Grant Agreement

(Tarbela Dam Assistance and Surveillance Project)

between

ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN

and

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

as Administrator of Grant Funds
provided by GERMANY,
the UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT
BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND,
ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN,
and INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

Dated October 26, 1994

GRANT AGREEMENT

AGREEMENT, dated October 26, 1994, between ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN acting by its President (the Recipient) and INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT (the Bank) acting as Administrator (the Administrator) of grant funds provided by GERMANY (Germany), the UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND (the United Kingdom), ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN (Pakistan) and INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION (IDA) (collectively, the Contributors).

WHEREAS (A) the Tarbela Development Fund (TDF) was established under the Tarbela Development Fund Agreement, 1968 (the 1968 Agreement), as supplemented by the Tarbela Development Fund (Supplemental) Agreement, 1975 and the Tarbela Development Fund (Second Supplemental) Agreement, 1978, with the Bank as administrator of TDF, for the purpose of financing certain costs required to construct, and subsequently to repair and carry out additional remedial works to, the Tarbela dam project described in the Schedule to the 1968 Agreement (the Tarbela Project);

WHEREAS (B) the purposes for which TDF was established having been fulfilled, TDF was closed on December 31, 1991 and all disbursements therefrom ceased on February 28, 1993;

WHEREAS (C) pursuant to letter agreements dated October 7, 1994, December 2, 1993 and July 28, 1994, between Germany, the United Kingdom and Pakistan, respectively, on the one hand, and the Bank, on the other hand, and by an internal memorandum dated February 22, 1993, approved by IDA, the Contributors have requested the Bank, and the Bank has agreed, to administer grant funds to be made available by the Contributors in the form of transfers to the Bank of the Contributors' respective

shares of the balances remaining in TDF as of June 30, 1993 for the financing of certain activities for the assistance and surveillance of the Tarbela Project facilities in accordance with the provisions of such letter agreements and memorandum;

WHEREAS (D) the Contributors have agreed to make available to the Recipient said grant funds as a grant (the Grant) to finance the cost of carrying out the project described in Schedule 2 to this Agreement (the Project) on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

NOW THEREFORE the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

General Conditions; Definitions

Section 1.01. (a) The following provisions of the General Conditions Applicable to Loan and Guarantee Agreements of the Bank, dated January 1, 1985, with the modifications set forth in paragraph (b) of this Section (the General Conditions) constitute an integral part of this Agreement:

- (i) Article I;
- (ii) Sections 2.01 (1), (2), (3), (4), (6), (8), (9), (10), (11), (18) and (20), 2.02 and 2.03;
- (iii) Section 3.01;
- (iv) Section 4.01 and the first sentence of Section 4.09;
 - (v) Article V;
- (vi) Sections 6.01, 6.02 (a), (c), (d), (e), (f), (i) and (k), 6.03, 6.04 and 6.06;
- (vii) Section 8.01 (b);
- (viii) Sections 9.01 (a) and (c), 9.04, 9.05, 9.06, 9.07, 9.08 and 9.09;
 - (ix) Sections 10.01, 10.03 and 10.04; and
 - (x) Article XI.
- (b) The General Conditions shall be modified as follows:
 - (i) the term "Bank," wherever used in the General Conditions, other than in Sections 2.01 (8) and 6.02 (f) thereof and the last use of such term in Section 5.01 thereof, means the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development acting as Administrator of the Grant pursuant to the letter agreements referred to in Recital (A) of this Agreement, except that in Section 6.02, the term "Bank" shall also include the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development acting in its own capacity;
 - (ii) the term "Borrower," wherever used in the General Conditions, means the Recipient;
 - (iii) the term "Loan Agreement," wherever used in the General Conditions, means this Agreement;
- (v) the term "Loan Account," wherever used in the General Conditions, means the Grant Account, an account opened by the Administrator on its books in the name of the Recipient to which the amount of the Grant is credited;

 - (vii) Section 4.01 shall be modified to read:

"Withdrawals from the Grant Account shall be made in dollars, provided, however, that if the expenditures to be financed out of the Grant have been paid or are payable in another currency, the Administrator shall, at the request of the Recipient, purchase such currency with the proceeds of such withdrawal."

