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Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)

Overview Project Name:

Project Number: Country: Project Description*:* PROGRAMM NAHVERKEHR BADEN-WUERTTEMBERG NETZ 8 2018-0020 Germany Investment into rolling stock in Baden-Wuerttemberg (Network 8). Sub-operation under Program Loan for rolling stock and related infrastructure for local and regional public transport in Baden-Wuerttemberg (2014-0765).

Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

EIB notes the following Environmental and Social performance and key outcomes at Project Completion:

The purchase of rolling stock does not fall under either Annex I or II of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Directive 2011/92/EU, as amended; therefore, an EIA was not required.

The project has contributed to significant improvements in the train km offer. Where new trains displace existing trains, these may continue operations in other areas or be disposed of in accordance with applicable environmental legislation. The new trains make a positive contribution towards social objectives. They offer better and improved quality of public transport including but not limited to offering more level access to trains through compliance with TSI PRM.

Summary opinion of Environmental and Social aspects at completion:

EIB is of the opinion based on reports from the Promoter during construction that the project has been implemented in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards, applicable at the time of appraisal