

## MALAWI GOVERNMENT

## PIGEON PEAS PRODUCTION AND PROCESSING

Pigeon peas/ pulses grow very well in Malawi. Since they have a shorter growing season, they can be grown thrice in a year with irrigation, therefore presenting you with a huge potential for realising a steady and consistent stream of income. We recommend identifying good markets before investing in any venture. Pigeon peas/pulses have a strong demand in Malawi and internationally because of their high nutritional value and health benefits; use as animal fodder. You may consider investing in growing pigeon peas/pulses under irrigation. You will also realise returns by processing the peas into canned fresh peas for export; distributing them locally and internationally; and turning them into products and food supplements.



