# Examples of UK international DSM activities

# Market Accelerator for Green Construction

Market Transformation and Green Building Benefits



### The need

- ❖ Buildings account for 1/3 of total global final energy use and 19% of energy-related GHG emissions, with a 45% increase in building related emissions since 1990.
- ❖ In UK, around 80% of buildings in 2050 are already standing; in many developing countries the reverse is true.
- ❖ With a 40-70 year economic lifespan of buildings, poor design locks in emissions for many decades. By 2035, nearly 2/3 of buildings standing in 2060 will already be built.



#### What & how

- ❖ UK is providing £106m to create a new international Market Accelerator for Green Construction in developing countries.
- ❖ A collaboration between the UK and the International Finance Corporation (IFC) to drive the financing and construction of more energy efficient buildings in developing countries.
- ❖ Via green building standards, we are aiming to build evidence, awareness and understanding of the risks and benefits of greener construction practices





## The Impact

- ❖ £1.2b to £2b of green buildings constructed, 1.5m2 to
  2.6m2 of floor area (equivalent to c.18,750 to c.32,500 homes).
- Saving: 0.5m to 0.8m tCO2e, 6.5m3 to 11.2m3 of water, 0.8m to 1.3m MWh of energy.
- Environmental, social and economic co-benefits.







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Accelerating Clean Energy Innovation in Developing Countries



# Programme objectives

• £40m of International Climate Finance ODA budget

Part of the UK Government's Mission Innovation commitment

 Accelerate clean energy technology innovations – through advancements in TRL levels & TA – that will have transformational impacts in developing countries



#### The need for innovation

 "Innovation is a key driver of productivity and economic growth" – OECD, 2017

 On average, 0.1% of total public spend is allocated to energy R&D – IEA, 2018

 Investment in energy sector RD&D still accounts for less than 5% of global RD&D activity & 90% of activity is funded and undertaken within the same country – UNFCCC, 2017



### **Thematic priorities & DSM**

#### Low carbon cooling

- Improved thermal comfort and control
- Improved efficiency

#### **Industrial decarbonisation & CCUS**

- Improved efficiency
- Clustering & symbiosis

#### **Energy storage**

- Integration of renewables
- Ancillary source of power
- Encourages EV infrastructure