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

- (a) "dollars" and the sign "\$" mean the currency of the United States of America;
- (b) "WAPDA" means the Water and Power Development Authority of the Recipient, established under the Recipient's Water and Power Development Authority Act of 1958, as amended from time to time; and
- (c) "Special Account" means the account referred to in Section 2.02 (b) of this Agreement.

ARTICLE II

The Grant

Section 2.01. The Administrator agrees to make available to the Recipient, on the terms and conditions set forth or referred to in this Agreement, the Grant in an amount equivalent to six million four hundred thousand dollars (\$6,400,000).

Section 2.02. (a) The amount of the Grant may be withdrawn from the Grant Account in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 1 to this Agreement, as such Schedule may be amended from time to time by agreement between the Recipient and the Administrator, for expenditures made (or, if the Administrator shall so agree, to be made) in respect of the reasonable cost of carrying out the Project and to be financed out of the Grant.

- (b) The Recipient shall, for the purposes of the Project, cause WAPDA to open and maintain in dollars a special deposit account in the National Bank of Pakistan on terms and conditions satisfactory to the Administrator. 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 June 30, 1997 or such later date as the Administrator shall establish. The Administrator shall promptly notify the Recipient of such later date.

Section 2.04. The Chairman of WAPDA is designated as representative of the Recipient for the purposes of taking any action required or permitted to be taken under the provisions of Section 2.02 of this Agreement and Article V of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE III

Execution of the Project

Section 3.01. The Recipient shall carry out the Project through WAPDA with due diligence and efficiency and in conformity with appropriate engineering, public utility and management practices, and shall provide, or cause WAPDA to provide, promptly as needed, the funds, facilities, services and other resources required for the Project.

Section 3.02. Except as the Administrator shall otherwise agree, procurement of the goods and consultants' services required for the Project and to be financed out of the Grant shall be governed by the provisions of Schedule 3 to this Agreement.

Section 3.03. (a) The Recipient 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 the Project of WAPDA and any other departments or agencies of the Recipient responsible for carrying out the Project or any part thereof.

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

Effectiveness; Termination

Section 4.01. This Agreement shall become effective upon its execution by the parties hereto.

Section 4.02. This Agreement shall continue in effect until the Grant has been fully disbursed and the parties to this Agreement have fulfilled all their obligations hereunder.

ARTICLE V

Representation

Section 5.01. Except as provided in Section 2.04 of this Agreement, the Secretary to the Government of Pakistan, Economic Affairs Division, or any Additional Secretary, Joint Secretary, Deputy Secretary or Section Officer in that Division of the Recipient is designated as representative of the Recipient for the purposes of Section 11.03 of the General Conditions.

Section 5.02. The following addresses are specified for the purposes of Section 11.01 of the General Conditions:

For the Recipient:

Economic Affairs Division Islamabad Pakistan

Cable address:

Telex:

ECONOMIC 952-5634 Islamabad

For the Administrator:

International Bank for Reconstruction and Development 1818 H Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20433 United States of America

Cable address: Telex:

INTBAFRAD 197688 (TRT), Washington, D.C. 248423 (RCA), 64145 (WUI) or 82987 (FTCC)

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

ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF PAKISTAN

By /s/ Agha Ghazanfar

Authorized Representative

INTERNATIONAL BANK FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT as Administrator of the Grant

By /s/ D. Joseph Wood

Regional Vice President South Asia

SCHEDULE 1

Withdrawal of the Grant

1. The table below sets forth the Categories of items to be financed out of the Grant, the allocation of the amount of the Grant to each Category and the percentage of expenditures for items so to be financed:

Amount of the
Grant Allocated % of
(Expressed in Expenditures
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Category Dollar Equivalent) to be Financed

(1) Supplies, spare parts and instrumentation equipment

3,850,000 100% of foreign
expenditures; 100%
of local expenditures (ex-factory cost); and 60% of local expenditures for other items

procured locally

(2) Consultants' 1,924,000 100% services and training

(3) Unallocated 626,000

TOTAL 6,400,000

- 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 Recipient for goods or services supplied from the territory of any country other than that of the Recipient; and
- (b) the term "local expenditures" means expenditures in the currency of the Recipient or for goods or services supplied from the territory of the Recipient.
- 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.
- 4. The Administrator may require withdrawals from the Grant Account to be made on the basis of statements of expenditure for expenditures for supplies, parts and equipment under contracts not exceeding \$250,000 equivalent, under such terms and conditions as the Administrator shall specify by notice to the Recipient.

