



CLIMATE TECH CASE STUDY Investment/Funding/Support

Scottish National Investment Bank

The newly established Scottish National Investment Bank has enormous potential in this space to act as the lever between the public and private sector.

The Bank was launched in November 2020, announcing its first investment of £12.5 million in M Squared Lasers. It has been established to make missionled, patient investments in businesses and projects across Scotland.

As the Bank's primary mission is to support the transition to net zero, with another of its missions focussed on harnessing innovation, there is the clear potential for shared interest between the Bank's agenda and the development of climate tech. The Bank will seek to invest debt and equity on commercial terms based on the needs of individual projects or businesses, and will typically invest in businesses and projects seeking more than £1m in investment support.

View the website <u>here</u>.