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ORGANIZATION PROFILE 2026

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GEEL Capital is a Somalia-based development finance and capital mobilization company. We invest, finance and partner to support inclusive economic growth, resilient communities and sustainable development across Somalia.



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Who We Are

A Somalia-focused platform connecting commercial opportunity with appropriate capital.

GEEL Capital is a privately owned Somalia-based development finance and capital-mobilization company. We bridge viable opportunity and suitable finance, working with public and private partners to support inclusive economic growth, resilient communities and sustainable development across Somalia.

We combine deep local market knowledge with international investment discipline to structure bankable opportunities, mobilize appropriate capital and deliver measurable development impact in key sectors of the Somali economy.

Our mission is to connect Somali opportunities to domestic, regional and international capital, creating long-term value for communities, investors and the broader economy.

GEEL Capital at a Glance

Legal form	Private Limited Company
Incorporated	2 September 2026
Office location	Safana Building, Hodan District, Mogadishu, Somalia
Registration	LAG / UBI 17813204526
Primary focus	Development finance, investment and capital mobilization
Core market	Somalia
Governance	Seven-member Board of Directors
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Purpose, Vision, Mission & Values

Commercial discipline with a clear development purpose.

Our Purpose

To expand access to appropriately structured capital for viable businesses, productive sectors and essential infrastructure, helping enterprises grow while strengthening resilience, employment and economic opportunity.

Our Vision

To become a leading Somalia-focused investment institution connecting local opportunity with regional and international capital and demonstrating that financial performance and development impact can reinforce one another.

Our Mission

To identify, prepare, finance and scale commercially viable businesses and projects by combining local market intelligence, rigorous due diligence, responsible investment practices and long-term capital partnerships.

Our Values

Integrity
We act with honesty, transparency and the highest ethical standards in all we do.

Investment Discipline
We apply rigorous analysis, sound governance and a focus on risk-adjusted, long-term returns.

Impact
We invest to create measurable economic and social value in Somalia's communities.

Partnership
We work collaboratively with entrepreneurs, investors and public and development partners.

Accountability
We take responsibility for our decisions, our results and our long-term commitments.

Resilience
We support businesses and communities to adapt, grow and thrive through changing conditions.

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The Opportunity We Address

Closing the gap between enterprise potential and investable capital.

Many productive Somali businesses and infrastructure opportunities remain constrained by limited access to growth capital, long-term finance, risk-sharing instruments and professional transaction support. Promising enterprises often struggle to move from potential to scale due to financing gaps, perceived risk and a lack of structured investment pathways.

At the same time, sectors such as energy, water, agriculture, logistics and climate resilience present real investment opportunities, underpinned by strong local demand, a young and growing population and Somalia's long-term development potential.

GEEL Capital helps bridge the gap between investable local opportunities and the expectations of capital providers, by originating, structuring and supporting high-quality investments that can deliver sustainable economic and social impact.

Where We Add Value

- Identifying viable businesses and projects with strong fundamentals.
- Strengthening investment readiness through technical and financial support.
- Structuring financing around cash-flow realities and local market conditions.
- Connecting opportunities to suitable capital, including domestic, regional and international investors.
- Monitoring performance after financing to support value creation and long-term partnerships.



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What We Do

Flexible capital and transaction support built around the needs of viable enterprises and projects.

GEEL Capital combines financing, investment structuring and capital mobilization, matching the financing structure to the needs, risk profile, cash flow and ownership objectives of each opportunity.

Private Credit & Structured Finance	Provide senior, subordinated and mezzanine debt, including structured finance solutions, to support viable enterprises and infrastructure projects.
Growth Equity & Quasi-Equity	Invest equity and quasi-equity to support expansion, market entry and value creation in high-potential businesses.
Guarantees & Risk Sharing	Use guarantees and risk-sharing instruments to mobilize additional capital, de-risk investments and crowd in commercial finance.
Climate & Resilience Finance	Provide tailored financing for climate adaptation, resilience and low-carbon solutions, including renewable energy, water, and sustainable infrastructure.
Capital Mobilization & Co-Investment	Partner with development finance institutions, impact investors and commercial partners to mobilize and co-invest capital at scale.
Investment Readiness & Transaction Support	Support project preparation, financial structuring, due diligence and transaction execution to help enterprises and projects become investment ready.

Our products and transactions are developed subject to applicable law, regulatory requirements, partner mandates and necessary approvals.

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Our Financing & Investment Approach

A disciplined process from opportunity identification to repayment or exit.

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Originate	**Screen**	**Due Diligence**	**Structure**	**Approve**	**Finance**	**Monitor**	**Repay / Exit**
Identify and source promising opportunities in priority sectors.	Assess initial fit with our investment criteria.	Conduct in-depth commercial, financial, legal, ESG and impact due diligence.	Design the optimal financing structure and terms.	Take through our investment committee for final approval.	Deploy capital and become an active partner.	Track performance, ESG and impact against agreed milestones.	Achieve repayment or a successful exit.

