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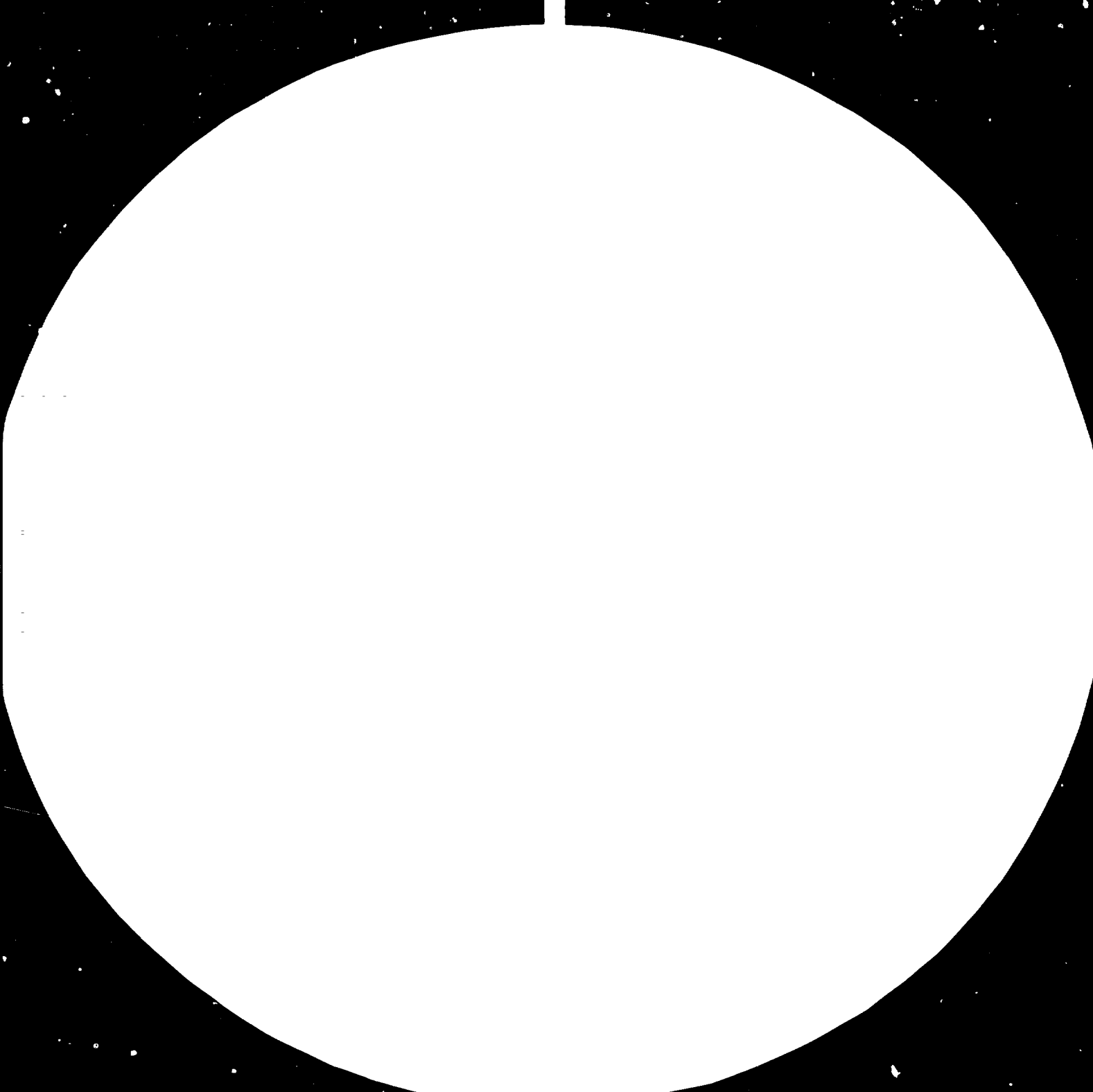
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I INTRODUCTION

1. At the invitation of Mr. Azeddine Guessous, Minister of Commerce and Industry, Dr. Abd-El Rahman Khane, Executive Director of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization, paid an official visit to Morocco from 25 to 27 February 1980. This visit coincides with the five-days investment promotion meeting organized jointly by UNIDO and the Moroccan 'office de développement industriel' in Rabat from 25 to 29 February 1980.

