

Risk Sharing Mechanism

Environmental and Social Requirements

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Environmental and Social Legislation and Standards

▪ National Legislation

▪ Environmental Legislation

- Drilling activities are evaluated in Annex-2 of the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulation.
- The Project Introduction File is prepared and submitted to the Provincial Directorates of Environmental, Urbanization and Climate Change, and the “EIA is Not Required” decision is obtained.

▪ Occupational Health and Safety Legislation

- Occupational Health and Safety Law and all concerning regulations and communiques

▪ Labor Law and related legislation

Environmental and Social Legislation and Standards

- **World Bank Operational Policies**

- **OP 4.01 Environmental Assessment**

- A project is classified as either Category A, B or C.
 - Drilling activities are classified as Category B, unless there is a protected or sensitive area and unless there is a social constraint.

- **OP 4.04 Natural Habitat**

- It is essential to protect natural habitats within the scope of project activities. Drilling activities planned to be carried out in national and international protected areas are out of the scope of the RSM program.
 - The existing natural habitat and related protection measures in the area where the activity will be carried out should be evaluated in the Environmental and Social Management Plan to be prepared.

Environmental and Social Legislation and Standards

- **World Bank Operational Policies**

- **OP 4.11 Physical Cultural Resources**

- Activities to be carried out in archaeologically registered areas are outside the scope of the RPM program.
 - For the chance finds in the area where the activity will take place, chance find procedures will be applied during the land preparation stage.

- **OP 4.12 Involuntary Resettlement**

- Economic and/or physical involuntary settlement is considered under this operational policy.
 - Depending on whether the land on which the drilling activity is planned to be carried out is used by the public, a social safeguard instruments may require to be prepared by competent specialists. The precautions and measures specified in this instrument shall be followed.

Environmental and Social Legislation and Standards

- **World Bank Operational Policies**

- **OP 4.36 Forest**

- It is valid for drilling activities to be carried out in forest areas.
 - It defines the measures to minimize the damage to be caused while aiming to protect the forest ecosystem and their associated resources.

- **RSM Beneficiary Manual v3.0**

- **Environmental and Social Management Framework**

Environmental and Social Management Framework - General

1. Exploration License / Operation License
2. Description of potential impacts and exemplary mitigation measures
3. National regulation on environmental impact assessment
4. World Bank environmental assessment policy
5. Key differences between national environmental impact assessment regulation and World Bank's OP 4.01
6. Environmental and social monitoring
7. Grievance mechanism
8. Guidelines for various management plans
9. Resettlement policy framework
10. Suggested formats for reporting

Environmental and Social Management Framework - Processes

1. Environmental and Social Screening
2. Environmental and Social Reports
 - Environmental and Social Management Plan
 - Stakeholder Engagement Plan
 - Resettlement Action Plan / Ex-post Social Audit



3. Sub-management Plans
4. Monitoring and Reporting during the field activities

Environmental and Social Requirements

Target

Not to cause an adverse impact on the environment and people, and to minimize this if it has to

Risk and impact assessment studies

Determination of the protection measures

Implementation and monitoring of measures during field activities

Method followed

Thank you...

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EIA Regulation Practices

- Lessons Learned

Thank you...

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