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### SMBC Asia Rising Fund Closes Investment in Olyv

SINGAPORE, February 12, 2026 --- SMBC Asia Rising Fund, the corporate venture capital fund of SMBC Group, is pleased to announce its next investments in Olyv, operating actively across India.



Olyv secures USD 23 Million Series B Funding with participation from SMBC Asia Rising Fund.

Founded in 2016 (formerly SmartCoin), Olyv is a technology-driven fintech platform empowering “Emerging India” segment—young, mobile-first, underserved individuals entering the formal financial ecosystem. The company offers personal loans, credit score management, gold savings, and insurance through its compliant and data-led platform.

Leveraging alternative data and AI driven underwriting, Olyv identifies lower risk borrowers, achieving ~ 70% customer repeat usage. Guided by its mission to advance tech driven financial inclusion and wellness, Olyv continues to expand access to responsible credit across India.

SMBC Asia Rising Fund is committed to driving sustainable regional growth through strategic collaborations with portfolio companies and investments in promising startups across India, Southeast Asia, and global markets.

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