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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO : THE DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR, ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATORS, DEPARTMENT/REGIONAL/OPERATIONS/PROJECT MANAGERS, STAFFS, IRRIGATION SUPERINTENDENTS, AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : Classification of Areas to be used in Monitoring Reports under the Water Resources Development Project (WRDP)

Under the Project Benefits Monitoring of World Bank projects, particularly the WRDP, the project contribution will now be measured primarily in terms of restored and new or generated areas and the economic rate of return (ERR) will be estimated on the basis of these areas. This change in reporting format will require a common definition of the different types of areas, thus:

- (1) Restored Area - that part of the service area which was not irrigated before or was not irrigated for the past few years, and is now being irrigated as a result of the Project;
- (2) New or Generated Area - refers to new areas over and above the service area which are brought under irrigation as a result of the Project, and thus lead to a larger service area; and
- (3) Rehabilitated Area - refers to existing irrigated areas where irrigation structures and/or water availability are improved as a result of the Project.

Henceforth, the foregoing classification of areas will be used in monitoring reports for national irrigation systems being improved under WRDP.

For strict compliance.


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