World Bank Annexes: Appendix 2

World Bank Lending Pipeline for the Russian Federation

1. The following has been taken from the World Bank Monthly Operational Summary for the Russian Federation dated August, 1995.

Agriculture

* Agriculture Research

--The project will support implementation of agriculture reforms and finance selected investments and imports to improve the efficiency of the agriculture sector, with a particular emphasis on agriculture-technology generation, transfer, and utilization. Project preparation is under way. About US\$100.0 (IBRD). Consultant services to be determined.

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Agriculture

* Agricultural Sector Adjustment

-The project will support the agriculture sector policy reform program and finance imports of critical agricultural inputs and/or provide balance of payments support. Project is being identified. Environmental assessment category to be determined.

US\$500.0 (IBRD). Consultant services to be determined. Implementing agency to be determined.

Agriculture

* Regional Agriculture Area Development

--The project will: (a) accelerate land privatization and farm reorganization and finance institutional capacity building and (b) establish a recapitalization fund to provide one time long-term loans to private farms and finance small-scale rural infrastructure. Environmental assessment category B. Project preparation is under way. PID: RUPA08819.

About US\$150.0 (IBRD). Consultant services have been selected for project preparation.

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