Early Warning System

IFC-48606 UzMRC Debt



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## **Quick Facts**

Countries	Uzbekistan
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2024-06-24
Borrower	JSC Mortgage Refinancing Company of Uzbekistan (UzMRC)
Sectors	Construction, Finance
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 45.00 million
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#### **Project Description**

As stated by the IFC, the proposed investment entails up to US\$45 million equivalent of UZS denominated 3-year bullet fixed-rate senior financing to the "JSC Mortgage Refinancing Company of Uzbekistan" (UzMRC), which will be extendible for an additional 3-years, to support UzMRC to refinance the retail mortgage portfolios of private banks and specific state-owned financial institutions. Certain portion of the proceeds might be used by UzMRC for mortgage loans provided to women's housing finance.

## **Early Warning System Project Analysis**

The IFC categorized the project risk as 'FI-3'.

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• 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.

• Mortgage Refinancing Company of Uzbekistan (UzMRC) (Financial Intermediary)

#### **Private Actors Description**

As stated by the IFC, the financial intermediary is JSC Mortgage Refinancing Company of Uzbekistan. The Government of Uzbekistan directly owns 25% through Agency for Management of State Assets of the Republic of Uzbekistan and the remaining 75% is owned by twelve banks, eight of which are state owned and four are private.

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