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## Abstract

Beginning in 1960, spurred by a deliberate policy of urban development, the landscape of Singapore has undergone massive changes. In less than three decades more than 85% of the population has been relocated from former slums and ethnic enclaves into new high-rise, high-density public housing and provided with a whole new spectrum of "doorstep" play and recreation opportunities in the new urban fabric.



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