SCHEDULE 2

Description of the Project

The objectives of the Project are: (a) to assist the Recipient in improving WAPDA's management, operation and maintenance organization and systems for the Tarbela Project facilities; and thereby (b) to enable WAPDA fully, safely and without restriction to carry out all needed operational and maintenance activities related to such facilities.

The Project consists of the following activities, subject to such modifications thereof as the Recipient and the Administrator may agree upon from time to time to achieve such objectives:

- (a) carrying out of physical dam safety inspections of the project facilities;
- (b) investigation of sinkhole problems, particularly as they relate to the main embankment dam;
- (c) continuing of geophysical and geochemical investigation and monitoring programs at the right abutment of the main embankment dam;
- (d) undertaking of studies on the operational problems of the tunnel service gates;
 - (e) continuing of monitoring of the Dal Darra Weir and the Dal Darra Channel;
 - (f) continuing of sedimentation investigations and monitoring;
- (g) continuing of seismic studies relating to strengthening of structural facilities;
 - (h) preparation of emergency action plans; and
- (i) investigation of any other problems that may arise during the period of availability of the Grant.

SCHEDULE 3

Procurement and Consultants' Services

Section I. Procurement of Goods

Part A: Procurement Procedures

1. A Duplex drilling rig with accessories and Odex ancillary equipment shall be procured under contracts awarded in accordance with procedures consistent with those set forth in Sections I and II of the "Guidelines for Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits" published by the Bank in May 1992 (the Guidelines).

- (a) For fixed-price contracts, the invitation to bid referred to in paragraph 2.13 of the Guidelines shall provide that, when contract award is delayed beyond the original bid validity period, the successful bidder's bid price will be increased for each week of delay by two predisclosed correction factors acceptable to the Administrator, one to be applied to all foreign currency components and the other to the local currency component of the bid price. Such an increase shall not be taken into account in bid evaluation.
- (b) In the procurement of goods in accordance with this Part A.1, the Recipient shall use the relevant standard bidding documents issued by the Bank, with such modifications thereto as the Administrator shall have agreed to be necessary for the purposes of the Project. Where no relevant standard bidding documents have been issued by the Bank, the Recipient shall use bidding documents based on other internationally recognized standard forms agreed with the Administrator.
- 2. All supplies, spare parts and other equipment may be procured under contracts awarded on the basis of comparison of price quotations solicited from a list of at least three suppliers eligible under the Guidelines, in accordance with procedures acceptable to the Administrator.

Part B: Preference for Domestic Manufacturers

In the procurement of goods in accordance with the procedures described in Part A.1 hereof, goods manufactured in Pakistan may be granted a margin of preference in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of paragraphs 2.55 and 2.56 of the Guidelines and paragraphs 1 through 4 of Appendix 2 thereto.

- Part C: Review by the Administrator of Procurement Decisions
- 1. Review of invitations to bid and of proposed awards and final contracts:
- (a) With respect to each contract estimated to cost the equivalent of \$150,000 or more, the procedures set forth in paragraphs 2 and 4 of Appendix 1 to the Guidelines shall apply. Where payments for such contract are to be made out of the Special Account, such procedures shall be modified to ensure that the two conformed copies of the contract required to be furnished to the Administrator pursuant to said paragraph 2 (d) shall be furnished to the Administrator prior to the making of the first payment out of the Special Account in respect of such contract.
- (b) With respect to each contract not governed by the preceding paragraph, the procedures set forth in paragraphs 3 and 4 of Appendix 1 to the Guidelines shall apply. Where payments for such contract are to be made out of the Special Account, such procedures shall be modified to ensure that the two conformed copies of the contracts together with the other information required to be furnished to the Administrator pursuant to said paragraph 3 shall be furnished pursuant to paragraph 4 of Schedule 4 to this Agreement.
- (c) The provisions of the preceding subparagraph (b) shall not apply to contracts on account of which withdrawals from the Grant Account are to be made on the basis of statements of expenditure.
- 2. The figure of 15% is hereby specified for purposes of paragraph 4 of Appendix 1 to the Guidelines.