2. During his visit, Dr. Khane was received by the Premier Minister and Minister of Justice, Mafte Mafti Bouabid and held several meetings with Mr. Azeddine Guessous, Minister of Industry. Mr. Abdelhak Tazi, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in charge of Co-operation, Mr. Moussa Saadi, Minister of Energy and Mines and with Mr. T. Bencheikh, Secretary of State at the Premier Minister's office in charge of Planning and Regional Development.

3. During these meetings, exchanges of views were made concerning development in international economic relation, the role of UNIDO and the current status and future prospects of Morocco - UNIDO's co-operation. Also during his stay in Morocco the Executive Director visited several industrial enterprises and institutions to which UNIDO is providing technical assistance and met briefly with UNIDO experts and UNDP staff.

4. This report, in the following sections, gives a summary of the discussions held between the Executive Director and the Moroccan officials and indicates points of action for follow-up by the relevant divisions and sections of UNIDO.

5. Dr. Khane was accompanied during his visit by Mr. M.A. Azzam and Mr. Y. Halbawi, the SIDPA covering Morocco. The attachment to this report contains the list of persons met.

II Meeting with the Premier Minister and Minister of Justice,
Maftre Mafti Bouabid.

6. Dr. Khane was received by the Premier Minister and Minister of Justice, Maftre Mafti Bouabid at the Premier Minister's office in Rabat, on Monday, 25 February 1980; present at the meeting was also the Minister of Trade and Industry, Mr. A. Guessous.

7. Dr. Khane first thanked the Premier Minister for the invitation to visit Morocco and for the audience.

Recalling the recent agreement reached to convert UNIDO into a specialized agency, Dr. Khane stressed that the expected ratification of the new constitution by member states would now enable UNIDO to mobilize more resources and thus offer greater technical assistance and better services to the developing world with due consideration to the level of development of individual countries.

8. Referring to the recent Third General Conference of UNIDO, the Executive Director expressed the view that the results should not be considered as a serious setback in the international co-operation, although the conference did not meet the expectations. However, he hopes that some consensus could be reached during the next General Assembly in the fall to make available adequate resources to enable UNIDO to carry its mandate from New Delhi. The Executive Director said that countries of the developing world which adopted the New Delhi action proposals, should also be willing to finance their implementation, and should not in principle expect the industrialized countries to finance a programme they have opposed in the Third General Conference.

9. In spite of this, Dr. Khane stated that the organization had endeavoured to develop and expand its activities and that UNIDO has been developing important programmes in pursuance of the recommendations of the Lima Declaration and Plan of Action. These consisted of the system of international industrial consultations which had now come to an important instrument at the service of the developing countries in order to obtain a better view of what could be done through international co-operation and to set up a path for effectively stimulating the restructuring of the world industrial production. Dr. Khane pointed out that Morocco has been actively participating in these consultations and that he would welcome further active contributions to their success. He stressed also that regional consultations might be envisaged

to assist the developing countries to harmonize and synchronize their views and position, but lack of financial resources is a limiting factor.

10. The Executive Director mentioned the importance of the technology co-operative programme conceived by UNIDO to assist the developing countries build up their own technology and to foster exchange of experiences in terms and conditions for the transfer of technology; in addition UNIDO had strengthened its investment promotion programme in order to facilitate the mobilization of finances required to achieve the Lima objectives; he points out that the investment promotion meeting held in Rabat is the first of its kind, since it is completely devoted to a single country and he hoped that the results would be encouraging.

11. Dr. Khane paid special attention in his discussion with the Premier Minister to the role Morocco could play in the framework of economic co-operation among developing countries, in making its experience, industrial training facilities and its experts available to other developing countries, particularly in areas in which Morocco has accumulated wide experience and knowledge such as leather and leather products, chemical industries, textiles, food processing, etc.; he mentioned that UNIDO is organizing a solidarity meeting in 1980 in Sudan and Bangladesh, and in 1981 in Upper Volta and that Morocco's participation and contribution would have significant impact to strengthen international solidarity and co-operation.

