Technical Assistance

Reconversion of public debt into investment in potable water in disadvantaged regions



Dam for drinking water supply

The Project:

- The expert was appointed by KfW to evaluate potable water projects proposed by the Operator SONEDE to be financed by the KFW (Reconversion of public debt)

- The Federal Republic of Germany had offered Tunisian Government the conversion of the public debt into a direct investment in the field of potable water in disadvantaged regions, particularly in southern Tunisia.

Tasks performed:

 Study and analysis of existing documentation and information, validation of proposed measures (technical, organizational and financial feasibility)
Site visit of a significant and representative number of sites
Assessment of the financing needs and prioritization of the measures that can be financed by the reconversion funds
Development of additional studies required (eg, feasibility studies) and other pre-requisites prior to tendering procedures
Formalization of the procedures for implementing and monitoring the program, including structuring in coherent phases,
Identification and design of technical assistance measures
Validation of the results of the mission with SONEDE
Preparation of the Final Report

Key Figures

23 projects in 20 small towns were verified and evaluated

Source of Funding

Kf

<u>Client</u>

KfW Entwicklungsbank SONEDE (National V

SONEDE (National Water Distribution Utility)

InfraSys Consult GmbH

Duration 05/2012-08/2012

Services Rendered

Technical & financial evaluation of water supply projects

validation

Institutional strengthening

Technical and financial assistance

Total Project Value

30.000.000 €

Consulting value

18.028 €

Contractual Form

Service Contract

<u>Country</u> Tunisia