

Environmental and social safeguards report form pursuant to para. 17 of the IDP

Basic project or programme information	
Project or programme title	Light Rail Transit for the Greater Metropolitan Area (GAM)*
Existence of subproject(s) to be identified after GCF Board approval	No
Sector (public or private)	Public
Accredited entity	Central American Bank for Economic Integration (CABEI)
Environmental and social safeguards (ESS) category	Category A
Location – specific location(s) of project or target country or location(s) of programme	Greater Metropolitan Area of San José, Capital City of Costa Rica
Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	Wednesday, February 17, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	English and Spanish
Explanation on language	Spanish is the local language in Costa Rica, and the documents are also disclosed in English to comply with GCF Information Disclosure Policy (IDP).
Link to disclosure	English: https://www.bcie.org/en/operations/in-process-operations/detail-in-process-operations/5741 Spanish: https://www.bcie.org/operaciones-y-adquisiciones/operaciones-en-proceso/detalle-operaciones-en-proceso/5741
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	An ESIA consistent with the requirements for a Category A project is contained in the "Environment Effect investigation (EIA)".*
Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	Wednesday, February 17, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	English and Spanish
Explanation on language	Spanish is the local language in Costa Rica, and the documents are also disclosed in English to comply with GCF Information Disclosure Policy (IDP).
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Other link(s)	N/A

Remarks	An ESMP consistent with the requirements for a Category A project is contained in the "Report SIEMAS".*
Environmental and Social Management (ESMS) (if applicable)	
Date of disclosure on accredited entity's website	Sunday, May 31, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	N/A
Explanation on language	N/A
Link to disclosure	N/A
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	N/A
Any other relevant ESS reports, e.g. Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF), Indigenous Peoples Plan (IPP), IPP Framework (if applicable)*	
Description of report/disclosure on accredited entity's website	Monday, May 31, 2021
Language(s) of disclosure	English and Spanish
Explanation on language	Spanish is the national language of all participating countries.
Link to disclosure	English: https://www.bcie.org/en/operations/in-process-operations/detail-in-process-operations/5741 Spanish: https://www.bcie.org/operaciones-y-adquisiciones/operaciones-en-proceso/detalle-operaciones-en-proceso/5741
Other link(s)	N/A
Remarks	An ESIA consistent with the requirements of a Category A project is contained in the "Environmental and Social Management Framework" developed according to CABEL's policies and procedures on Environmental and Social Safeguards (ESS). There is a condition in the financing approved by CABEL, for the private concessionaire that will be awarded for the implementation of the project, in which it is requested that a Resettlement Plan be developed and implemented if the project requires it.
Disclosure in locations convenient to affected peoples (stakeholders)	
Date	Tuesday, June 14, 2016
Place	National TV ¹ , local press and Social Media announcements regarding the project were made by the Presidency of the Republic of Costa Rica and INCOFER. Once the project is awarded by the government to a private concessionaire, the final ESIA will be developed and thereafter disclosed in physical locations such as INCOFER and the awarded private concessionaire offices.
Date of Board meeting in which the FP is intended to be considered	

¹<https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=tren+electrico+gam+incofer+2018&docid=608045379818357098&mid=057C8CB498D3CAD10FB9057C8CB498D3CAD10FB9&view=detail&FORM=VIRE>

Date of accredited entity's Board meeting	Wednesday, October 30, 2019
Date of GCF's Board meeting	Tuesday, June 29, 2021

Note: This form was prepared by the accredited entity stated above.

*Subsequent to the disclosure of this form to the Board and active observers on 26 February 2021, the following updates have been made: The project name has been slightly modified. The Secretariat requested the accredited entity to produce and disclose the "Environmental and Social Management Framework". After further due diligence on the funding proposal, the Secretariat has confirmed that the "Environment Effect investigation (EIA)", "Report SIEMAS", and the Environmental and Social Management Framework are consistent with the requirements for a Category A project.
