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CREDIT NUMBER 2950 -IN

Development Credit Agreement

(Andhra Pradesh Hazard Mitigation and Emergency Cyclone Recovery Project)

between

INDIA

and

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Dated June 3, 1997

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DEVELOPMENT CREDIT AGREEMENT

AGREEMENT, dated June 3, 1997, between INDIA, acting by its President (the Borrower), and the INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (the Association). WHEREAS (A) the Borrower, having satisfied itself as to the feasibility and priority of the Project described in Schedule 2 to this Agreement, has requested the Association to assist in the financing of the Project;

- Parts A.1, B and C of the Project will be carried out by State of Andhra Pradesh (Andhra Pradesh) with the Borrower's assistance, and as part of such assistance, the Borrower will make available to Andhra Pradesh part of the proceeds of the Credit as provided in this Agreement;
- the Borrower has also requested the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the Bank) to provide additional assistance towards the financing of the Project and by an agreement of even date herewith between the Borrower and the Bank (the Loan Agreement), the Bank is agreeing to provide such assistance in an amount equal to fifty million dollars (\$50,000,000) (the Loan); and
- the Borrower and the Association intend, to the extent practicable, that the proceeds of the Credit provided for in this Agreement be disbursed on account of expenditures in respect of the Project before disbursements of the proceeds of the Loan provided for in the Loan Agreement are made; and

WHEREAS the Association has agreed, on the basis, inter alia, of the foregoing,

to extend the Credit to the Borrower upon the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement and in the Project Agreement of even date herewith among the Association, the Bank and Andhra Pradesh;

NOW THEREFORE the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

General Conditions; Definitions

Section 1.01. The "General Conditions Applicable to Development Credit Agreements" of the Association, dated January 1, 1985, with the modifications set forth below (the General Conditions) constitute an integral part of this Agreement:

- (a) The last sentence of Section 3.02 is deleted.
- (b) The second sentence of Section 5.01 is modified to read:

"Except as the Association and the Borrower shall otherwise agree, no withdrawals shall be made: (a) on account of expenditures in the territories of any country which is not a member of the Association or for goods produced in, or services supplied from, such territories; or (b) for the purpose of any payment to persons or entities, or for any import of goods, if such payment or import, to the knowledge of the Association, is prohibited by a decision of the United Nations Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations."

(c) Section 6.03 is modified to read:

"Section 6.03. Cancellation by the Association. If (a) the right of the Borrower to make withdrawals from the Credit Account shall have been suspended with amount of the Credit for a continuous period of thirty days, respect to any or (b) at any time, the Association determines, after consultation with the Borrower, that an amount of the Credit will not be required to finance the Project's costs to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit, or (c) at any time, the Association determines, with respect to any contract to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit, that corrupt or fraudulent practices were engaged in by representatives of the Borrower or of a beneficiary of the Credit during the procurement or the execution of such contract, without the Borrower having taken appropriate action satisfactory to the Association to remedy the the amount of expenditures in respect of such situation, and establishes contract which would otherwise have been eligible for financing out of the proceeds of the Credit, or (d) at any time, the Association determines that the procurement of any contract to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit is inconsistent with the procedures set forth or referred to in Development Credit Agreement and establishes the amount of expenditures in contract which would otherwise have been eligible for financing respect of such out of the proceeds of the Credit, or (e) after the Closing Date, an amount of the Credit shall remain unwithdrawn from the Credit Account, the Association may, by notice to the Borrower, terminate the right of the Borrower to make withdrawals with respect to such amount. Upon the giving of such notice, such amount of the Credit shall be canceled."

