



Investment Funds Application (DFC-004)

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Proposal Date	DEFAULT
GP Main Point of Contact (First Name)	TEXT BOX
GP Main Point of Contact (Last Name)	TEXT BOX
GP Main Point of Contact (Email)	TEXT BOX
GP Main Point of Contact (Phone Number)	TEXT BOX
Name of Firm	TEXT BOX
Address of Firm Headquarters	TEXT BOX
City of Firm Headquarters	TEXT BOX
Postal Code of Firm Headquarters ¹	TEXT BOX
Country of Firm Headquarters	TEXT BOX
Other Firm Locations (cities)	TEXT BOX
Year Firm Established	TEXT BOX
Website of Firm	TEXT BOX
SAM Registration Number (if available)	TEXT BOX (OPTIONAL)

¹ For U.S. Addresses, the zip code + 4 is required

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FUND OVERVIEW	
Fund Name	TEXT BOX
Fund Target Size in USD (including DFC amount)	TEXT BOX (numerical)
Max Fund Target Size in USD (including DFC amount)	TEXT BOX (numerical)
Min Fund Target Size in USD (including DFC amount)	TEXT BOX (numerical)
Proposed GP Commitment (%)	TEXT BOX (percentage)
Proposed DFC Commitment	TEXT BOX (numerical)
TargetSectors	TEXT BOX (drop down menu)
If Other Sectors/Industries (please describe)	TEXT BOX
Fund Geography (region)	TEXT BOX (drop down menu)
Fund Geography (targeted countries)	TEXT BOX
Projected Fund Multiple and IRR returns (gross)	TEXT BOX (percentage)
Brief Description of the Fund and its Strategy (Please include how strategy aligns with DFC's mandate)	TEXT BOX
Brief Description of the Fund for Public Disclosure After Approval (character range 40-149)	TEXT BOX (limit to 40-149 characters)

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MANAGEMENT OVERVIEW		
Fund Team Formation: Describe how the Fund Manager and the team were initially formed, and provide a brief history of how they have evolved to date. You may also refer to appropriate sections in the PPM or marketing presentation.	TEXT BOX	
Number of Partners	TEXT BOX (numerical)	
Total Number of Employees/Number of Senior Investment Professionals	TEXT BOX (numerical)	
Please provide the current or projected number of female members of the GP's or FM's board of directors or other governing body, if applicable	GP _____ # FM _____ #	
Firm's Assets Under Management	TEXT BOX (numerical)	
Number of Funds Previously Managed by this Firm	TEXT BOX (numerical)	
SENIOR INVESTMENT TEAM (Please Attach CVs)		
Name	Title	Year joined firm

{Include ability to upload multiple documents}

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LP BASE				
Total Capital Raised to Date in USD	TEXT BOX (numerical)			
Total Capital Raised to Date (% of Target Fund Size)	TEXT BOX (percentage)			
First Close Date (actual/anticipated) and Amount	TEXT BOX			
(i) Explain why you are seeking DFC funding. (ii) What efforts have been taken to raise capital from private sector investors and what has been the outcome of those efforts? (iii) Is there a lack of available private sector support for the Fund, or for portfolio companies and if so for what reason?	TEXT BOX			
List of Investors in prior funds and those who have Committed to this Fund and Amount	Name	Commitment to prior fund(s)	Commitment to this Fund	Location (country)
List of new Investors committed to this Fund	Name	Commitment	Location (country)	
List any Development Finance Institutions (DFIs) with whom the Fund is engaged in discussions (include the stage of discussion/investment process and whether have provided soft or hard commitments)	Name	Stage of discussion	Commitment	Soft or hard
TRACK RECORD				
Attach a summary of prior fund performance (see Track Record template)	FILE UPLOAD			

