GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Government of The Gambia

FOOD & AGRICULTURE SECTOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (FASDEP)

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1. The Government of The Gambia has received a Grant from the Global Agriculture & Food Security Program (GASFP) (with the African Development Bank as the Supervising Entity) to finance the Food & Agriculture Sector Development Project (FASDEP).

2. The principal objective of this project is to: “To reduce rural household poverty, food insecurity and malnutrition through increased agricultural production, productivity and commercialization”. The specific objectives of the project are: a) “to increase food and nutritional security and household incomes particularly for vulnerable households and; b) to stimulate inclusive growth of the Gambian economy through employment opportunities for the teeming active and youthful population. The default modes of procurement are national Competitive Bidding (for Goods and Works) and Quality and Cost based Selection for Services.

3. The project includes the following four (4) components: Component 1: Improved Agriculture infrastructure development and management; Component 2: Agricultural production, diversification and commercialization; Component 3: Improved approaches to national food and nutrition security; Component 4: Project Management and Capacity Building

4. Procurement of goods and/or works will be in accordance with the Bank’s Rules of Procedure for the Procurement of Goods and Works. Acquisition of the services of Consultants will follow the Bank’s Rules of Procedure for the Use of Consultants. Bidding documents are expected to be available in July/August 2013

5. Interested bidders may obtain further information, and should confirm their interest, by contacting:

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