Agriculture

* Small- and Medium-Scale Irrigation III

--The project entails the renovation of about 50,000 ha, technical assistance, staff training, and the reorganization of central, regional, and local services of the Ministry of Agriculture. There will be joint participation by both farmers and the private sector. The project aims to (a) increase food crops and livestock production, (b) alleviate poverty, and (c) protect the environment. This project is no longer in the lending program, and further reporting will be discontinued.

Education/Training

* Social Priorities (Education)

--The project will extend coverage of basic education in rural areas of 20 selected provinces and improve the quality and efficiency of basic education. Negotiations are scheduled for January 1996. Environmental Assessment Category C. US\$ 60.0 (IBRD). Consultants will be required for evaluation and teacher training.

Ministry of Education

Education/Training

* Vocational Training

--The project aims to improve vocational training by creating effective links between enterprises and training centers, and by improving the responsiveness of training centers. Negotiations are scheduled for April 1996. PID: MAPA38978. US\$ 50.0 (IBRD). Consultants will be required to provide

technical assistance to enterprises.

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Environment

* Sebou River Protection

--The project will finance treatment and disposal of industrial and domestic wastes in the Sebou River Water Basin. Pollution control technologies and strengthening of regulatory framework will be introduced. Environmental assessment category B. Project preparation is under way. PID: MAPA05506.

US\$ 60.0 (IBRD). Local and foreign consulting firms will be required.

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Industry

* Industrial Infrastructure

-- The project will help develop private industrial parks.