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SOUTH-EAST ASIA

Background Paper for the Technical Discussions

Corrigendum

In document SEA/RC27/7 Rev.1 dated 18 July 1974, please replace
the existing pages 23 and 24 with the attached.

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Table 2. STATUS OF RURAL WATER SUPPLY, GLOBAL VERSUS NATIONAL TARGETS

No.	Particulars	Bangladesh	Burma	India	Indonesia	Nepal	Sri Lanka	Thailand
1.	Rural population (x1000) 1970 1980	70 122 96 370	22 833 27 748	444 275 549 842	102 467 131 453	10 854 13 420	10 191 12 346	31 267 41 669
2.	Population with access (x1000) to safe water (1972) (%age)	18 000 26% (1974)	3 174 13.3	45 000 9.7	1 315 1.3	160 1.3 (1973)	1 327 15.0	3 535 10.6
3.	25% of 1980 Population (x1000)	24 093	6 937	137 461	32 863	3 355	3 087	10 417
4.	Population likely to be covered under country proposals (x1000)	25 000	4 000	95 000	7 000	1 300	2 300	5 300
5.	Percentage of population likely to be covered under country proposals	26 (1974) 30 (1978)	14.4 by 1980	18 by Mar 1979	6 by Mar 1979	10 by 1980	19 by 1980	15 by 1976
6.	Likely coverage with the current trend of activity extended upto 1980(%)	33	14.4	22	7	10	19	25
7.	Departure from global target	will be exceeded	-10.6%	-3%	-18%	-15%	-6%	Likely to be met
8.	Outlay needed in excess of current pro- posals to fulfil global target (US\$x10 ⁶)	-	25.00	800.00	250.00	17.00	12.00	150.00
9.	Per capita cost (Handpumps of schemes US\$ (Piped supplies	2.5 20.0	1.0 7.5	12-15(Av)	3.0 7.0	1.5 10.0	22.5	4.25/8.0 8.7/14.5
10.	Allocation on rural water supply							
a)	as % of total outlay on CWS&S	44.5	NA	12 (1951) 60 (1974)	15.5	59.0	30.0	40.0
b)	as % of total plan outlay	1.0	NA	1.50	0.30	0.90	0.35	1.0
c)	as per capita on total rural popn.(US\$)	0.20	0.023	0.30	0.30*	0.054	0.034	0.17
11.	Urban water supply as							
a)	% of popn.covered as in 1972	26	37	70	18	63	64	66
b)	per capita on total urban popn. (US\$)	2.50	NA	0.62	8.50	0.56	0.145	3.4

*does not include contribution from local budget

Table 3. SOME BASIC VITAL AND HEALTH STATISTICAL INFORMATION IN THE REGION*

Member State	Expectation of life at birth	Crude birth rate	Crude death rate	Infant mortality rate	Endemic diseases
Bangladesh (1970)	M - 52.59 (1966-67) F - 50.67	47	17	149	Cholera is reported from all countries except Mongolia and DPRK. Other enteric infections and intestinal parasites are endemic in all countries. Fluorosis is reported from Mongolia and some places in India. Guinea worm is reported only in India.
Burma (1970)	M - 55.9 F - 59.1	36.2**	10.8**	62.8**	
DPRK (1965-70)	M - } 57.7 F - }	38.8	11.2	...	
India	M - 53.2 (1966-70) F - 51.9 (projected) (1972)	36.6 (1972)	16.9 (1972)	122 (1971)	
Indonesia (1965-70)	M - 47.5 F - 47.5	48.3	19.4	125	
Maldives (1972)	...	51.0	22.9	179	
Mongolia (1965-70)	M - } 57.7 F - }	41.5	11.2	60.3 (1973)	
Nepal	M - } 45.8 (1973) F - }	42 (1971)	20 (1971)	183 (1973)	
Sri Lanka	M - 64.8 (1967) F - 66.9	29.9 (1971)	7.5 (1971)	50.3 (1970)	
Thailand	M - 55.23 (1964-65) F - 61.82	32.8 (1972)	6.8 (1972)	22.5 (1971)	

*Compiled from latest information available to the Regional Office from official sources.

**Derived from registered data from towns only.