Early Warning System

IFC-44589 Strominvest AFH



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Quick Facts

Countries	Belarus
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	В
Voting Date	2021-09-15
Borrower	STROMINVEST LLC
Sectors	Construction, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 23.55 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 70.65 million

Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project provides funding to Strominvest, a Belarusian company which contracts, constructs and develops commercial property and affordable housing to finance the development and construction of two low to middle-income housing projects in Minsk city with a total space of approximately 105,000 sqm to be completed over the next 3 years.

Investment Description

• International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Private Actors Description

In 2016, the Accountability Mechanism of the IFC (CAO) received a complaint from a local Minsk resident who filed on behalf of himself, his mother, and other community members. The complaint raised concerns about possible forced evictions and fear of resettling people against their will to affordable housing built by Strominvest within an IFC-funded project (Strominvest 26107, 31993). CAO decided to close this case without further investigation (see here for more details - http://www.cao-ombudsman.org/cases/case detail.aspx?id=246)





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Private Actor 1	Private Actor 1 Role	Private Actor 1 Sector	Relation	Private Actor 2	Private Actor 2 Role	Private Actor 2 Sector
-	-	-	-	STROMINVEST LLC	Client	Construction

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