



# Safeguard Policy Filter Report

## Operation Information

Operation		
EC-L1230 Enhancing Fiscal Space for Public Investment		
Environmental and Social Impact Category	High Risk Rating	
B13		
Country	Executing Agency	
ECUADOR	EC-MEF - MINISTERIO DE ECONOMIA Y FINANZAS - EC-BEDES - BANCO ECUATORIANO DE DESARROLLO	
Organizational Unit	IDB Sector/Subsector	
Fiscal Management Division	FISCAL POLICY FOR SUSTAINABILITY AND GROWTH	
Team Leader	ESG Primary Team Member	
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Type of Operation	Original IDB Amount	% Disbursed
Loan Operation	\$50,000,000	0.000 %
Assessment Date	Author	
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Operation Cycle Stage	Completion Date	
ERM (Estimated)	20 Jun 2018	
QRR (Estimated)	12 Sep 2018	
Board Approval (Estimated)	14 Nov 2018	
Safeguard Performance Rating		
Rationale		

## Safeguard Policy Items Identified

### B.1 Bank Policies (Access to Information Policy– OP-102)

The Bank will make the relevant project documents available to the public.

### B.2 Country Laws and Regulations



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The operation is expected to be in compliance with laws and regulations of the country regarding specific women's rights, the environment, gender and indigenous peoples (including national obligations established under ratified multilateral environmental agreements).

## B.3 Screening and Classification

The operation (including [associated facilities](#)) is screened and classified according to its potential environmental impacts.

## B.5 Environmental Assessment Requirements

An environmental assessment is required.

## B.6 Consultations

Consultations with affected parties will be performed equitably and inclusively with the views of all stakeholders taken into account, including in particular: (a) equal participation by women and men, (b) socio-culturally appropriate participation of indigenous peoples and (c) mechanisms for equitable participation by vulnerable groups.

## B.7 Supervision and Compliance

The Bank is expected to monitor the executing agency/borrower's compliance with all safeguard requirements stipulated in the loan agreement and project operating or credit regulations.

## B.13. Noninvestment Lending and Flexible Lending Instruments

Ex-ante impact classification may not be feasible for this type of operation. This includes: policy-based loans, Financial Intermediaries (FIs) or loans that are based on performance criteria, sector-based approaches, and conditional credit lines for investment operations.

## B.17. Procurement

Suitable safeguard provisions for the procurement of goods and services in Bank financed operations may be incorporated into project-specific loan agreements, operating regulations and bidding documents, as appropriate, to ensure environmentally responsible procurement.

## Potential Safeguard Policy Items

### B.1 Bank Policies (Disaster Risk Management Policy– OP-704)

The operation is in a geographical area exposed to [natural hazards](#) ([Type 1 Disaster Risk Scenario](#)). Climate change may increase the frequency and/or intensity of some hazards.

### B.1 Bank Policies (Gender Equality Policy– OP-761)

The operation will offer opportunities to promote [gender equality](#) or [women's empowerment](#).

### B.4 Other Risk Factors

There are [associated facilities](#) (see policy definition) related to the operation.

## Recommended Actions



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Operation has triggered 1 or more Policy Directives; please refer to appropriate Directive(s). Complete Project Classification Tool. Submit Safeguard Policy Filter Report, PP (or equivalent) and Safeguard Screening Form to ESR.

### Additional Comments

El programa considera la elaboración de Estudios de Preinversión o Estudios de Estructuración de Asociación Público Privadas (APPs). La operación presenta impactos potenciales de los tipos de proyectos de preinversión que se podrán apoyar a través del financiamiento de los estudios de diseño técnico de preinversión en sectores como energía, transporte y agua y saneamiento, entre otros. Por lo que algunos de los estudios que se desarrollen en la presente Operación podrán facilitar proyectos de infraestructura asociados a potenciales impactos socioambientales significativos, los cuales al momento no se conocen. Por tanto, de conformidad con los lineamientos de la Política de Medio Ambiente y Cumplimiento de Salvaguardias (OP-703), y a la información preliminar disponible, bajo la directiva B.13, el programa no requiere clasificación.