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The EUR42 million Walo storage project facility located in Bokhol, Senegal will consist of a 10MW/20MWh BESS supplied by a 16MWp solar PV plant. The lithium-ion battery project will be incorporated into the solar PV plant, which will use a single axis tracker system.

The Emerging Africa Infrastructure Fund (EAIF), a Private Infrastructure Development Group (PIDG) company, has committed a EUR11.5m senior secured loan to develop the first project-financed solar PV plant and battery energy storage system (BESS) in West Africa, located in Bokhol in the north of Senegal.

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Senegal, Bokhol: Batteries adding reserves into a Senegal solar plant to become the first ancillary services project in Senegal. The Walo storage project will consist of a 10 MW / 20 MWh BESS supplied by a 16 MWp solar PV plant. Located in Bokhol, Senegal, the lithium-ion battery project will be incorporated into the solar PV plant.

Project : 10MW / 20MWh Battery storage + 16 MW of solar energy; Location : Bokhol, Senegal; Batteries: Lithium-ion; Technologies : Monocrystalline modules / Single-axis tracker system / String inverters; Off-take : 20-year take-or-pay PPP with Senelec; Construction : 12 months; Commissioning : 2025; Technical partner : Eiffage Energie Systèmes RMT

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