BACKGROUND

Between 1992 and 1995, as a result of the conflict in former Yugoslavia, 2.2 million persons, or more than half of the pre-war population, fled their homes in Bosnia and Herzegovina (BiH). Of these, 1.2 million left the country to seek refugee protection abroad, while approximately one million were displaced within BiH. Aside from the devastating human impact of the war, nearly 500,000 homes, or almost half of all housing units in the country, were either partially or completely destroyed.

The Regional Housing Programme (RHP) aims to provide durable housing solutions to vulnerable refugees, internally displaced persons (IDPs) and returnees, either in their places of origin or of displacement. Overall, 26,500 applications for RHP housing assistance have been received from those wishing to return to their pre-war homes in BiH, in addition to others wishing to integrate within local communities in the country. To date, 2,034 housing units have been delivered in BiH, to the benefit of over 6,000 most-vulnerable persons.

RHP IN BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA AT A GLANCE

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* Official figure as per signed Grant Agreements. The final figure will be known at the completion of each sub-project.

TARGETED DELIVERIES BY HOUSING MODALITY

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* Estimated target
# Financial and Implementation Status of Sub-Projects

## June 2022

### BiH1
- Provision of building materials to 20 families and turnkey reconstruction assistance to 146 families
- **Completed 1st half of 2017**
- **Total cost (final)**: €2,821,432
- **Grant amount (final)**: €2,387,311
- **National contribution (final)**: €434,121

### BiH2
- Reconstruction of 825 family houses for return and reintegration or local integration; design of 198 houses and design/review of 251 apartments (BiH6); technical sustainability measures for BiH1, BiH2 and BiH4
- **Total cost**: €15,848,245
- **Grant amount**: €13,634,032
- **National contribution**: €2,214,213
- **Grant amount disbursed**: €12,270,613
- **Expected completion**: 1st half of 2022

### BiH3
- Reconstruction of 399 family houses for the return of refugees and IDPs and construction of 82 family houses for local integration of displaced persons
- **Total cost**: €9,620,371
- **Grant amount**: €8,569,651
- **National contribution**: €1,050,720
- **Grant amount disbursed**: €8,231,200
- **Expected completion**: 2nd half of 2022

### BiH4
- Reconstruction of 567 flats in multi-apartment buildings for refugees and displaced persons
- **Total cost**: €17,397,433
- **Grant amount**: €13,843,875
- **National contribution**: €3,553,558
- **Grant amount disbursed**: €13,843,875
- **Expected completion**: 1st half of 2022

### BiH5
- Re/construction of 50 family houses for local integration and re/construction of 475 family houses for return of refugees and displaced persons
- **Total cost**: €10,958,262
- **Grant amount**: €10,037,023
- **National contribution**: €760,839
- **Grant amount disbursed**: €9,200,680
- **Expected completion**: 1st half of 2023

### BiH6
- Re/construction of 216 family houses and construction of 353 flats in multi-apartment buildings for displaced persons and returnees
- **Total cost**: €19,698,717
- **Grant amount**: €16,260,217
- **National contribution**: €3,438,500
- **Grant amount disbursed**: €14,634,195
- **Expected completion**: 1st half of 2023

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