Section 1.02. Unless the context otherwise requires, the several terms defined in the General Conditions and in the Preamble to this Agreement have the respective meanings therein set forth and the following additional terms have the following meanings:

- (a) "Affected Areas" means the districts of East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur, Prakasam, Nellore, Cuddapah, Chitoor, Anantapur, Kurnool, Adilabad, Warangal, Karimnagar, Khammam, Medak, Ranga Reddy, and Visakhapatnam in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) "Andhra Pradesh" means the State of Andhra Pradesh, a State of India, or any successor thereto;
- (c) "Disaster Mitigation Council" means the council to be created by Andhra Pradesh with the Chief Minister as chairman to set policy agenda, conduct periodic

reviews and approve action plans for long-term hazard reduction in Andhra Pradesh;

- (d) "District Disaster Management Committees" means the committees to be established in accordance with paragraph 1 (a) (ii) of the Schedule to the Project Agreement at district level throughout Andhra Pradesh to coordinate community mobilization and to be responsible for local level hazard reduction activities;
- (e) "DMU" means the Disaster Management Unit to be established in accordance with paragraph 1 (a) (ii) of the Schedule to the Project Agreement in the Andhra Pradesh Department of Finance and Planning, under the Finance Secretary for the purposes of managing and monitoring and evaluating Part A.1, 2 and 3 of the Project and hazard mitigation activities in Andhra Pradesh;
- (f) "Hazard Mitigation Policy" means the policy statement concerning long-term mitigation against further disasters to be issued by Andhra Pradesh and referred to in paragraph 1 (a) of the Schedule to the Project Agreement;
- (g) "IMD" means Indian Meteorological Department under the Ministry of Science and Technology of the Borrower, or any successor thereto;
- (h) "Loan Agreement" means the agreement of even date herewith between the Borrower and the Bank for the Project, as such agreement may be amended from time to time; and such term includes the "General Conditions Applicable to Loan and Guarantee Agreements for Single Currency Loans" of the Bank, dated May 30, 1995, as applied to such agreement, and all schedules and agreements supplemental to the Loan Agreement;
- (i) "Project Agreement" means the agreement between the Association and Andhra Pradesh of even date herewith, as the same may be amended from time to time, and such term includes all schedules and agreements supplemental to the Project Agreement; and
- (j) "Special Account" means the account referred to in Section 2.02 (b) of this Agreement. ARTICLE II The Credit Section 2.01. The Association agrees to lend to the Borrower, on the terms and conditions set forth or referred to in the Development Credit Agreement, an amount in various currencies equivalent to seventy-two million, one hundred thousand Special Drawing Rights (SDR 72,100,000).
- Section 2.02. (a) The amount of the Credit may be withdrawn from the Credit Account in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 1 to this Agreement for expenditures made (or, if the Association shall so agree, to be made) in respect of the reasonable cost of works, goods and services required for the Project described in Schedule 2 to this Agreement and to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit.
- (b) The Borrower may, for the purposes of the Project, open and maintain in Dollars a special deposit account in Reserve Bank of India on terms and conditions satisfactory to the Association. Deposits into, and payments out of, the Special Account shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 4 to this Agreement.
- Section 2.03. The Closing Date shall be July 31, 2000 or such later date as the Association shall establish. The Association shall promptly notify the Borrower of such later date.
- Section 2.04. (a) The Borrower shall pay to the Association a commitment charge on the principal amount of the Credit not withdrawn from time to time at a rate to be set by the Association as of June 30 of each year, but not to exceed the rate of one-half of one percent (1/2 of 1%) per annum.
- (b) The commitment charge shall accrue: (i) from the date sixty days after the date of this Agreement (the accrual date) to the respective dates on which amounts shall be withdrawn by the Borrower from the Credit Account or canceled; and (ii) at the rate set as of the June 30 immediately preceding the accrual date and at such other rates as may be set from time to time thereafter pursuant to paragraph (a) above. The rate set as of June 30 in each year shall be applied from the next date in that year specified in Section 2.06 of this Agreement.
 - (c) The commitment charge shall be paid: (i) at such places as the

Association shall reasonably request; (ii) without restrictions of any kind imposed by, or in the territory of, the Borrower; and (iii) in the currency specified in this Agreement for the purposes of Section 4.02 of the General Conditions or in such other eligible currency or currencies as may from time to time be designated or selected pursuant to the provisions of that Section. Section 2.05. The Borrower shall pay to the Association a service charge at the rate of three-fourths of one percent (3/4 of 1%) per annum on the principal amount of the Credit withdrawn and outstanding from time to time.

Section 2.06. Commitment and service charges shall be payable semiannually on January 15 and July 15 in each year.

