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Notice on proposed transaction DTIFST26061104 / Curaçao – Indoor farming facility
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Views
Parties can express their views on the proposed transaction to the Fund manager by contacting smemc@investinternational.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 transaction (English)

Part of DTIF
'Investing Dutch Entrepreneurs' – executed by Invest International

Description
A Dutch company plans to establish a modular indoor farming facility on Curaçao for year-round production of fresh produce. The commercial facility will comprise three growing containers and one container for cooling, post-harvest processing and packaging. The investment covers cultivation systems, processing equipment, water and site infrastructure, transport and start-up operating costs. The proposed DTIF start-up loan to the Dutch company has a duration of eight years.

The estimated impact on local employment is the creation of app. 8 local jobs and the avoidance of CO2 emissions.

This project will contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals:
SDG2 (Zero Hunger), SDG8 (Decent work & Econmoic growth), SDG12 (Responsible Consumption & Production) and SDG 13 (Climate Action).

Country of investment
Curaçao

Risk category
The investment is scaled in category B in terms of CSR-risk.
An Environmental and Social Action Plan (ESAP) 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.

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