INVESTMENT POLICY & ESG		
Describe the developmental impact you believe the Fund will have in the host country/countries (e.g., job creation, infrastructure improvements, social policies/corporate social responsibility initiatives, technology and knowledge transfer).	TEXT BOX	
Will the Fund target investments that are female-owned or serve female clients, clients located in rural areas, or other underserved populations?	Yes _____ No _____ Women: _____ % Rural: _____ % Other: _____ %	
If so, what percentage will be dedicated to these populations?		
Is the General Partner or Investment Manager a women-owned enterprise or women-led enterprise?	Yes No	
Number and percentage of female staff (GP, Fund Manager and Fund)		Number/Percentage of staff
	General Partner	
	Fund Manager	
	Fund	
Please describe the Fund's practices concerning provision of accountability and access to remedy for negative sub-project impacts on Individuals and communities.	TEXT BOX	
Is this fund targeting investments related to the sourcing of Critical Minerals and/or the development of its processing capacity related to the Executive Order titled Immediate Measures to Increase American Mineral Production signed on March 20, 2025?		
If applicable, please discuss how the fund will positively impact the US and/or US citizens.		

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OTHER - MISCELLANEOUS			
(i) Describe any potential conflicts of interest of which you are aware. (ii) How do you plan to resolve potential conflicts of interest within the Fund, or with other investment vehicles managed by your organization or its affiliates?	TEXT BOX		
Are there any substantive litigation, dispute resolutions, or regulatory actions brought against the manager, its principals or any portfolio companies?	TEXT BOX		
If yes, please attach an explanation describing any litigation, community dispute, or complaint resolution processes that have occurred or are occurring involving the manager, its principals and/or its portfolio companies.	FILE UPLOAD		
ATTACHMENTS			
Attach the Fund's most recent marketing presentation	FILE UPLOAD		
Attach the Fund's investment pipeline	FILE UPLOAD		
Attach the Fund's PPM (if available)	FILE UPLOAD		
Attach Fund's ESG Policies	FILE UPLOAD		
Attach Fund's Know Your Customer Policies	FILE UPLOAD		
Attach LPA (if available)	FILE UPLOAD		
PROPOSAL DOCUMENTS			
Document Name	Description	Document Date	File Name

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DFC/US Government Questions	
How did you hear about DFC?	
DFC is interested in knowing what types of communications about its programs are most effective. If this is the first time you are applying for an DFC product, please select the source of your initial information about DFC:	☐ N/A -- This is not my first application to DFC. ☐ DFC's website or other social media (Twitter, Facebook, etc.) ☐ DFC-sponsored workshop or event (Name of event _____) ☐ DFC speaker at an industry event (Name of event _____) ☐ Other US Government Agency (e.g. State/Embassy, Commerce, Treasury, TDA, DOD, USEXIM, etc.) (insert a dropdown box with choices) ☐ Referred by financial or legal advisor (Name of advisor _____) ☐ Referred by portfolio facility manager (Name of facility manager _____) ☐ Past or present DFC client. (Name of client _____) ☐ Other (describe: _____)
May DFC share the following information with other development finance institutions (DFIs) who may be interested in working with DFC on the type of project/transaction you are proposing? (a) The Fund Name and Location from Question 13 and questions 21 and 22; (b) The GP Point of Contact (Name and Email) from Questions 2-4; (c) The list of Fund Sectors (e.g. financial services, construction) listed in Question 19.	Yes No
Anti-Lobbying Certification	
Per 31 USC § 1352, DFC is required to obtain certifications with regard to funds paid to lobbyists. Pursuant to that requirement, please complete the certifications below. U.S. Government Appropriated Funding² The applicant certifies, to the best of the applicant's knowledge, that no party involved with the proposed transaction has used or will use funds appropriated by the U.S. government (through contracts, grants, loans, or cooperative agreements) to pay any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any U.S. government agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with any federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.	Checkbox "Certified"
Private Funding The applicant certifies, to the best of the applicant's knowledge, that if any party involved with the proposed transaction has used or intends to use funds other than funds appropriated by the U.S. government to pay any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this proposed Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, such party has completed or shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.	Checkbox "Certified"

² The use of funds appropriated by the U.S. Government to pay lobbyists is prohibited by law.