12. Turning to Morocco/UNIDO co-operation, the Executive Director observed that resources available to UNIDO were limited and that the main sources of funds for UNIDO's assistance are the IPF. UNIDO is paying particular attention to the quality of technical assistance and not to the quantity, to meet the country's most immediate needs. He stressed the importance of Morocco's election as a member in the Industrial Development Board of UNIDO, hoping that Morocco would play an important role in this body, that Morocco's representation would be strengthened, since Vienna has become a very important capital in the international policy and co-operation. He informed the Premier Minister that he invited the Minister of Industry to pay a visit to Vienna in 1980.

13. In response, the Premier Minister thanked the Executive Director for his visit and the review of issues he made. He noted that the areas of disagreement between the developing and developed countries are well known and that the developing countries have to strengthen and develop their co-operation, despite the diversity of views in some areas. The Premier Minister and Minister of Justice pointed out that the ratification by Morocco of the New Delhi contribution of UNIDO should not pose any major obstacles or problems and that Morocco is much aware of the role UNIDO as a specialized agency could play in assisting the countries of the third world to achieve their socio-economic and industrial objection.

13a. With regard to Morocco's presence in and contribution to the international meetings and conferences sponsored or organized by UNIDO, the Premier Minister informed the Executive Director that Morocco is determined to strengthen their presence and diversify these contributions with the aim to closely co-operate with the countries of the third world and the international organizations based in Vienna which has become an important centre for international policy and co-operation.

III First Meeting with the Minister of Industry, Mr. A. Guessous

14. During his visit in Morocco the Executive Director had several meetings and working sessions with the Minister of Trade and Industry, Mr. A. Guessous, the Director General of the office for Industrial Development, Mr. M. Belkhat, the Secretary General of the Ministry, Mr. Bennani Smirco and the Director of the cabinet of the Minister, Mr. Mohammed Guedira.

15. The Minister of Industry very warmly welcomed the visit of the Executive Director and thanked him for the assistance UNIDO is providing to Morocco in different areas. He particularly thanked him for the assistance to organize and hold the investment promotion meeting in Rabat, to which the Moroccan Government assigned high priority. The Minister pointed out that the co-operation with UNIDO was very satisfactory.

16. Dr. Khane thanked the Minister for the kind invitation and gave a tour d'horizon on UNIDO activities in general and the co-operation with Morocco in the field of industrial development. He reiterated the importance of the system of international industrial consultation which is conceived to be an operational instrument at the service of the developing countries to achieve the Lima target; but these countries have to play an active role in these consultations which could lead to the restructuring of the industrial production in the world.

He pointed out that Morocco was not absent from these consultation meetings and did actively participate in the first few meetings on leather and leather products, on fertilizers, on chemicals, and would certainly continue to make its contributions to their success. Dr. Khane stressed that close contacts with the Moroccan Permanent Mission in Geneva was very helpful and fruitful; however, more regular and continuous consultations could have emerged, were the permanent mission not too distant from Vienna.

17. Turning back to UNIDO's technical assistance, the Executive Director said that although the resources available are very limited out of the scope of the projects relatively small, there is still room for more co-operation since Morocco has a great potential in the field of industrial development. A more proportionate allocation of IPF to the industrial sector would certainly offer more room for additional technical assistance, and thus reflect the growth generating effect of the industrial sector in the Moroccan economy.

IV Meeting with the State Secretary in Charge of Planning and Regional Development.

18. The meeting with Mr. Taib Bencheikh, State Secretary in the Premier Minister's office, in charge of planning and regional development, took place on Monday, 25 February 1980 in Rabat. The discussions focussed on few important issues of relevance to UNIDO and to the Moroccan authorities in charge of determining areas of priority for the social and economic development of the country and of allocating funds to achieve the development objectives. Dr. Khane first pointed out that UNIDO although having only limited resources, would like to make its modest contribution to the development of the country, since the industry could play a catalytic role in the overall development. In this respect the Executive Director mentioned that UNIDO's technicals assistance increased from 24 million US dollars in 1974 to 70 million US dollars in 1979. In Morocco, however, other economic sectors received larger shares from the IPF and the share of the industry in the IPF is too low compared to the important role it could play.

