



RWANDA NRDS ACTION PLAN

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Issue in NRDS Implementation/ Rice Sector Development (No. 1): : Weak coordination of NRDS implementation

| Solution to address the issue | Actions | Timeline/Deadline | Responsibility | Bugdet and Sources |
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| 1.1 Strengthen NRDS coordination | 1.1.1. Institutionalizing NRDS: Establishing an organizational structure for spearheading/leading the implementation of NRDS in Rwanda. | by December 2015 | MINAGRI/ Focal point NRDS Taskforce/Tatskforce members. | DPs |
| | 1.1.2. Hiring technical staffs(Technical coordinator, M&E , Secretary) as proposed by NRDS | by December 2015 | MINAGRI | 167 400 USD Development partners |
| | 1.1.3. <u>Reinvigoration of existing NRDS taskforce</u> : Review of composition of NRDS taskforce members, Drafting of terms of references for NRDS taskforce members | by December 2015 | MINAGRI/ Focal point NRDS Taskforce | N/A |
| | 1.1.4. Setting up an annual operational budget for coordination and reviewing of NRDS implementation | by March 2015 | MINAGRI/ Focal point NRDS Taskforce/Tatskforce members. | DPs |
| | 1.1.5. Set up a calendar of activities and organize regular and periodical meetings for apprising the progress, cohesiveness and feedbacks on NRDS (steering committee, taskforce members, technical members and stakeholders) | by December 2015 | MINAGRI/ Focal point NRDS Taskforce | 20 000 USD DPS |

| Issue in NRDS Implementation/ Rice Sector Development (No. 2): : Insufficient financial resources of NRDS implementation | | | | |
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| Solution to address the issue | Actions | Timeline/Deadline | Responsibility | Budget and Sources |
| 2.1. Tangible Concept note formulation regarding NRDS framework | 2.1.1. involve various stakeholder, DPs and NRDS technical committee in Concept note formulation | 2015- 2018 | Permanent Secretary MINAGRI - focal point NDRS taskforce | CARD - Development partners |
| 2.2. Mobilization of funds | 2.2.1. Advocacy for steering committee for external fund mobilization | 2015- 2018 | MINISTER / MINAGRI | N/A |
| | 2.2.2. Presentation of CNs in different national and regional forums, financial and developmental institutions for internal fund mobilization | 2015-2018 | Focal point / Taskforce | 10 000 USD CARD - DPS |
| | 2.2.3. Sensitization workshop, session, dialogues presentations of benefit potential in rice sector development | by June 2016 | Focal point / Taskforce | 10 000 USD - DPS |

Issue in NRDS Implementation/ Rice Sector Development (No. 3): : Harmonization of different intervention in rice value chain

| Solution to address the issue | Actions | Timeline/Deadline | Responsibility | Bugdet and Sources |
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| 3.1. Creation of platform | 3.1.1. Inventory/ identification of current interventions by various stakeholders in rice sector value chain | by February 2016 | Focal point taskforce | 10000 USD - DPS (e.g.CARD) |
| | 3.1.2. Reinforce the concertation of various stakeholders/ DPs through intervention zones | by February 2016 | Focal point Taskforce | |
| | 3.1.3. Set up a meeting calendar | by March 2016 | Focal point Taskforce | |
| 3.2. Harmonize interventions | 3.2.2. set up Comprehensive action plan by stakeholders in order to avoid duplications | By May 2016 | Focal point Taskforce/ DPs | CARD/ MINAGRI(SPIU) |

Issue in NRDS Implementation/ Rice Sector Development (No. 4): : **Inefficiency of human resource/capacity development in rice sector development**

| Solution to address the issue | Actions | Timeline/Deadline | Responsibility | Bugdet and Sources |
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| 4.1. Skill development | 4.1.1. organization local and regional training, study tours for technical staff involved in rice value chain | 2015 -2018 | MINAGRI | JICA IRRI AFRICA RICE EICA |
| | 4.1.2. Training of stakeholders on different policies / strategies in rice value chain | 2015- 2018 | MINAGRI | MINAGRI SPIU |
| | 4.1.3. training of trainers (farmers) | 2015- 2018 | RAB | RAB DPs |



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