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Quick Facts

CountriesVietnamFinancial InstitutionsInternational Finance Corporation (IFC)StatusApprovedBank Risk RatingCVoting Date2022-06-29

Borrower VIETNAM INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL JOINT STOCK BANK

Sectors Construction, Finance Investment Amount (USD) \$ 150.00 million

Project Description

According to the bank's website, "the proposed investment in Vietnam International Commercial Joint Stock Bank ("VIB" or the "Bank") is a senior loan package of up to US\$300 million comprising of: (i) an A Loan, of up to US\$ 150 million with a tenor of 5 years, (ii) mobilization of up to US\$150 million with a 3-year tenor (B1 Loan and/or Parallel Loans); to support the growth of the Bank's housing portfolio (the "Project"). At least 30% of the loan proceeds will be used for affordable housing."

People Affected By This Project

The development impacts of the Project will be delivered through (i) improved access to finance for homebuyers, and (ii) improved lower-income segments' access to housing finance.

Investment Description

• International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Financial Intermediary

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

• VIETNAM INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL JOINT STOCK BANK (Financial Intermediary)

Private Actors Description

According to the IFC, the main shareholders of VIB included (i) CBA with a 20% shareholding, (ii) Other institutional investors with 9.34% and (iii) The remaining 70.66% shareholding are held by individual shareholder

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Campaign Documents

• Business and Human Rights Resource Center: Vietnam International Commercial Joint Stock Bank