

# ADB's Private Sector: Enabling Supply and Demand for Affordable Housing in Asia

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### Affordable Housing is an ADB Priority







#### **Targeting ADB's Private Sector by Socio-Economic Segment**



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### **ADB's Private Sector Housing Portfolio 2000-2022**

- Total Portfolio of ~ \$500 mm
  - Debt & equity
  - Additional Technical assistance for market development
- Focus on 3 sub-sectors:
  - Category (i): mortgage / housing finance
  - > Category (ii): integrated infrastructure/slum upgrading/ microfinance
  - > Category (iii): housing policy / supply / construction finance







### **ADB Private Sector Supply Side Projects**



#### Joyville Shapoorji ADB 2.2 billion cror/\$35 mm equity investment 17.5% minority stake in the Affordable Housing Segment "Joyville" Brand

20,000 Affordable Housing Units; LIG & lower MIG 5-6 projects across India Metrics on max size of units Caps on maximum price units

IGBC Certified/EDGE Aligned All Joyville Affordable Housing Units to be Green Certified



### M2 Optima Georgia

\$10 mm loan eq in Lari Partially finance the development of two affordable residential complexes in Tbilisi developed by Optima Nearly 4,000 units for Lowand Middle-Income buyers 1<sup>st</sup> ADB private sector housing finance project in CWRD Energy Efficient Construction CO2 emissions reducing TA for Integrated Solutions for Livable Cities



### IIFL Home Finance Ltd.

\$68 mm ADB Loan eq INR Climate Resilience & Adaptation Housing Project IIFLHF pioneering in developer finance for green-certified homes in the affordable housing segment. Supply of IGBC/GRIHA certified affordable housing units Gold/4\* Leverages Credit Linked Subsidy Scheme program (CLSS) to enable access to green mortgages for EWS/LIG buyers





## **Enabling Demand Side For Housing Finance**



### Microfinance Risk Participation Program

\$30 mm ADB Partnership MFI loans for low-income families in rural/peri-urban areas of Bangladesh, India, Indonesia & Philippines Focus on home improvement, water and sanitation for vulnerable communities TA for Habitat for Humanity to build MFIs' capacity to design, pilot-test, and scale the loans



### Shubham Housing Finance

#### \$35 mm Equity Investment eq INR

Shubham targets mortgage lending for lower-income households residing in the peripheries of cities and in Tier II and below cities 75% lower-income households 61% of clients with informal income 90% of loans disbursed to women as the primary or coborrowers



#### Credo Bank JSC

\$25 mm loan or eq in Lari Housing finance to low-income clients for home renovation and construction in rural Georgia 50% of Credo's 230,000 clientele are women, predominantly in rural households with farm income ~13,000 women borrowers served TA to extend reach to rural clients in 1700 additional villages, for ~30,000 women clients via branchless banking services and financial literacy





Blended Finance: Concessional donor funding combined with ADB's own ordinary capital loans to fund projects. Focus on Climate Finance

- Incentivize use of Certified Green Building that would otherwise not be promoted
- Helps overcome climate adaptation risks through design elements
- Aligned to 5 DFI Principles of Blended Concessional Finance (e.g. minimal concessionality, commercial sustainability, crowd in markets)

#### **Technical Assistance**

- <u>Market building activities</u>: Training and certification for developers, financing product design, training credit officers
- <u>Address market barriers</u>: that prevent private sector development in areas of strategic importance and high development impact





Canadian Climate Fund for the Private Sector in Asia



# Key Themes in ADB Private Sector Housing Portfolio



#### INCOME SEGMENT

- Focus on low
  & low middle
  income
- Lever government subsidies to enable demand
- Capacity to evaluate informal income critical



#### GENDER FOCUS

- Women as title
  holders
- Women as coborrowers or head of household
- TA to promote financial literacy & formal titling



#### GREEN CLIMATE RESILIENT

- New market
- Need for green certifications
  - Regulatory Incentives for developers
  - Blended finance to incentivize supply & demand



RURAL VS URBAN • Land affordability = multifamily units & home upgrades

- Regulatory framework key to inspire confidence
- Rural self or progressive construction