19. Referring to UNIDO's expertise in the field of industry, the Executive Director pinpointed that the organization would be glad to offer its services if Morocco wishes to make use of UNIDO's expertise. With regard to the possibility of financing such services, he stressed that IPF is the main source of funds, since the UNIDF resources are tied and require protracting efforts and negotiations with donor countries. Nevertheless, Morocco could also benefit from these sources of funds. He particularly mentioned the impact some small investments could generate, such as the 80,000 spent in the investment promotion meeting which would certainly result in multi-million project activities in the field of industrial development.

20. The Executive Director drew the attention of Mr. Bencheikh specially to the projections and new perspectives of industry through the year 2000, made by UNIDO in co-junction with the systems of the international economic consultations; these projections with the relevant sectoral and sub-sectoral analysis are conceived to assist the developing countries in the conception, projection and formulation of their economic and social plans, in line with the spirit of the Lima target.

21. Also economic co-operation between the developing countries is another area of interest to UNIDO, as well as the solidarity meetings meant to generate assistance to the least developed countries, an area in which Morocco could make contributions with significant impacts.

22. On his part Mr. Ta'ib Bencheikh said that Morocco is very sensitive to all activities aimed at providing the LDC with more support and assistance and at enhancing solidarity feelings with these countries; he also said that Morocco would favourably consider any appeal in that spirit and recalled that Morocco has already offered substantial credit facilities to these countries hit by the increasing prices of phosphates, as an example.

23. The Secretary of State, furthermore, expressed strong interest in the projection made by UNIDO until the year 2000, in particular in the sectoral and sub-sectoral analysis and projections within the framework of the system of consultations; this would help solve the problems of redeployment and of restructuring the world's industrial production. Mr. Bencheikh assured the Executive Director that Morocco is strongly supporting these activities and will certainly co-operate with all developing countries to strengthen the regional co-operation. With respect to UNIDO becoming a specialized agency and its new constitution, Mr. Bencheikh also assured Dr. Khane that UNIDO will find all support from Morocco needed and that no major obstacles or problems are anticipated with respect to the ratification of the new constitution.

24. Turning back to technical assistance and the allocation of funds, Mr. Bencheikh said that the needs are tremendous, but they cannot all be met and some selection is required; he said that industry does play a very important role, in particular in the field of small- and medium-scale industry to which the Government is now assigning top priority, because of its job creating and opportunity generating nature, with the maximum utilization and transformation of local raw materials; in these areas UNIDO's technical assistance is fundamental and urgently needed. In addition, Mr. Bencheikh mentioned that in the field of technology, management and spare parts production, UNIDO's assistance would help the country reduce and limit its dependence vis-à-vis foreign enterprises. He finally expressed the view that the investment promotion meeting in Rabat is very

useful and that he is very optimistic about its outcome and future results; he assured the Executive Director of the continuous support and thanked him for the assistance extended so far to Morocco.

V Meeting with the Minister of Mines and Energy, Mr. Moussa Saadi.

25. During his visit in Morocco, Dr. Khane had also a very fruitful meeting with the Minister of Mines and Energy, Mr. Moussa Saadi. The Secretary General of the Ministry, the Director of Geology, the Director of Energy, also attended the meeting with Dr. Khane.

26. After a general introduction made by the Executive Director, outlining the objectives of his visit and the main areas of UNIDO's activities and the possibilities of strengthening the co-operation between Morocco and UNIDO, the Minister briefed Dr. Khane on the Ministry's aims and objectives. He pointed out that the Ministry essentially deals with the production and processing of mineral raw materials while the energy crisis opened new perspectives for the immediate future. In the field of energy where the Ministry is operating on three distinct lines of action:

- a) energy conservation
- b) exploitation of renewable sources of energy, and
- c) production of equipment for the use of solar energy.

27. With respect to the utilization of local raw materials Morocco is processing phosphates to produce phosphatic acid and is planning to commission the steel mill in Nador based on coal gained in the North; it is also planned to establish a 100,000 t/y lead foundry and to build a copper melting plant with a yearly capacity of 40,000 t. The Ministry also envisages to use the "black sand" to produce titan and it wishes to make use of experiences gained in Sri Lanka, India and Mauritania. In this respect Morocco is very interested to co-operate in these areas with other developing countries.

