

 Early Warning System

IFC-36586

Vision Fiji



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## Quick Facts

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| Countries               | Fiji                                    |
| Financial Institutions  | International Finance Corporation (IFC) |
| Status                  | Active                                  |
| Bank Risk Rating        | B                                       |
| Voting Date             | 2015-10-14                              |
| Borrower                | Vision Investments Limited              |
| Sectors                 | Finance                                 |
| Investment Type(s)      | Equity                                  |
| Investment Amount (USD) | \$ 5.00 million                         |



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## Project Description

This project comprises of an equity investment in a private placement, or the sale of stocks, bonds, or securities directly to a private investor, of Vision Investments Limited, which will acquire and merge operations of three other affiliate companies, namely Vision Motors Limited, Mahogany Industries Limited, and Vision Finance Limited, to be used to repay bank loans and other business activities.



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## Investment Description

- International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Vision Investments Limited (VIL) is headquartered in Samabula, Fiji, and is a leading retail company distributing consumer electronics, furniture and durable home goods in Fiji. VIL is currently owned by four established companies in Fiji, namely, Jacks Equity Investment Limited (29.8% ownership), R.C. Manubhai & Co Ltd (29.8% ownership), Challenge Engineering Ltd (29.8% ownership) and Candle Investments Ltd (9.9% ownership), and Vision Group Limited (0.7% ownership). VIL acquired and merged with its three sister companies, Vision Motors Limited (an automotive dealer), Mahogany Industries (Fiji) Limited (a wooden furniture manufacturer) and Vision Finance Limited (provider of guarantees for consumer finance loans and extended warranties extended by VIL), under the umbrella of Vision Group Limited.



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