Section II. Employment of Consultants

In order to assist the Recipient in carrying out the Project, the Recipient shall employ engineering, public utility and management consultants whose qualifications, experience and terms and conditions of employment shall be satisfactory to the Administrator. Such consultants shall be selected in accordance with principles and procedures satisfactory to the Administrator on the basis of the "Guidelines for the Use of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers and by the World Bank as Executing Agency" published by the Bank in August 1981. For complex, time-based assignments, the Recipient shall employ such consultants under contracts using the standard form of contract for consultants' services issued by the Bank, with such modifications as shall have been agreed by the Administrator. Where no relevant standard contract documents have been issued by the Bank, the Recipient shall use other standard forms agreed with the Administrator.

SCHEDULE 4

Special Account

- 1. For the purposes of this Schedule:
- (a) the term "eligible Categories" means Categories (1) and (2) 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 consultants services required for the Project and to be financed out of the amount of the Grant 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 \$500,000 to be withdrawn from the Grant Account and deposited into the Special Account pursuant to paragraph 3 (a) of this Schedule.
- 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 Administrator 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 Recipient shall furnish to the Administrator a request or requests for a deposit or deposits which do not exceed the aggregate amount of the Authorized Allocation. On the basis of such request or requests, the Administrator shall, on behalf of the Recipient, withdraw from the Grant Account and deposit in the Special Account such amount or amounts as the Recipient shall have requested.
 - (b) (i) For replenishment of the Special Account, the Recipient shall furnish to the Administrator requests for deposits into the Special Account at such intervals as the Administrator shall specify.
 - (ii) Prior to or at the time of each such request, the Recipient shall furnish to the Administrator the documents and other evidence required pursuant to para-graph 4 of this Schedule for the payment or payments in respect of which replenishment is requested. On the basis of each such request, the Administrator shall, on behalf of the Recipient, withdraw from the Grant Account and deposit into the Special Account such amount as the Recipient 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 Administrator from the Grant Account under the 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 Recipient out of the Special Account, the Recipient shall, at such time as the Administrator shall reasonably request, furnish to the Administrator 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 Administrator shall not be required to make further deposits into the Special Account:
- (a) if, at any time, the Administrator shall have determined that all further withdrawals should be made by the Recipient directly from the Grant Account in accordance with the provisions of Article V of the General Conditions and paragraph (a) of Section 2.02 of this Agreement; or
- (b) once the total unwithdrawn amount of the Grant allocated to the eligible Categories less the amount of any outstanding special commitment entered into by the Administrator 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 Grant Account of the remaining unwithdrawn amount of the Grant allocated to the eligible Categories shall follow such procedures as the Administrator shall specify by notice to the Recipient. Such further withdrawals shall be made only after and to the extent that the Administrator 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 Administrator 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 Administrator, the Recipient shall, promptly upon notice from the Administrator: (A) provide such additional evidence as the Administrator may request; or (B) deposit into the Special Account (or, if the Administrator shall so request, refund to the Administrator) an amount equal to the amount of such payment or the portion thereof not so eligible or justified. Unless the Administrator shall otherwise agree, no further deposit by the Administrator into the Special Account shall be made until the Recipient has provided such evidence or made such deposit or refund, as the case may be.
- (b) If the Administrator 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 Recipient shall, promptly upon notice from the Administrator, refund to the Administrator such outstanding amount.
- (c) The Recipient may, upon notice to the Administrator, refund to the Administrator all or any portion of the funds on deposit in the Special Account.
- (d) Refunds to the Administrator made pursuant to paragraphs 6 (a), (b) and (c) of this Schedule shall be credited to the Grant Account for subsequent withdrawal or for cancellation in accordance with the relevant provisions of this Agreement, including the General Conditions.