Section 2.07. (a) Subject to paragraphs (b) and (c) below, the Borrower shall repay the principal amount of the Credit in semiannual installments payable on each January 15 and July 15 commencing July 15, 2007 and ending January 15, 2032. Each installment to and including the installment payable on January 15, 2017, shall be one and one-fourth percent (1-1/4%) of such principal amount, and each installment thereafter shall be two and one-half percent (2-1/2%) of such principal amount.

- (b) Whenever (i) the Borrower's per capita gross national product (GNP), as determined by the Association, shall have exceeded for three consecutive years the level established annually by the Association for determining eligibility to access the Association's resources; and (ii) the Bank shall consider the Borrower creditworthy for Bank lending, the Association may, subsequent to the review and approval thereof by the Executive Directors of the Association and after due consideration by them of the development of the Borrower's economy, modify the repayment of installments under paragraph (a) above by: (A) requiring the Borrower to repay twice the amount of each such installment not yet due until the principal amount of the Credit shall have been repaid; and (B) requiring the Borrower to commence repayment of the principal amount of the Credit as of the first semiannual payment date referred to in paragraph (a) above falling six months or more after the date on which the Association notifies the Borrower that the events set out in this paragraph (b) have occurred, provided, however, that there shall be a grace period of a minimum of five years on such repayment of principal.
- (c) If so requested by the Borrower, the Association may revise the modification referred to in paragraph (b) above to include, in lieu of some or all of the increase in the amounts of such installments, the payment of interest at an annual rate agreed with the Association on the principal amount of the Credit withdrawn and outstanding from time to time, provided that, in the judgment of the Association, such revision shall not change the grant element obtained under the abovementioned repayment modification.
- (d) If, at any time after a modification of terms pursuant to paragraph (b) above, the Association determines that the Borrower's economic condition has deteriorated significantly, the Association may, if so requested by the Borrower, further modify the terms of repayment to conform to the schedule of installments as provided in paragraph (a) above.

Section 2.08. The currency of the United States of America is hereby specified for the purposes of Section 4.02 of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE III

Execution of the Project

Section 3.01. (a) The Borrower declares its commitment to the objectives of the Project as set forth in Schedule 2 to this Agreement, and, to this end, shall:

- (i) carry out Part A.2 of the Project with due diligence and efficiency and in conformity with appropriate administrative, and financial practices, and shall provide promptly as needed, the funds and services required for Part A.2 of the Project; and
- (ii) without any limitation or restriction upon any of its other obligations under this Agreement, shall cause Andhra Pradesh to perform in accordance with the provisions of the Project Agreement all the

obligations of Andhra Pradesh therein set forth, shall take and cause to be taken all action, including the provision of funds, facilities, services and other resources, necessary or appropriate to enable Andhra Pradesh to perform such obligations, and shall not take or permit to be taken any other action which would prevent or interfere with such performance.

- (b) the Borrower shall make part of the proceeds of the Credit available to Andhra Pradesh for the purposes of carrying out Parts A.1, B and C of the Project in accordance with the Borrower's standard arrangements for developmental assistance to the States of India. Section 3.02. Except as the Association shall otherwise agree, procurement of the goods, works, and consultants' services required for the Project and to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit shall be governed by the provisions of Schedule 3 to this Agreement.
- Section 3.03. The Borrower and the Association hereby agree that the obligations set forth in Sections 9.03, 9.04, 9.05, 9.06, 9.07 and 9.08 of the General Conditions (relating to insurance, use of goods and services, plans and schedules, records and reports, maintenance and land acquisition, respectively) in respect of Parts A.1, B and C of the Project shall be carried out by Andhra Pradesh pursuant to Section 2.04 of the Project Agreement.
- Section 3.04. The Borrower, through IMD shall provide by no later than July 1, 1997 an action plan to the Association for the carrying out of Part A.2 of the Project, take into account the Association's comments thereon, and thereafter promptly carry out Part A.2 of the Project, (enhancement of the cyclone early warning system) to be completed by no later than December 31, 1999.

