

Dutch Good Growth Fund

Notice on proposed DGGFS120210406/Multiple countries-import of cocoa

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Views

Parties can express their views on the proposed transaction to the Fund manager by contacting if@rvo.nl within 30 days after the publication date of the notice. After the transaction has been closed, or after it has become clear that the transaction will not take place, the Fund manager will respond as soon as possible to these parties concluding on the expressed views by these Parties.

Description

Part of DGGF

Investing Dutch Entrepreneurs

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A Dutch company plans to source cocoa from local production partners in various countries. The imported cocoa will be sold in the Netherlands and Europe.

The financing concerns working capital financing for the import of cocoa and partly operational costs and stock. The proposed DGGF Starter loan to the Dutch company has a loan term of 6 years.

The estimated impact is local employment for 6,000 small farmers.

This project will contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals: 1 (No poverty), 8 (Decent Work) and 12 (Responsible Production and Consumption).



Country of investment

Multiple countries

Risk category

The investment is scaled category B in terms of CSR-risk.

A CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) action plan will be drafted, which is based upon the OECD and IFC performance standards. The action plan aims to mitigate the risk on environmental aspects, working conditions and development aspects for the local community.

Fund manager and contact details

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