Ministry of Housing and Cities

Region            Latin America and the Caribbean
Award Scheme      Scroll of Honor Practices
Sustainable Development Goals  Goal 11 - Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable

Summary
The Colombian Ministry of Housing and Cities has launched three major initiatives including a national urban policy, water supply to neighbourhoods nationwide, and a policy for decent housing and decent lives. It has made an outstanding contribution to comprehensive COVID-19 housing protection and promotion of policies to prevent massive evictions, guarantee potable water access and give emergency subsidies to vulnerable populations.