ACRONYMS

AATG Action Aid The Gambia
ADB African Development Bank

ANFED Adult and Non Formal Education Directorate
ASPA Agri-business Service Plan Association

BADEA Arab Bank for Economic Development in Africa BADEA Arab Bank for Economic Development in Africa

BFCI Baby Friendly Community Initiative

CBEMP Capacity Building for Economic Management Project

CBOs Community Base Organisations
CRD Central Revenue Department
CRS Catholic Relief Services
CSOs Civil Society Organisations
DOSE Department of State for Education

DOSFEA Department of State for Finance and Economic Affairs
DTEVT Directorate of Technical Education and Vocational Training

EC European Commission

EDF-VWS European Development Fund Village Water Supply EMCBP Economic Management Capacity Building Project

EU European Union

FASE Fight Against Social Exclusion
FFI Fiduciary Financial Institution
GAFNA Gambia Food and Nutrition Agency

GDP Gross Domestic Product

GEAP Gambia Environment Action Plan

GER Gross Enrolment Ratio

GIA Gambia International Airlines GOTG/ GTG Government of The Gambia GPA Gambia Ports Authority

GPTC Gambia Public Transport Cooperation

GSM Global System of Mobile Telecommunication

GTTI Gambia Technical Training Institute
HIPC Heavily Indebted Poor Countries Initiative
IBAS Indigenous Business Advisory Service

ICT Information and Communications Technology

ID Identity

IDA International Development Assistance

IDB Islamic Development Bank

IEC Independent Electoral Commission

IFAD International Fund for Agricultural Development

IMF International Monetary Fund

ITHRD Information Technology and Human Resource Directorate

LADEP Lowland Agricultural Development Programme

MDI Management Development Institution

MFIs Micro Finance Institutions
MOU Memorandum Of Association
MSA Maintenance Service Agency