ARTICLE IV

Financial Covenants

Section 4.01. (a) The Borrower shall maintain or cause to be maintained records and accounts adequate to reflect in accordance with sound accounting practices the operations, resources and expenditures in respect of Part A.2 of the Project of the departments or agencies of the Borrower responsible for carrying out Part A.2 of the Project.

- (b) The Borrower shall:
- (i) have the records and accounts referred to in paragraph (a) of this Section including those for the Special Account for each fiscal year audited, in accordance with appropriate auditing principles consistently applied, by independent auditors acceptable to the Association;
- (ii) furnish to the Association, as soon as available, but in any case not later than six months after the end of each such year, a certified copy of the report of such audit by said auditors, of such scope and in such detail as the Association shall have reasonably requested; and
- (iii) furnish to the Association such other information concerning said records, accounts and the audit thereof as the Association shall from time to time reasonably request.
- (c) For all expenditures with respect to which withdrawals from the Credit Account were made on the basis of statements of expenditures, the Borrower shall:
- (i) maintain or cause to be maintained, in accordance with paragraph (a) of this Section, records and accounts reflecting such expenditures;
- (ii) retain, until at least one year after the Association has received the audit for the fiscal year in which the last withdrawal from the Credit Account was made, all records (contracts, orders, invoices, bills, receipts and other documents) evidencing such expenditures;

(iii) enable the Association's representatives to examine such records;

and

(iv) ensure that such records and accounts are included in the annual audit referred to in paragraph (b) of this Section and that the report of such audit contains a separate opinion by said auditors as to whether the statements of expenditure submitted during such fiscal year, together with the procedures and internal controls involved in their preparation, can be relied upon to support the related withdrawals.

ARTICLE V

Remedies of the Association

- Section 5.01. Pursuant to Section 6.02 (h) of the General Conditions, the following additional events are specified:
- (a) Andhra Pradesh shall have failed to perform any of its obligations under the Project Agreement.
- (b) As a result of events which have occurred after the date of the Development Credit Agreement, an extraordinary situation shall have arisen which shall make it improbable that Andhra Pradesh will be able to perform its obligations under the Project Agreement.
- Section 5.02. Pursuant to Section 7.01 (d) of the General Conditions the following additional event is specified, namely, that the event specified in Section 5.01 (a) of this Agreement shall occur and shall continue for a period of sixty days after notice thereof shall have been given by the Association to the Borrower.

ARTICLE VI

Effective Date; Termination

Section 6.01. The following event is specified as an additional condition to effectiveness of the Development Credit Agreement within the meaning of Section 12.01 (b) of the General Conditions, namely that, all the conditions precedent to the effectiveness of the Loan Agreement have been fulfilled, other than those related to the effectiveness of this Agreement.

Section 6.02. The following is specified as an additional matter, within the meaning of Section 12.02 (b) of the General Conditions, to be included in the opinion or opinions to be furnished to the Association, namely, that the Project Agreement has been duly authorized or ratified by Andhra Pradesh, and is legally binding upon Andhra Pradesh in accordance with its terms.

Section 6.03. The date ninety (90) days after the date of this Agreement is hereby specified for the purposes of Section 12.04 of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE VII

Representative of the Borrower; Addresses

Section 7.01. The Secretary, Additional Secretary, Joint Secretary, Director, Deputy Secretary or Under Secretary of the Department of Economic Affairs in the Ministry of Finance of the Borrower is designated as representative of the Borrower for the purposes of Section 11.03 of the General Conditions.

Section 7.02. The following addresses are specified for the purposes of Section 11.01 of the General Conditions:

For the Borrower:

Secretary to the Government of India Department of Economic Affairs Ministry of Finance New Delhi, PIN 110001

India

Cable address: Telex:

ECOFAIRS 953-3166175

New Delhi

For the Association:

International Development Association 1818 H Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20433 United States of America

Cable address: Telex:

INTBAFRAD 248423 (MCI) or Washington, D.C. 64145 (MCI)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, acting through their duly authorized representatives, have caused this Agreement to be signed in their respective names in the District of Columbia, United States of America, as of the day and year first above written.

