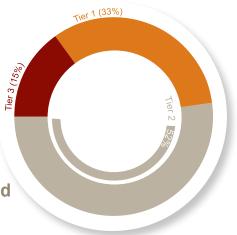


Summary statistics of approved/ongoing projects

Average project size (EUR)	46,327
PLI Co-financing (average)	25,1%

	Reporting quarter	
Countries	4	8
Regions		
PLI size (Tier 1)	2	9
PLI size (Tier 2)		
PLI size (Tier 3)	1	3

PLI Tier classification taking into account PLI Total Assets at the time of TOR approval: Tier 1: Total Assets >= USD 30m Tier 2: USD 30m > Total Assets >= USD 10m Tier 3 : Total Assets < USD 10m



TA volume approved by Tier, EUR in thousand



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