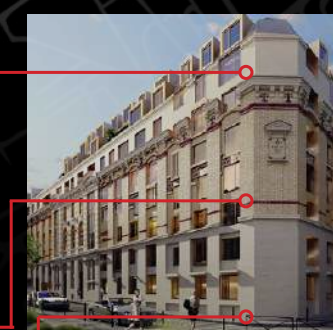


In 2000 the "Loi Relative à la Solidarité et au Renouvellement Urbains" passed requires communes with more than 1500 citizens to have a minimum of 20% social housing by 2020. The intention was to create a "balanced distribution in the supply of accommodation". Those communes that do not meet this requirement and do not establish a program to catch-up with their defaults are faced with financial sanctions.

Paris has started the program of the social housing on its territory that has guided the programming policy since 2001. The aim is to develop social housing in the center and west of Paris, which are the districts with very few housing. Paris mixed housing program on some parts did add-ons to the existing buildings in the city:

- level 3: add-on housing
- level 2: housing
- level 1: commercial



The cores of the proposed project need only 25 sq m of the ground hence can be placed in the inner courtyards. Structure doesn't interfere with existing buildings and places due to its compact dimensions. Potential locations have low flat roof, allowing the grid to grow above them. They might affect Paris economically, socially and politically via improving communication between different social classes making them share the same neighborhood.