Early Warning System

IFC-45936 DCM KMRC



### **Quick Facts**

Countries	Kenya
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2022-02-17
Borrower	KENYA MORTGAGE REFINANCE COMPANY
Sectors	Finance
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 36.97 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 93.00 million



## **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, Kenya Mortgage Refinance Company ('KMRC') is a greenfield entity established in April 2018 with the purpose of providing long-term funding to Primary Mortgage Lenders ('PMLs') to develop the affordable housing segment in Kenya and increase access to affordable housing finance. KMRC received its operating license in September 2020.IFC will serve as an anchor investor in KMRC's first Medium-Term Note ('MTN') bond program of up to KES 10.5bn (~US\$93mn) by purchasing up to 40% of the bonds. The bond proceeds will be used to increase the availability of affordable housing finance in Kenya.

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• KENYA MORTGAGE REFINANCE COMPANY (Financial Intermediary)



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