Every transaction begins with a clear investment thesis, aligned with our strategic priorities and impact objectives. We follow a disciplined process from opportunity identification and rigorous assessment, through to structuring, approval and financing, with ongoing monitoring to ensure successful repayment or exit and lasting positive impact.

What We Assess

We evaluate each opportunity across multiple dimensions to ensure it is financially sound, responsibly managed and aligned with our development impact goals.

Commercial fundamentals	We assess market demand, competitive position, business model and revenue prospects.
Management & governance	We evaluate the experience, integrity and track record of the management team and governance structures.
Financial capacity	We analyse financial performance, cash flow, capital requirements and debt servicing capacity.
Risk profile	We identify and assess key risks, including market, operational, legal, regulatory and FX risks, and mitigation measures.
ESG & climate	We assess environmental, social and governance performance, climate resilience and alignment with international standards.
Impact potential	We consider the expected development impact, including job creation, inclusive growth and contributions to resilient communities.
Structure & exit	We evaluate the proposed financing structure, covenants and the clarity and feasibility of the repayment or exit route.

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Priority Sectors & Markets

Financing productive sectors with strong commercial and resilience potential.

GEEL Capital focuses on key sectors that drive inclusive growth, create quality jobs and strengthen economic resilience in Somalia. We deploy patient capital, structured finance and strategic partnerships to unlock sustainable opportunities across our target markets.

Sector	Focus and Opportunity
Energy	Investing in reliable, affordable and clean energy solutions, including renewable energy, to power businesses and communities.
Agriculture & Agribusiness	Financing climate-smart agriculture, value addition and market linkages to enhance food security and export potential.
Livestock & Animal Products	Supporting modern value chains, processing and market access for Somalia's high-potential livestock sector.
Fisheries & Food Processing	Investing in sustainable fisheries, cold chain, processing and export facilities to unlock value from Somalia's rich marine resources.
Water & Climate Resilience	Financing water supply, irrigation, climate adaptation and resilience infrastructure to build stronger, more resilient communities.
Logistics, Trade & Infrastructure	Supporting ports, transport, storage and trade-enabling infrastructure to connect Somalia to regional and global markets.
Digital Economy & Technology	Backing digital infrastructure, fintech, and technology-enabled businesses that expand access to services and drive productivity.
Productive MSMEs	Providing tailored finance and advisory support to high-potential micro, small and medium enterprises across key value chains.

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OUR APPROACH

Capital Mobilization & Strategic Partnerships

Building financing solutions by bringing together complementary forms of capital.

GEEL Capital mobilizes and blends different forms of capital to finance high-impact opportunities in Somalia. We work with a diverse set of partners to structure innovative, de-risked investment solutions that support inclusive economic growth, resilient communities and sustainable development.

Partner Group	Role and Focus
Development Finance Institutions	Provide long-term capital, concessional finance and risk mitigation to support transformational projects.
Commercial Banks & Financial Institutions	Offer debt financing, trade finance and working capital solutions to scale viable businesses.
Impact & Private Investors	Invest in high-growth, high-impact opportunities that deliver financial returns and measurable development outcomes.
Climate Funds & Resilience Investors	Support climate adaptation, renewable energy and resilient infrastructure investments.
Foundations & Catalytic Partners	Provide catalytic capital, grants and technical support to unlock investment in priority sectors.
Family Offices & Diaspora Investors	Channel patient capital and strategic investments into Somalia's growth opportunities.
Government & Development Partners	Collaborate on policy support, co-investment platforms and enabling environments for sustainable development.

HOW WE PARTNER

Co-investment
Partner on direct investments and co-investment platforms across priority sectors.

Blended Finance
Combine concessional and commercial capital to de-risk and unlock investment.

Guarantees & Risk Mitigation
Work with partners to structure guarantees and other instruments to reduce risk.

Technical Assistance
Mobilize advisory support to strengthen project design, implementation and impact.

Facility Partnerships
Establish dedicated investment facilities and thematic funds with aligned partners.

Investor Access
Provide partners with access to a pipeline of screened, high-quality opportunities in Somalia.

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Development Impact & Responsible Investment

Protecting long-term value while financing growth.

At GEEL Capital, we pursue strong financial returns alongside measurable development impact. We invest in real economic opportunities that create jobs, strengthen communities, build resilience and support a more inclusive and diversified Somali economy.

Our Development Impact Themes

Enterprise & Employment	Supporting high-potential businesses that create quality jobs, build skills and expand economic opportunities, especiially for youth and women.
Food Systems & Livelihoods	Financing agriculture, fisheries and value chains that improve productivity, food security and resilient livelihoods.
Climate Resilience	Backing solutions that reduce climate risk, support adaptation and promote sustainable natural resource management.
Essential Services & Infrastructure	Investing in infrastructure and essential services such as energy, water, sanitation, healthcare and digital connectivity.
Inclusion & Local Enterprise	Expanding access to finance for MSMEs and underrepresented groups, and strengthening local supply chains and communities.
Economic Diversification	Supporting new sectors and value chains that broaden the economy and reduce dependence on a narrow base of activities.

