

KINGDOM OF MOROCCO

WATER SUPPLY OF RURAL COMMUNITIES, PHASE II

Location

Entire Moroccan territory

Clients

National Office of Water Supply (ONEP)

Financing

German Financial Cooperation (KfW)

Period

2006 – 2011

Value of Services

0.080 million US\$



Project Description

The programme consists of the implementation of water supply projects for local communities (Douars) from existing or projected installations of ONEP either via house connections or public stand posts. The total investment amounts to approximately 15 million Euros and the programme comprises 200 to 300 Douars.

The programme aims at the implementation of water supply systems which are technically and economically viable as well as durable and accessible for the majority of the population.

Through intensive sensitisation efforts the beneficiaries are informed about the conditions of the programme and their required contribution. During the design phase the intended users are involved in the selection of the type of supply (house connection or public stand posts) and the respective contribution to investment and O&M costs.

Scope of Services

Preliminary Services:

- Analysis of the results of Phase I

Technical Assistance:

- Participation in the compilation of a database of projects to be included and verification of the selection criteria for each proposed project
- Elaboration of a working programme for ONEP for planning and design, follow-up, verification and approbation of studies carried out by local consulting firms
- Assistance in tendering and award of construction contracts
- Assistance during construction supervision

Socioeconomic and Financial Assistance:

- Planning and organisation of promotion campaigns
- Following the promotion campaigns and for each project, proposal of the desired form of supply, proposal and recommendations for improving the participation of the communities and proposition of methods and flexible scenarios for the financial contribution of the population
- Formulation and proposition of methods for maintenance of distribution networks in the Douars
- Community Participation and Health Education (CPHE) campaigns
- Financial monitoring of the programme