1. The Federal Government of Ethiopia has received a Grant from the African Development Fund to finance the Ethiopia-Integrated Agro-Industry Parks Support Project (IAIPSP).

2. The principal objectives of this project are to: The Project is supporting the development of four (4) Integrated Agro-Industrial Parks (IAIPs), already commenced by the Government of Ethiopia (GoE). In particular, the project will provide part of the infrastructure required for agro-industrial activities on the 4 IAIPs and develop requisite skills and agricultural value chain capacity to ensure competitiveness, productivity and inclusivity in their operation. The Project components will be procured following a mix of procurement modes ranging from open competitive bidding following announcements in both international and national media for all categories namely: works, goods and consulting services.

3. The project includes the following components:

   a) **Enabling infrastructure for Agro-Industrial Development**: Supporting the provision of enabling infrastructure for Value addition, post-harvest and produce aggregation activities.

   b) **Capacity Building for Sustainable Agro-Industrialization**: Capacity/Skills development to enhance IAIPs’ productivity and competitiveness.

   c) **Project Coordination and Management**: Including the establishment of the Project Executive Agency, within the MOTI, Project Offices at the 4 RIPDCs and, the Management and Coordination of the Project.

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 August, 2019.

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