28. The Minister informed the Executive Director that the Ministry, in co-operation with industrial enterprises, as the largest users of energy, would be organizing a seminar with international participation on energy saving and it is hoped that the discussions of the seminar would assist the Ministry in its efforts to save, economize and conserve energy.

29. Furthermore, the Minister focussed his attention on two main issues of immediate interest to Morocco and UNIDO: Micro-hydro plants in the countryside and the development and expansion of renewable energy sources. On the first issue the Minister recalled that during the last 10 years 20 dams were constructed throughout the country for electricity production and irrigation. Now that the preparation of the next development plan is underway, it is intended to establish and manage a large number of water reservoirs in the countryside with the aim of providing electricity to the small villages. In this respect the Minister said that he is very much interested to co-operate with UNIDO and would welcome initiatives in this respect.

30. In the field of renewable sources, the Minister pinpointed that Morocco is a country with large forests which offer a good potential for charcoal production; on the other hand, there are 12 sugar plants operating in the country and producing 60 % of Morocco's needs, while the by-products could be utilized for the production of gasohol and there are some contacts between the Ministry, the Moroccan office de participation industrielle and Brazil to examine the possibility of obtaining gasohol on economic basis. Also here the Ministry is very interested to co-operate with other countries and organizations.

31. The other line of action is the utilization of solar energy in the pumping stations in the country; the Minister said that he is sponsoring an experiment to examine the feasibility of such use and it is intended to establish an assembly plant to produce equipments for exploitation of solar energy and for water pumping and irrigation stations in the countryside.

32. With regard to the biogas, Morocco has a large area covered by Alfa which could be used to produce biogas, since the Alfa has very high calorific value, almost equivalent to coal in Northern Morocco; but this is still in the early stage and the intention is to convert the Alfa into substitutive energy. In all these essential areas the Ministry would welcome co-operation with UNIDO, developing countries, foreign investors and other organizations interested in the renewable sources of energy.

33. Finally, the Minister informed the Executive Director that the Government had decided to create a centre de recherche d'énergie renouvelable

with bilateral assistance; this centre in Marrakesh will be the focal point for all activities in the country in the field of research and development of renewable sources of energy.

34. The Executive Director thanked very much the Minister for his briefing and stressed that all areas pinpointed by the Minister are of great interest to UNIDO which is operating in the same line in many developing countries. He said that he was very pleased to know that the Ministry is undertaking in the field of local raw material utilization and processing and what it is planning to undertake in the field of renewable sources of energy. He pointed out that industrial processing of local raw materials and research and development in renewable sources of energy offers an excellent area for closer co-operation between UNIDO and the Ministry. UNIDO is prepared to offer within its limited resources assistance to Morocco and to assist the Ministry in achieving its objectives. He also mentioned that UNIDO would participate in a seminar on energy, if the Ministry extends an invitation.

VI Meeting with the State Secretary in charge of co-operation at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Tazi.

35. During the meeting with Mr. Abdelhak Tazi, State Secretary at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in charge of international co-operation, the Executive Director briefed Mr. Tazi on UNIDO activities in general and on the system of consultations, investment promotion, transfer of technology and training in particular; Mr. Tazi and Dr. Khane had also an exchange of views on the recent General Conference of UNIDO in New Delhi and the prospects for developing countries to mobilize resources needed to implement the resolution and recommendations adopted in the Conference. Dr. Khane and Mr. Tazi expressed the hope that the Special General Assembly in the fall would lead to some consensus in the issues discussed in New Delhi so that the international co-operation would not suffer a severe setback.

36. During the meeting the State Secretary thanked the Executive Director for the assistance provided to Morocco and mentioned that there is still a large room for enhancing and strengthening the co-operation between UNIDO and Morocco.

37. The Executive Director recalled that Morocco has become new member of the Industrial Development Board and said that Morocco will certainly make valuable contribution to the work of the board, among the few African countries elected into this important legislative organ of UNIDO. Mr. Tazi informed Dr. Khane that Morocco will continue to give its support to UNIDO and will not spare any effort to participate in the work of the legislative organ of the organization and to be present in its meetings.