Responsible Investment Framework

We apply a disciplined and transparent approach to manage risk, uphold integrity and maximize positive impact.

Environmental & Social Screening
Assess and manage E&S risks and opportunitéies in line with international good practice.

Climate Risk Assessment
Integrate climate-related risks and resilience considerations into our investment decisions.

AML/CFT and Beneficial Ownership Checks
Conduct robust anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism (AML/CFT) procedures, including beneficial ownership checks.

Client Protection
Promote fair, transparent and responsible practices that protect clients and end beneficiaries.

Conflict-of-Interest Controls
Maintain strong governance and clear controls to prevent and manage conflicts of interest.

Monitoring of ESG and Financial Conditions
Continuously monitor environmental, social, governance and financial performance, and support portfolio companies to improve over time.

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Governance & Board Leadership

A multidisciplinary Board combining investment, development, finance, operations and institutional experience.

GEEL Capital is guided by a disstinguished and multidisciplinary Board that brings together deep expertise in investment, development finance, infrastructure, operations, governance and institutional engagement. The Board provides strategic direction, oversight and stewardship, ensuring that GEEL Capital delivers long-term value while adhering to the highest standards of governance, integrity and accountability.

NAME	POSITION	EXPERIENCE SUMMARY
Mohamed Ahmed Abdinoor	**Chairperson**	Seasoned leader with extensive experience in investment, economic development and institutional engagement across Somalia and the region.
Amir Hassan Abdullahi	**Board Secretary**	Experienced professional in governance, legal, regulatory and institutional affairs, with a strong track record in supporting strategic investment initiatives.
Mohamed Jama Mohamed	**Treasurer**	Finance expert with deep experience in financial management, capital structuring and development finance.
Faisal Ali Hassan	**Director**	Development and infrastructure professional with extensive experience in project execution, operations and public-private partnerships.
Ayan Ishak Mohamed	**Director**	Investment and economic development specialist with strong expertise in private sector growth and inclusive development across Somalia.
Abdulrazak Osman	**Director**	Seasoned executive with broad experience in business operations, strategic planning and institutional leadership across multiple sectors.
Philip Corper	**Director**	International development professional with extensive experience in investment, infrastructure and institutional advisory across Africa.

Together, the Board brings a powerful combination of local insight and international experience, enabling GEEL Capital to identify opportunities, manage risk and build strategic partnerships that advance inclusive and sustainable development in Somalia and beyond.

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Institutional Strength & Operating Model

An operating architecture designed for disciplined growth and institutional partmerships.



Note: Functional positions represent the institutional structure and are populated through approved appointment processes.

Institutional Building Blocks	
Investment governance	A structured governance framework to guide investment decisions, ensure accountability and protect stakeholder interests.
Risk & compliance	An integrated risk management, compliance and AML framework to safeguard the business and meet regulatory requirements.
Finance & accountability	Robust financial management, reporting and controls to ensure transparency, efficiency and institutional discipline.
Data & MIS	Reliable management information systems and data infrastructure to support decision-making, monitoring and reporting.
Resilience	Strong operational systems and business continuity practices to ensure long-term stability and adaptive growth.
Capital partnerships	A collaborative approach to working with development finance institutions, impact investors and strategic partners to mobilize capital for greater impact.

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Strategic Outlook & Contact

Building a Somalia-focused investment institution for the long term.

GEEL Capital's ambition is to develop as a durable Somalia-focused investment institution rather than a single financing vehicle. The company intends to build a credible track record by originating investable opportunities, mobilizing appropriate capital, applying consistent investment discipline and demonstrating that commercially sound financing can contribute to economic resilience and productive growth.

Strategic Priorities

1. Build and continuously refine a high-quality pipeline of investable Somali businesses and projects.
2. Mobilize capital from domestic, regional and international investors whose mandates align with the opportunities being financed.
3. Establish a disciplined portfolio track record across growth capital, private credit, climate and resilience finance and selected infrastructure opportunities.
4. Develop co-investment and risk-sharing structures that allow larger pools of capital to participate in Somalia.
5. Strengthen institutional systems, management capability, data, governance and impact reporting as the platform grows.
6. Expand responsibly into additional financing strategies where there is demonstrated market demand, suitable expertise and a clear investment case.

Our Partnership Proposition

GEEL Capital welcomes engagement with investors, financial institutions, businesses, development partners, government institutions, foundations, family offices and professional advisers interested in commercially viable opportunities that can contribute to Somalia's long-term economic development.

> *"Somalia does not lack entrepreneurs. It lacks appropriately structured growth capital. GEEL Capital exists to help close that gap."*

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