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Quick Facts

Countries	Mauritania
Specific Location	Nouakchott
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Closed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	1979-03-27
Borrower	Government of Mauritania
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 8.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 8.00 million

Project Description

According to the Bank’s website, the proposed project includes three separate components to provide financial and technical assistance: (i) to the industrial sector for development of small- and medium-scale enterprises promising substantially lower investment costs per job than currently; (ii) to the artisan sector for rehabilitating and expanding the production of knotted carpets by decentralizing production and improving training of weavers; and (iii) to the agricultural sector for development of 30 new irrigated schemes under village cooperatives, including an adequate credit scheme. The project also provides consulting services to study the feasibility of establishing a gypsum plaster brick industry to replace expensive imported cement with locally made bricks, and of creating a new industrial zone in the capital city of Nouakchott.

Investment Description

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Credit 888-MAU in the amount of US$8 million was approved on March 27, 1979. The Credit was closed on December 31, 1985 and the last disbursement took place by June 12, 1986 when the proceeds of the Credit were fully withdrawn.

Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure.

Bank Documents

- Announcement of Mauritania Receives Eight Million Dollars IDA Credit for Urban and Rural Development
- Announcement of World Bank and IDA Approve Two Hundred and Ninety Million US Dollars in Loans to Ivo
- Mauritania - Urban and Rural Development Project (English)
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Other Related Projects

- WB-P176874 Strengthening Transparency of the Extractives Industries through EITI Implementation
- WB-P177785 Partnership for Market Implementation