38. On the other hand, the Executive Director drew the attention of the State Secretary, that UNIDO is entertaining a roster of experts and enterprises which UNIDO utilizes and assigns to execute technical assistance projects in the developing countries and that UNIDO is now revising and reviewing these rosters; while UNIDO is very much interested to include names of experts and enterprises from the developing countries in the roster, it is facing difficulties to receive C.V. and files from African experts and enterprises for inclusion in the UNIDO roster; the Executive Director said that UNIDO would welcome a list of qualified experts

and established industrial enterprises and that it might be necessary to alert the Chamber of Commerce and Industries on the matter.

VII Discussion with the General Secretary of the Ministry of Finance

39. Initially a meeting with the Minister of Finance, Mr. Raghey, who was previously Minister of Industry, was scheduled, but an unexpected cabinet meeting prevented the Minister from seeing the Executive Director who then had a brief discussion with the Secretary General of the Ministry, Mr. Mohamed Ouquach.

40. The discussion focussed on two main areas of immediate interest to the Ministry of Finance. The Executive Director explained the important role that the solidarity meetings play in strengthening the economic co-operation among developing countries and how significant a modest contribution by a country could assist another country in solving some urgent problems. Dr. Khane then expressed the hope that the Ministry of Finance would not oppose the provision of some financial inputs to the solidarity meetings, for example in Sudan and Upper Volta scheduled in 1980 and 1981.

41. Dr. Khane pointed out that Morocco has excellent technical and industrial training facilities and that it would be a great help if nationals from other developing countries could benefit from them.

42. The second issue was Morocco's contribution to the industrial development fund. In his reply the Secretary General of the Ministry thanked the Executive Director and assured him that Morocco is very much aware of the importance of such solidarity meetings and the efficient functioning of the UNIDF. He also pointed out that the Ministry of Finance will not spare any effort to contribute, although modestly, to the success of the solidarity meetings and to the IDF as pledged by the Government of Morocco.

VIII Round up discussion with the officials of the Ministry of Industry

43. After the Executive Director visited few industrial enterprises in Casablanca and Mohamedia (chemical and petrochemical industries, metallurgical industry including the packaging center, a very successful UNIDO sponsored project) during which he had very fruitful discussions with the Moroccan officials, in particular on the possibilities of offering training facilities in these industrial enterprises to nationals from developing countries, a final round up meeting took place in the Ministry of Industry in Rabat, in which the Minister of Industry and the Executive Director together with members of the two delegations participated.

44. At the outset of the meeting the Executive Director outlined the different sources of funds available to UNIDO for technical assistance activities in the developing countries, SIS, UNIDF, Trust funds, special measures and IPP. He explained the difficulties faced in increasing these funds to meet the pressing needs of the developing countries and expressed the hope that the Moroccan authorities would assist UNIDO in its efforts to obtain a substantial increase of the special industrial services funds.

45. With respect to the discussions he had with other Moroccan Ministers and high officials, the Executive Director pointed out that there were areas in which the co-operation between Morocco and UNIDO could be strengthened and further developed; these areas are:

- Research and Development in the field of renewable energy resources and the production of equipments for solar energy exploitation, as discussed with the Minister of Mines and Energy; and the processing of local industrial raw materials, copper, lead, etc.;
- technical training of nationals from developing countries in Morocco in the field of chemical and petrochemicals industry, in the metallurgical industry, in leather and leather products industry, packaging industry and sugar industry to some extent;
- active participation of Morocco in the system of consultation and in the work of UNIDO legislative bodies (P.C., IDB);
- technical co-operation among developing countries: Morocco could

possibly extend its help to other developing countries, especially the least developed, by providing modest contribution with high impacts;

46. The Minister of Industry endorsed the view of the Executive Director and elaborated the industrial sectors in which the Moroccan Ministry would welcome UNIDO assistance and advice to solve the existing problems and difficulties. The Minister welcomed the assistance of UNIDO in the following areas:

- establishment of a quality control centre for finished products and raw materials;
- testing laboratory for textile industry;
- survey of the textile industry;
- assistance to the metallurgical industry with 1 - 2 experts to examine bids and evaluate offers and projects;
- assistance to the small and medium-scale industry to which the government is assigning top priority;

47. Finally the Minister repeated the Moroccan offer to open its training facilities for nationals from developing countries, especially in the field of sugar industry, mining, chemical and petrochemical industry, if requested.