INDIA

By /s/ Sudhakar Rao

Authorized Representative

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

By /s/ Robert S. Drysdale

Acting Regional Vice President South Asia

SCHEDULE 1

Withdrawal of the Proceeds of the Credit and of the Loan

1. The table below sets forth the Categories of items to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit and of the Loan, the allocation of the amounts of the Credit and of the Loan to each Category and the percentage of expenditures for items so to be financed in each Category:

	Catego	-	Amount of the redit Allocated (Expressed in EDR Equivalent)	Amount of the Loan Allocated (Expressed in Dollars)	% of Expenditures to be Financed
(1)	Civil works				70%
	(a)	Part A.2 of the Project	1,200,000		
	(b)	Other	32,600,000	23,500,000	

(2) Goods 100% of foreign

	(a)	Part A.2 of the Project	9,000,000		expenditures, 100% of local expenditures (ex-factory cost) and 80% of
	(b)	Other	10,600,000	12,000,000	local expendi- tures for other items procured locally
(3)	Consultants' services, studies and training				100%
	(a)	Part A.2 of the Project	100,000		
	(b)	Other	11,200,000	7,800,000	
(4)	Incremental operating costs		1,200,000	800,000	80% through March 31, 1998; 60% through March 31, 1999; and 25% thereafter
(5)	Unallo	ocated	6,200,000	5,900,000	
		TOTAL	72,100,000	50,000,000	

2. For the purposes of this Schedule:

- (a) the term "foreign expenditures" means expenditures in the currency of any country other than that of the Borrower for goods or services supplied from the territory of any country other than that of the Borrower;
- (b) the term "local expenditures" means expenditures in the currency of the Borrower or for goods or services supplied from the territory of the Borrower; and
- (c) the term "incremental operating costs" means the incremental expenses incurred on account of Project implementation, management and monitoring, including office supplies, office space, administration, vehicle operation, travel and supervision costs and salaries of additional staff by DMU for the Project.
- 3. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 1 above, no withdrawals shall be made in respect of payments made for expenditures prior to the date of this Agreement, except that withdrawals, in an aggregate amount not exceeding the equivalent of SDR10,800,000, may be made in respect of Categories 1 through 4 on account of payments made for expenditures before that date but after November 6, 1996.
- 4. The Association may require withdrawals from the Credit Account to be made on the basis of statements of expenditure for expenditures for (a) goods under contracts not exceeding \$200,000 equivalent, and works under contracts not exceeding \$300,000 equivalent, (b) services under contracts not exceeding \$100,000 equivalent for employment of consulting firms and \$50,000 equivalent for employment of individual consultants, respectively, (c) training and fellowships, (d) works procured under direct contracting, force account or community participation, and (e) incremental operating costs, all under such terms and conditions as the Association shall specify by notice to the Borrower.

SCHEDULE 2

Description of the Project

The objectives of the Project are to: (a) assist Andhra Pradesh in (i) the preparation and implementation of a long-term natural hazard management program; and (ii) the restoration of public infrastructure in the Affected Areas; and (b) enhance

the Borrower's early warning capabilities for cyclone and wind forecasting.

The Project consists of the following parts subject to such modifications thereof as the Borrower and the Association may agree upon from time to time to achieve such objectives:

Part A: Hazard Management Program

- 1. Establishment of a framework for the preparation and implementation of a sustainable, long-term natural hazard management program for coastal, delta and watershed management in high risk zones to reduce losses that may result from natural hazards including:
 - (i) carrying out of cyclone and flood management studies;
- (ii) coastal mapping for storm surge analysis, hazard zone mapping and planning of mitigation activities; and
- (iii) establishment of a vulnerability reduction fund to provide matching grant funds for hazard reduction activities undertaken by communities.
- 2. Enhancement of the Borrower's cyclone early warning capacity at certain weather stations on the east coast of the Borrower through the provision of six Doppler radar systems, other meteorological equipment, and training.

Part B: Restoration of Public Infrastructure

Repair and reconstruction in the Affected Areas of infrastructure, according to enhanced design and construction standards, including:

(a) Power

Repair and strengthening of the transmission and distribution network;

(b) Irrigation

Reconstruction and rehabilitation of the irrigation and drainage systems and flood banks in the delta areas;

(c) Roads and Bridges

Repair and reconstruction of damaged state and rural roads and damaged bridges;

(d) Public Buildings

Reconstruction and repair of collapsed or damaged public buildings such as schools, health centers and hospitals in selected districts; and

(e) Mitigation Works

Improvement of watershed management in critically water starved areas, repair and construction of cyclone shelters and the planting of tree shelter belts.

