Advance Contracting Notice

Date: 21 November 2012

Country/Borrower: Islamic Republic of Pakistan

Title of Proposed Project: Renewable Energy Development Sector Investment Program, Project 3

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Brief Description of the Project:

Part A – Clean Energy Development. Part A will construct two small- to medium-sized HPPs and associated distribution facilities in GB: (i) 26.6 MW Shagarthang HPP in Skardu; and (ii) 4 MW Chilas HPP in Chilas.

Part B – Consultancy Services for Project Supervision, Feasibility Studies and Capacity Building. Part B will finance consultancy services for (i) tender design, preparation of bidding documents, supervision and...
management for construction of the Subprojects; (ii) conducting feasibilities studies for 4-5 new small to medium hydropower sites having aggregate 127 MW capacity; and (iii) capacity building and institutional strengthening for the provincial government who will be the executing and implementing agencies for the project.

Advance action was approved in order to better prepare the project and pave way for smoother implementation.

**Date of Advance Action Approval:** 22 October 2012