48. The Executive Director then extended an official invitation to the Minister to visit UNIDO Headquarters and the Minister accepted the invitation and thanked the Executive Director for his visit and UNIDO assistance so far extended to Morocco. He also expressed the hope that this visit will strengthen the co-operation between Morocco and UNIDO. The official communiqué issued at the end of the visit is attached to this report.

DECLARATION CONJOINTE

A L'OCCASION DE LA VISITE DU DR. ABD-EL RAHMAN KHANE,
DIRECTEUR EXECUTIF DE L'ONU DI AU ROYAUME DU MAROC

A l'invitation de M. Azeddine GUESSOUS, Ministre du Commerce, de l'Industrie, de la Marine Marchande et des Pêches Maritimes, Dr. Abd-El Rahman KHANE, Directeur Exécutif de l'Organisation des Nations Unies pour le Développement Industriel (ONU DI), a visité le Maroc du 24 au 27 Février 1980.

Au cours de sa visite le Directeur Exécutif de l'ONU DI a été reçu en audience par M. Maâti BOUABID, Premier Ministre et Ministre de la Justice du Gouvernement du Maroc. Il a aussi rencontré M. Azeddine GUESSOUS, Ministre du Commerce, de l'Industrie de la Marine Marchande et des Pêches Maritimes, M. Moussa SAADI, Ministre de l'Energie et des Mines, Abdelhak TAZI, Secrétaire d'Etat à la Coopération, M. Taïb BENCHEIKH, Secrétaire d'Etat auprès du Premier Ministre Chargé du Plan et du Développement Régional.

A l'occasion des entretiens qui ont eu lieu avec les membres du Gouvernement de SA MAJESTE LE ROI DU MAROC et leurs collaborateurs, les questions relatives à la coopération entre le Royaume du Maroc et l'ONU DI ont été examinées. Dans ce cadre, les problèmes spécifiques suivants susceptibles de contribuer au renforcement de cette coopération ont été retenus. C'est ainsi qu'une coopération devra s'instaurer dans les secteurs des énergies nouvelles et renouvelables, des textiles, de l'industrie mécanique, la siderurgie de l'industrie sucrière, de la formation professionnelle particulièrement dans le contexte de la coopération économique entre les pays en développement.

Le Gouvernement du Royaume du Maroc a réaffirmé son soutien aux recommandations des conférences générales de l'ONU DI à Lima et New Delhi, notamment les objectifs visant à porter en l'an 2000 la production industrielle des pays en développement à au moins 25 % de la production industrielle mondiale, l'institution du Fonds des Nations Unies pour le Développement Industriel, le système de consultations industrielles et la transformation de l'ONU DI en agence spécialisée du système des Nations Unies.

De même le Gouvernement de SA MAJESTE LE ROI DU MAROC a renouvelé son vif intérêt pour les activités de l'ONU DI, particulièrement dans le domaine

de l'assistance technique et le système des consultations industrielles auxquels il continuera d'apporter la contribution du Maroc en mettant au service de la coopération internationale ses experts et son expérience dans le domaine du développement industriel.

Le Directeur Exécutif a exprimé ses remerciements chaleureux au Gouvernement du Royaume du Maroc pour son invitation et l'accueil cordial et l'hospitalité généreuse accordés à la délégation de l'ONU. Il a invité M. Azeddine GUESSOUS, Ministre du Commerce, de l'Industrie, de la Marine Marchande et des Pêches Maritimes à visiter le siège de l'ONU à Vienne. Cette invitation a été acceptée et la date de la visite sera fixée d'un commun accord ultérieurement.

Fait à Rabat, le 27 Février 1980

Pour le Gouvernement du Royaume du Maroc
Le Ministre du Commerce, de l'Industrie,
de la Marine Marchande et des Pêches Maritimes

Pour l'Organisation des Nations
Unies pour le Développement Indus-
triel, le Directeur Exécutif

signé: Azeddine GUESSOUS

signé: Abd-El Rahman KHANE

LIST OF PERSONS MET

Mr. Mafti Bouabid	Premier Minister and Minister of Justice,
Mr. Azeddine Guessous	Minister of Trade and Industry,
Mr. Moussa Saadi	Minister of Energy and Mines,
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