

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Proj. No 6080122
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TO : AFR/DP, Mr. Robert Huesmann

DATE: September 19, 1974

FROM : AFR/NARA, E. Dennis Conroy

E. Dennis Conroy

SUBJECT: Morocco Assistance to Agricultural Research and Development Project
(608-11-110-122)

This project is designed to assist Morocco in developing its own capabilities to increase food crop production and livestock through the use of consultants and training to address key production constraints.

Attached is the PROP, a revised face sheet and an addendum that was drawn up to reflect issues that were raised at the project committee meeting. There are no current issues outstanding.

We are now recommending that an ECPR meeting be held.

AFR/NARA:STBowens⁵⁷³:jw:9/19/74

Clearance:

USAID/Morocco:AFDisdier *[Signature]*

AFR/NARA:MECatoe *[Signature]*

AFR/NARA:CBAllen *[Signature]*

AFR/DP:MMearns *[Signature]*

AFR/DS:GAdams *[Signature]*

GC/AFR:THMuntsinger *[Signature]*

PFC/DPR:BOdell *[Signature]*

I. PROJECT IDENTIFICATION

1. PROJECT TITLE Assistance to Agriculture Research and Development	APPENDIX ATTACHED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO 2. PROJECT NO. (M.O. 1095.2) 603-11-110-122
3. RECIPIENT (specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COUNTRY <u>Morocco</u> <input type="checkbox"/> REGIONAL <input type="checkbox"/> INTERREGIONAL	4. LIFE OF PROJECT BEGINS FY <u>75</u> ENDS FY <u>77</u> 5. SUBMISSION <input type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL _____ DATE _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REV. NO. <u>1</u> DATE _____ CONTR./PASA NO. _____

II. FUNDING (\$000) AND MAN MONTHS (MM) REQUIREMENTS

A. FUNDING BY FISCAL YEAR	B. TOTAL \$	C. PERSONNEL		D. PARTICIPANTS		E. COMMODITIES \$	F. OTHER COSTS \$	G. PASA/CONTR.		H. LOCAL EXCHANGE CURRENCY RATE: \$ US _____ (U.S. OWNED)		
		(1) \$	(2) MM	(1) \$	(2) MM			(1) \$	(2) MM	(1) U.S. GRANT LOAN	(2) COOP COUNTRY	
											(A) JOINT	(B) BUDGET
1. PRIOR THRU ACTUAL FY	-											-
2. OPBN FY	-											42,500
3. BUDGET FY 75	130	50	14	70	73	10	-					42,500
4. BUDGET 11 FY 76	170	30	10	130	135	10	-					42,500
5. BUDGET 12 FY 77	150	35	11	105	91	10	-					42,500
6. BUDGET 13 FY	-											
7. ALL SUBQ. FY	-											
8. GRAND TOTAL	450	115	35	305	299	30	-					170,000

9. OTHER DONOR CONTRIBUTIONS

(A) NAME OF DONOR IBRD, France, UNDP, Canada, W. Germany	(B) KIND OF GOODS/SERVICES Loans, technical services, farm equipment, etc.	(C) AMOUNT \$500,000
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III. ORIGINATING OFFICE CLEARANCE

1. DRAFTER Shirley T. Bowens <i>Shirley T. Bowens</i>	TITLE Project Officer, AFR/NARA/Mor.	DATE
2. CLEARANCE OFFICER Lynn E. Catoe <i>Lynn E. Catoe</i>	TITLE AFR/NARA/Morocco Desk Officer	DATE 7/28/77

IV. PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

1. CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

2. CLEARANCES USAID/Morocco: Albert P. Disdier *APD* Date: _____

BUR/OFF.	SIGNATURE	DATE	BUR/OFF.	SIGNATURE	DATE
AFR/NARA	E. Dennis Conroy <i>E. Dennis Conroy</i>	9/11/77	AFR/DP	M. Meares <i>M. Meares</i>	9/11/77
AFR/NARA	C. Blair Allen <i>C. Blair Allen</i>	9/14/77	GC/AFR	T. A. Muntsinger <i>T. A. Muntsinger</i>	9/14/77
AFR/DS	Gary Adams <i>Gary Adams</i>	9/18/77	PFC/DPR	B. Odell <i>B. Odell</i>	

3. APPROVAL AAs OR OFFICE DIRECTORS

SIGNATURE Samuel C. Adams	DATE
TITLE Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Africa	

4. APPROVAL AID (See M.O. 1023.1 VI C)

SIGNATURE	DATE
ADMINISTRATOR, AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	

ADDENDUM TO PROP
FOR
ASSISTANCE TO AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND TRAINING GRANT
(608-11-110-122)

I. Basic Assumptions:

- A. All participants will be employees of the GOM and will return to their positions that will utilize their training.
- B. Opportunities for training in agriculture will be available equally to women.
- C. It is expected that the GOM will request the Mission to administer the Grant in accordance with AID's regulations. The Grant Agreement will include illustrative examples of technical assistance to be provided by the U.S.
- D. Host Country Contributions:

Salaries

Long-Term Participants	\$108,000
Short-Term Participants	42,000
Counterparts for Consultants	<u>20,000</u>
Total	\$170,000

II. Project Inputs, Illustrative Sub-areas:

- A. Consultants (1-2 months each)
 - 1. Establishment of nurseries for rangeland grass seed
 - 2. Rangeland seeding
 - 3. Sheep production (extension)
 - 4. Seed processing plant operation
- B. Degree Training (maximum of 2 years in U.S. to achieve M.S. Degree)
 - 1. Range management
 - 2. Livestock breeding and production (sheep)

C. Short-Term Training (1-3 months)

1. Livestock fattening and marketing
2. Seed processing plant operation
3. Regional soybean conference
4. Poultry disease control and production

III. Course of Action, Implementation:

A. General: Grant agreement using ProAg format would be cleared with the Ministry of Cooperation and signed with Ministry of Agriculture and Ministry of Finance. Agreement would clearly identify areas in which USAID would entertain requests. Main screening would take place in informal discussions between the Food and Agriculture Officer and GOM officials at the technical level. Selection would be made with increasing emphasis on activities in the traditional sector.

B. Operational Procedures:

1. Degree Training:

- a. Following informal discussions between the F&A Officer and the GOM Technical Officer, USAID would receive an official request for training in a mutually agreed upon area.
- b. The Mission would query AID/W on practicability of the training proposal.
- c. USAID would submit a normal PIO/P possibly including a list suggesting suitable universities. The PIO/Ps would provide a description of the skills required and the educational levels for the various jobs for which training is recommended.
- d. AID/W Training Office would assume responsibility.

2. Consultant Services:

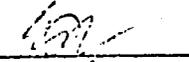
- a. Following informal discussions between the F&A Officer and the GOM Technical Officer, USAID would receive an official written request for training in a mutually agreed upon area.
- b. Mission in query to AID/W would describe the kind, timing, and duration of the services required and might suggest source of services.

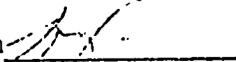
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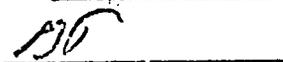
- c. AID/W would recommend best sources of available services (TAB, Complement, PASA, Contract), estimate costs and provide USAID with biodata.
- d. USAID would obtain GOM concurrence in selection of consultant.
- e. USAID would submit a PIO/T, if required.
- f. AID/W would select a specific source of services, prepare a contract or PASA, if required, and arrange travel.
- g. The consultant would report to the GOM and to the Mission.

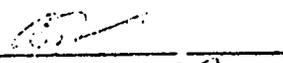
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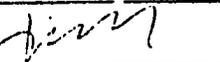
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