Transport

* Roads Improvement

--The project will include (a) modernization of the trunk road network; (b) construction of town bypasses and bridges; (c) improvements to road safety; (d) assistance for privatization or road maintenance; and (e) construction of motorways with private financing under build-operate-transfer schemes. Project preparation is under way. Environmental Assessment Category B.

US\$ 75.0 (IBRD). Consultants will be required. Ministry of Equipment and Housing • Directorate of Roads and Bridges • Blvd. Habib Chrita • Tunis • Tunisia • Tel: (216-1) 28-77-79 • Fax: (216-1) 78-70-62

Transport

* Transport Sector Development

--The project will (a) increase productivity and promote modernization and rehabilitation of railways, ports, and airports; and (b) improve road transport organizations through deregulation, road safety measures, and road user charge adjustments. Further processing awaiting the government decision, which is linked to the preparation of the next five year national plan. PID: TNPA05724.

US\$ 150.0 (IBRD). Consultant services to be determined. Ministère des Transports et de l'Equipement et de l'Habitat • Direction des Ponts et Chaussées (DPC) • Cite Jardin, Boulevard Habib Chrita • Tunis • Tunisia • Tlx: 14428 • Tel: (216-1) 681-801 • Fax: (216-1) 780-397

Water Supply/Sanitation

* Fourth Sewerage

--The project includes (a) expansion of sewerage systems and (b) construction of pilot treatment plant using duckweed-based wastewater treatment process and other systems, and (c) institutional strengthening of Office National d'Assainissement (ONAS). Pre-appraisal mission is in the field. US\$ 80.0 (IBRD). Consultants are conducting feasibility studies and an environmental assessment.

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Water Supply/Sanitation

* Rural Water Supply

--The project will seek (a) to increase the percentage of the rural population served with water services to 75 percent from its present 65 percent by equipping rural centers with water systems during the 9th five-year plan (1996-2000); (b) assist in the formulation of the institutional/financial framework and regulations of the water users associations and define the