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PROJECT AGREEMENT - ABSTRACT
SCHEDULE 1
Procurement

Section I. General

A. All goods, works and services (other than consultants' services) shall be procured in accordance with the provisions of Section I of the "Guidelines for Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits" dated May 2004 (the Procurement Guidelines), and with the provisions of this Schedule.

B. All consultants' services shall be procured in accordance with Sections I and IV of the "Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers" dated May 2004 (the Consultant Guidelines), and with the provisions of this Schedule.

C. The capitalized terms used below in this Schedule to describe particular procurement methods or methods of review by the Association of particular contracts, have the meanings ascribed to them in the Procurement Guidelines, or Consultant Guidelines, as the case may be.

Section II. Particular Methods of Procurement of Goods, Works and Services (other than Consultants' Services)

A. International Competitive Bidding. Except as otherwise provided in Part B of this Section, contracts shall be awarded on the basis of International Competitive Bidding. The provisions of paragraphs 2.55 and 2.56 of the Procurement Guidelines, providing for domestic preference in the evaluation of bids, shall apply to goods manufactured in the territory of the Borrower and works to be carried out by domestic contractors.

B. Other Procurement Procedures

1. National Competitive Bidding. Goods estimated to cost less than \$500,000 and works estimated to cost less than \$10 million equivalent per contract may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of National Competitive Bidding, in accordance with procedures acceptable to IDA.

2. Shopping. Goods estimated to cost less than \$50,000 equivalent per contract and works estimated to cost less than \$30,000 equivalent per contract, may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of Shopping.

3. Direct Contracting. Goods and works which the Association agrees meet the requirements for Direct Contracting may be procured in accordance with the provisions of said procurement method.

4. Force Account. Works which the Association agrees meet the requirements for Force Account may be carried out in accordance with the provisions of said procurement method.

5. Community Participation. Goods, works and services required for Sub-projects under Part A of the Project consisting of investments in (i) drainage schemes; (ii) pond, tank and beel fisheries; and (iii) drilling tubewells; (iv) pumping equipment; (v) tractors; and (vi) power tillers, and accessories may be procured on the basis of community participation in accordance with the following procedures:

- (a) Shopping procedures for fish production inputs;
- (b) Direct contracting procedures for irrigation pump-sets and farm machinery; and
- (c) Direct contracting with NGOs, or soliciting at least three bids from qualified contractors, or by the community on its own for civil works contracts.

Section III. Particular Methods of Procurement of Consultants' Services

A. Quality- and Cost-based Selection. Except as otherwise provided in Part B of this Section, consultants' services shall be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of Quality- and Cost-based Selection. For purposes of paragraph 2.7 of the Consultant Guidelines, the short list of consultants for services estimated to cost less than \$500,000 equivalent per contract may comprise entirely national consultants.

B. Other Procedures

1. Quality-based Selection. Services for assignments which the Association agrees meet the requirements set forth in paragraph 3.2 of the Consultant Guidelines may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of Quality-based Selection in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.1 through 3.4 of the Consultant Guidelines.

2. Selection Under a Fixed Budget. Services for assignments which the Association agrees meet the requirements of paragraph 3.5 of the Consultant Guidelines may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of a Fixed Budget in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.1 and 3.5 of the Consultant Guidelines.

3. Least-cost Selection. Services for assignments which the Association agrees meet the requirements of paragraph 3.6 of the Consultant Guidelines may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of Least-cost Selection in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.1 and 3.6 of the Consultant Guidelines.
4. Selection Based on Consultants' Qualifications. Services estimated to cost less than \$ 100,000 equivalent per contract may be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.1, 3.7 and 3.8 of the Consultant Guidelines.
5. Single Source Selection. Services for tasks in circumstances which meet the requirements of paragraph 3.10 of the Consultant Guidelines for Single Source Selection, may, with the Association's prior agreement, be procured in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.9 through 3.13 of the Consultant Guidelines.
6. Individual Consultants. Services for assignments that meet the requirements set forth in the first sentence of paragraph 5.1 of the Consultant Guidelines may be procured under contracts awarded to individual consultants in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 5.2 through 5.3 of the Consultant Guidelines. Under the circumstances described in paragraph 5.4 of the Consultant Guidelines, such contracts may be awarded to individual consultants on a sole-source basis subject to prior approval of the Association.

Section IV. Review by the Association of Procurement Decisions

The Procurement Plan shall set forth those contracts which shall be subject to the Association's Prior Review. All other contracts shall be subject to Post Review by the Association.