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IFC-41890 VP Bank Green Loan



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### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Vietnam		
Specific Location	Nation-wide		
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)		
Status	Proposed		
Bank Risk Rating	FI		
Voting Date	2019-12-02		
Borrower	VIETNAM PROSPERITY JOINT STOCK COMMERCIAL BANK		
Sectors	Finance		
Investment Type(s)	Loan		
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 150.00 million		
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 150.00 million		
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 150.00 million		

### **Project Description**

According to the bank document, the proposed project is delivered through

- (i) improved access to finance for climate businesses and local SMEs,
- (ii) capacity building through parallel advisory support,
- (iii) expected reduction in GHG emissions, and
- (iv) promotion of climate financing standards and best practices.

The investment is for a 5-year senior loan of up to US\$150 million, consisting of (i) up to US\$50 million IFC A Loan from its own account,

- (ii) up to US\$37.5 million from IFC acting in its capacity as implementing entity for the Managed Co-Lending Portfolio Program, and
- (iii) up to US\$62.5 million B1 and Parallel Loans including a green-shoe option to Vietnam Prosperity Joint Stock Commercial Bank ("VP Bank" or "the Bank").

The investment aims to support the Bank to grow its eligible climate-related projects and SME portfolio.

VP Bank is headquartered in Hanoi, Vietnam. As of June 30, 2019, the Bank had 226 branches, 84 SME hubs, 137 household centers, and 4 Corporate branches across Vietnam. The investment can be made throughout the country.

### **Investment Description**

• International Finance Corporation (IFC)

### **Private Actors Description**

VP Bank was established in 1993 with its headquarter in Hanoi, Vietnam. The Bank provides a wide range of commercial banking products and services to both retail and commercial clients through a nation-wide network of 226 branches, 84 SME hubs, 137 Household centers, 4 Corporate, and 649 branded ATMs and CDMs. The current main common shareholders as of June 30, 2019 are: Chairman Ngo Chi Dung and his related persons (14.96%), Vice Chairman Lo Bang Giang and his related persons (7.5%), and Vice Chairman Bui Hai Quan and his related persons (6.68%). According to its annual report 2018, VP Bank has 176 institutional and 18,571 individual investors.





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-		-	-	-	Vietnam Prosperity Joint-Stock Commercial Bank (VP Bank)	Client	-

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