

Annex 6: Progress on Key Water Resources Management Actions

(draft for completion)

| Issue | Detail | Status | Remarks |
|------------------|---|--------|---------------------------------|
| Water Resources | Groundwater monitoring points 2005 | 304 | |
| Monitoring | Surface water monitoring points 2005 | 34 | |
| | Meteorological stations 2005 | 26 | Manual and automatic |
| | Rainfall stations 2005 | 109 | automatic |
| | Wells equipped with data loggers | | |
| Well inventory | Wells in existence | | Info ranges from 45 – 200 thsd |
| | Wells inventoried | 55,000 | 21,000 in 2005, in 9 basins |
| | Agricultural tube wells | | |
| | Production wells urban utilities | 451 | |
| Well licensing | Applications received 2003 | 83 | |
| | Licenses issued 2003 | 29 | 35% |
| | Applications received 2004 | 177 | |
| | Licenses issued 2004 | 91 | 51% |
| | Applications received 2005 | 889 | |
| | - for new wells for drinking water | 287 | 32% |
| | - for new wells for agriculture | 284 | 32% |
| | - for well deepening | 224 | 25% (how many for agriculture?) |
| | - for cleaning and maintenance | 89 | 11% (how many for agriculture?) |
| | Licenses issued 2005 | 360 | 41% of applications |
| | - for new wells for drinking water | 169 | 59% of applications |
| | - for new wells for agriculture | 93 | 33% of applications |
| | - for well deepening | 64 | 72% of applications |
| | - for cleaning and maintenance | 24 | 27% of applications |
| Enforcement | No of drilling rigs in the country 2005 | 304 | |
| | No of drilling rigs licensed 2005 | 73 | |
| | No of violations reported | 518 | |
| | - through hotline since Nov. 2005 | 103 | |
| | Fines charged, Rial millions | 7 | |
| | Fines collected, Rial millions | | |
| Water management | No of sub-basins | 31 | |
| | No of water management plans prepared | 1 | Very debated figure |
| | No of water management plans under implementation | 1 | |
| | No of water user groups established | | |