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TURKEY

Corporate Governance Rating Report

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creditwest Faktoring		8.03 AA(Trk)/bbb (Stable)	
Corporate Governance Score & Outlook	Shareholders	8.12 AA(Trk)/bbb (Stable)	
	Public Disclosure & Transparency	8.29 AA(Trk)/bbb (Stable)	
	Stakeholders	7.53 AA(Trk)/bb (Stable)	
	Board of Directors	7.87 AA(Trk)/bb (Stable)	

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Company Information				
<u>Trade Name</u>	CREDİTWEST FAKTORİNG HİZ.A.Ş.			
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CREDITWEST FAKTORING HIZMETLERI A.Ş.							
Financial Data	2012*	2011*	2010*	2009*	2008*		
Total Assets (000 USD)	319,675	298,762	255,451	166,084	96,974		
Total Assets (000 TRY)	568,255	564,331	392,782	247,017	147,575		
Equity (000 TRY)	140,869	117,805	92,909	66,918	52,450		
Net Profit (000 TRY)	31,621	25,620	25,587	15,225	10,457		
Market Share (%)	3.13	3.61	2.72	2.35	1.89		
ROAA (%)	6.92	6.76	10.02	9.73	7.90		
ROAE (%)	30.32	30.70	40.11	32.17	27.51		
Equity/Assets (%)	24.79	20.88	23.65	27.09	35.54		
NPL (%)	4.07	3.67	4.17	8.13	10.97		
Growth Rate (%)	0.70	43.68	59.01	67.38	-22.23		

*End of year **Overview**

CreditWest Faktoring Hizmetleri A.Ş., (referred hereinafter as CreditWest or the Company) (credit ratings by JCR-Eurasia on June 12, 2013: (FC:BBB-/A-3 Stable, LC:AA/A-1+ Stable)) established by the Toprak Group under the name Toprak Faktoring A. S. in 1994, is a factoring firm offering local and international factoring services. Altınbaş Holding A.Ş. became the controlling shareholder through the acquisition of 83% of shares from the Saving Deposit Insurance Fund in 2003. The company's name was changed to Factoturk Faktoring A. S. in 2004 and to CreditWest Faktoring Hizmetleri A. S. in 2007.

Creditwest completed its IPO and began to be publicly traded on the Istanbul Stock Exchange in December 1997. As of May 2013, the Company had a free float of 15% of its capital. The Company has also one consolidated subsidiary which operates in Ukraine under the name West Finance and Credit Bank.

The Board of the Company is composed of 5 members, one of which is executive and 2 independent.

Audit and Corporate Governance, Risk, Nomination and Remuneration Committees have been established within the Board with independent members appointed to the chairman posts.

Strengths

- A functional Shareholders Relations Unit
- An effective transparency platform in Turkish through the Company's website
- governance field
- Absence of any lawsuit against the Company from stakeholders
- Consistent distribution of dividends to the shareholders
- Having transparent organizational structure marked by clearly identified tasks

Constraints

- Absence of internal regulations to broaden the exercise of minority rights beyond the current legislation
- Insufficient English version of the web site
- A management team very eager to progress in the corporate Group A shares having the privilege to determine the majority of the Board members
 - Absence of an incentive system based on performance evaluation for **Board members**
 - Absence of any regulation in the articles of association with regard to shareholders' rights to demand a special auditor as an individual right

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