Part C: Technical Assistance

- (a) Institutional strengthening of certain agencies in Andhra Pradesh for Project management and implementation.
- (b) Carrying out design checks, quality assurance and certification, technical audits and design of hazard mitigation works, through the provision of consultants' services.
- (c) Improvement of Andhra Pradesh's capacity to respond to cyclone and flood disasters and the raising of public disaster awareness including training in hazard reduction activities.

 $\hbox{(d)} \qquad \hbox{Improvement of the communications system for disaster mitigation.} \\$

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The Project is expected to be completed by January 31, 2000.

SCHEDULE 3

Procurement and Consultants' Services

Section I. Procurement of Good and Works

Part A: General

Goods and works shall be procured in accordance with the provisions of Section I of the "Guidelines for Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits" published by the Bank in January 1995 and revised in January and August 1996 (the Guidelines) and the following provisions of this Section.

Part B: International Competitive Bidding

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in Part C of this Section, goods shall be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with the provisions of Section II of the Guidelines and paragraph 5 of Appendix 1 thereto.
- 2. The following provisions shall apply to goods to be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1 of this Part B:
 - (a) Grouping of Contracts

To the extent practicable, contracts for goods shall be grouped in bid packages estimated to cost \$200,000 equivalent or more each.

(b) Preference for Domestically Manufactured Goods

The provisions of paragraphs 2.54 and 2.55 of the Guidelines and Appendix 2 thereto shall apply to goods manufactured in the territory of the Borrower.

Part C: Other Procurement Procedures

1. National Competitive Bidding

Except as provided under paragraphs 2 through 5 below in the case of works and paragraph 6 in the case of goods, goods estimated to cost \$25,000 or more per contract and \$11,100,000 or less in the aggregate and works may be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.3 and 3.4 of the Guidelines.

2. Direct Contracting

Works which are required to respond promptly to natural disasters and costing \$25,000,000 equivalent or less in the aggregate, may, with the Association's prior agreement, be procured in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3.7 of the Guidelines.

3. Force Account

Works which meet the requirements of paragraph 3.8 of the Guidelines, and costing \$5,000,000 equivalent or less in the aggregate, may, with the Association's prior agreement, be carried out by force account in accordance with the provisions of said paragraph of the Guidelines.

4. Community Participation

Works required for Part B of the Project and to be carried out by communities shall be procured in accordance with procedures acceptable to the Association.

5. Procurement of Small Works

Works estimated to cost less than \$25,000 equivalent per contract, up to an amount not to exceed \$25,000,000 equivalent, may be procured under lump-sum, fixed-price contracts awarded on the basis of quotations obtained from three (3) qualified domestic contractors in response to a written invitation. The invitation shall include a detailed description of the works, including basic specifications, the required completion date, a basic form of agreement acceptable to the Association, and relevant drawings, where applicable. The award shall be made to the contractor who offers the lowest price quotation for the required work, and who has the experience and resources to complete the contract successfully.

6. National Shopping

Goods estimated to cost \$25,000 equivalent or less per contract, and \$1,000,000 equivalent or less in the aggregate may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of national shopping procedures in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.5 and 3.6 of the Guidelines.

Part D: Review by the Association of Procurement Decisions

1. Procurement Planning

Prior to the issuance of any invitations to prequalify for bidding or to bid for contracts, the proposed procurement plan for the Project shall be furnished to the Association for its review and approval, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1 of Appendix 1 to the Guidelines. Procurement of all goods and works shall be undertaken in accordance with such procurement plan as shall have been approved by the Association, and with the provisions of said paragraph 1.

2. Prior Review

With respect to (i) each contract for works estimated to cost the equivalent of \$300,000 or more, and (ii) each contract for goods estimated to cost the equivalent of \$200,000 or more, the procedures set forth in paragraphs 2 and 3 of Appendix 1 to the Guidelines shall apply.

