

 Early Warning System

IFC-42193

Republic Bank Ghana Limited



## Quick Facts

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| <b>Countries</b>               | Ghana                                   |
| <b>Financial Institutions</b>  | International Finance Corporation (IFC) |
| <b>Status</b>                  | Proposed                                |
| <b>Bank Risk Rating</b>        | U                                       |
| <b>Voting Date</b>             | 2019-05-16                              |
| <b>Borrower</b>                | REPUBLIC BANK (GHANA) LIMITED           |
| <b>Sectors</b>                 | Finance                                 |
| <b>Investment Type(s)</b>      | Loan                                    |
| <b>Investment Amount (USD)</b> | \$ 40.00 million                        |
| <b>Project Cost (USD)</b>      | \$ 40.00 million                        |



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## Project Description

The project consists of a senior loan of up to US\$40 million for 5 years to Republic Bank (Ghana) Limited (“RBGH” or the “Bank”) to support the growth of its Small and Medium Enterprises (“SME”) portfolio. The proposed senior loan will support the Bank in expanding its reach and services to SMEs that are severely underserved and in need of access to finance to grow their businesses (the “Project”). The Bank has expressed interest in carving out 25% of the proposed senior loan to grow its climate finance business.



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## Investment Description

- International Finance Corporation (IFC)



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### Private Actors Description

The Bank's main shareholders are Republic Financial Holdings Ltd ("RFHL") (66.50%), Social Security and National Insurance Trust ("SSNIT") (25.87%), Ghana Union Assurance Company (4.97%) and Ghana International Bank (1.08%).



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**Bank Documents**

- [Project Information](#)