AAAID's Investment Criteria for Greenfield Projects

The targeted new projects should meet the following criteria:

- 1. The project aligns with the "Contribution to food security" KPI.
- 2. Total invested capital in any country should not exceed 20% of all AAAID Agricultural investments.
- 3. Total invested capital in any sector should not exceed 30% of all AAAID Agricultural investments.
- 4. AAAID shareholding in the investment (common stock and/or preferred stock) is within a range of 25% to 49%* for Greenfield projects.
- 5. The project's Profitability Index (PI) should greater than 1 for common equity investment.
- 6. The total return for the preferred stock should not be less than Cost of capital/opportunity cost plus premium not less than 6%*.
- 7. The total invest cost should not be less than 20 million USD and AAAID AAAID's investment (common stock and/or preferred stock) should not be less than 2.5 million USD.
- 8. Equity component should not exceed 50% of the total investment cost*.
- 9. The Target company has a dividend policy to disburse at least 20% of net profits*.
- 10. Due diligence should be conducted for partner/s (financial, legal, KYC).
- 11. Feasibility study completed by a reputable consultant covering market, technical and financial sections available.
- 12. The initiative is aligned to AAAID's investment programs and investment initiatives.
- 13. Financial close (debt and equity) has been achieved prior to board approval.
- 14. Potential partners are not PEPS's (Politically Exposed Person).
- 15. Seed capital from project sponsor has been disbursed.
- 16. The investment climate in the country should be attractive.

^{*} Board approval required for any exception.