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Question:

What will the conditions governing use of grants under the National Housing Infrastructure Facility be?

Answer:

To be eligible for financial assistance from the National Housing Infrastructure Facility (NHIF), local governments will need to make an application that satisfies the eligibility criteria. Applications will be assessed from 1 July 2018 by the independent board of the National Housing Finance and Investment Corporation.

The application criteria, including conditions governing the use of grants, will be determined following consultations which will take place in 2017.