3. Post Review

With respect to each contract not governed by paragraph 2 of this Part, the procedures set forth in paragraph 4 of Appendix 1 to the Guidelines shall apply.

Section II. Employment of Consultants

Part A: General

Consultants' services shall be procured in accordance with the provisions of the Introduction and Section IV of the "Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers" published by the Bank in January 1997 (the Consultant Guidelines) and the following provisions of Section II of this Schedule.

Part B: Quality-and Cost-based Selection

- 1. Except as otherwise provided in Part C of this Section, consultants' services shall be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with the provisions of Section II of the Consultant Guidelines, paragraph 3 of Appendix 1 thereto, Appendix 2 thereto, and the provisions of paragraphs 3.13 through 3.18 thereof applicable to quality- and cost-based selection of consultants.
- 2. The following provisions shall apply to consultants' services to be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with the provisions of the preceding paragraph. The short list of consultants for services under the Project, estimated to cost less than \$200,000 equivalent per contract, may comprise entirely of national consultants in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 2.7 of the Consultant Guidelines.

Part C: Other Procedures for the Selection of Consultants

1. Single Source Selection Services which are estimated to cost less than \$100,000 equivalent per contract and consultants' services for carrying out coastal mapping up

to an aggregate amount of \$10,000,000 equivalent, may, with the Bank's prior agreement, be procured in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3.8 through 3.11 of the Consultant Guidelines.

- 2. Individual consultants' services for tasks that meet the requirements set forth in paragraph 5.01 of the Consultant Guidelines shall be procured under contracts awarded to individual consultants in accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 5.1 through 5.3 of the Consultant Guidelines.
- Part D: Review by the Bank of the Selection of Consultants

1. Selection Planning

Prior to the issuance to consultants of any requests for proposals, the proposed plan for the selection of consultants under the Project shall be furnished to the Bank for its review and approval, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1 of Appendix 1 to the Consultant Guidelines. Selection of all consultants' services shall be undertaken in accordance with such selection plan as shall have been approved by the Bank, and with the provisions of said paragraph 1.

2. Prior Review

- (a) With respect to each contract for the employment of consulting firms estimated to cost the equivalent of \$100,000 or more, but less than the equivalent of \$200,000, the procedures set forth in paragraphs 1, 2 (other than the second subparagraph of paragraph 2 (a)) and 5 of Appendix 1 to the Consultant Guidelines shall apply.
- (b) With respect to each contract estimated to cost the equivalent of \$100,000 or more and each contract for the employment of individual consultants estimated to cost the equivalent of \$50,000 or more, the procedures set forth in paragraphs 1, 2 (other than the third subparagraph of paragraph 2 (a)) and 5 of Appendix 1 to the Consultant Guidelines shall apply.

 3. Post Review

With respect to each contract not governed by paragraph 1 of this Part, the procedures set forth in paragraph 4 of Appendix 1 to the Consultant Guidelines shall apply.

SCHEDULE 4

Special Account

- 1. For the purposes of this Schedule:
- (a) the term "eligible Categories" means Categories 1 through 3 set forth in the table in paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to this Agreement;
- (b) the term "eligible expenditures" means expenditures in respect of the reasonable cost of goods and services required for the Project and to be financed out of the proceeds of the Credit allocated from time to time to the eligible Categories in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 1 to this Agreement; and
- (c) the term "Authorized Allocation" means an amount equivalent to twelve million five hundred thousand dollars (\$12,500,000) to be withdrawn from the Credit Account and deposited into the Special Account pursuant to paragraph 3 (a) of this Schedule, provided, however, that unless the Association shall otherwise agree, the Authorized Allocation shall be limited to an amount equivalent to \$8,000,000 until the aggregate amount of withdrawals from the Credit Account plus the total amount of all outstanding special commitments entered into by the Association pursuant to Section 5.02 of the General Conditions shall be equal to or exceed the equivalent of SDR 28,000,000.
- 2. Payments out of the Special Account shall be made exclusively for eligible expenditures in accordance with the provisions of this Schedule.
- 3. After the Association has received evidence satisfactory to it that the Special

Account has been duly opened, withdrawals of the Authorized Allocation and subsequent withdrawals to replenish the Special Account shall be made as follows:

- (a) For withdrawals of the Authorized Allocation, the Borrower shall furnish to the Association a request or requests for deposit into the Special Account of an amount or amounts which do not exceed the aggregate amount of the Authorized Allocation. On the basis of such request or requests, the Association shall, on behalf of the Borrower, withdraw from the Credit Account and deposit into the Special Account such amount or amounts as the Borrower shall have requested.
- (b) (i) For replenishment of the Special Account, the Borrower shall furnish to the Association requests for deposits into the Special Account at such intervals as the Association shall specify.
- Prior to or at the time of each such request, the Borrower shall the Association the documents and other evidence required furnish to paragraph 4 of this Schedule for the payment or pursuant to payments in respect of which replenishment is requested. On the basis of each such request, the Association shall, on behalf of the Borrower, withdraw from the Credit Account and deposit into the Special Account such amount as the Borrower shall have requested and as shall have been shown by said documents and other evidence to have been paid out of the Special Account for eligible expenditures. All such deposits shall be withdrawn by the Association from the Credit Account under the respective eligible Categories, and in the respective equivalent amounts, as shall have been justified by said documents and other evidence.
- 4. For each payment made by the Borrower out of the Special Account, the Borrower shall, at such time as the Association shall reasonably request, furnish to the Association such documents and other evidence showing that such payment was made exclusively for eligible expenditures.
- 5. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 3 of this Schedule, the Association shall not be required to make further deposits into the Special Account:
- (a) if, at any time, the Association shall have determined that all further withdrawals should be made by the Borrower directly from the Credit Account in accordance with the provisions of Article V of the General Conditions and paragraph (a) of Section 2.02 of this Agreement;
- (b) if the Borrower shall have failed to furnish to the Association, within the period of time specified in Section 4.01 (b) (ii) of this Agreement, any of the audit reports required to be furnished to the Association pursuant to said Section in respect of the audit of the records and accounts for the Special Account;
- (c) if, at any time, the Association shall have notified the Borrower of its intention to suspend in whole or in part the right of the Borrower to make withdrawals from the Credit Account pursuant to the provisions of Section 6.02 of the General Conditions; or
- (d) once the total unwithdrawn amount of the Credit allocated to the eligible Category, minus the total amount of all outstanding special commitments entered into by the Association pursuant to Section 5.02 of the General Conditions with respect to the Project, shall equal the equivalent of twice the amount of the Authorized Allocation.

Thereafter, withdrawal from the Credit Account of the remaining unwithdrawn amount of the Credit allocated to the eligible Category shall follow such procedures as the Association shall specify by notice to the Borrower. Such further withdrawals shall be made only after and to the extent that the Association shall have been satisfied that all such amounts remaining on deposit in the Special Account as of the date of such notice will be utilized in making payments for eligible expenditures.

6. (a) If the Association shall have determined at any time that any payment out of the Special Account: (i) was made for an expenditure or in an amount not eligible pursuant to paragraph 2 of this Schedule; or (ii) was not justified by the evidence furnished to the Association, the Borrower shall, promptly upon notice from the

Association: (A) provide such additional evidence as the Association may request; or (B) deposit into the Special Account (or, if the Association shall so request, refund to the Association) an amount equal to the amount of such payment or the portion thereof not so eligible or justified. Unless the Association shall otherwise agree, no further deposit by the Association into the Special Account shall be made until the Borrower has provided such evidence or made such deposit or refund, as the case may be.

- (b) If the Association shall have determined at any time that any amount outstanding in the Special Account will not be required to cover further payments for eligible expenditures, the Borrower shall, promptly upon notice from the Association, refund to the Association such outstanding amount.
- (c) The Borrower may, upon notice to the Association, refund to the Association all or any portion of the funds on deposit in the Special Account.
- (d) Refunds to the Association made pursuant to paragraphs 6 (a), (b) and (c) of this Schedule shall be credited to the Credit Account for subsequent withdrawal or for cancellation in accordance with the relevant provisions of this Agreement, including the General Conditions.