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Results of Environmental Review

- (1) Reference Number  
06-019
- (2) Project Name  
Construction of natural gas liquefaction facilities
- (3) Project Site  
Marib/Shabwa, Yemen
- (4) Project Outline  
Construction of natural gas liquefaction facilities
- (5) Category  
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- (6) Reason of Categorization  
The project falls under large-scale oil and gas terminals sector and pipeline sector under the Environmental Guidelines and the project site is located in a sensitive area and has sensitive characteristics.
- (7) Environmental Permission/Approval by the Environmental Authority  
The Environmental Social Impact Assessment was made based on Yemen's environment protection law and approved by the Environment Protection Authority and the Ministry of Water and Environment in December 2005.
- (8) Anti-Pollution Measures  
The planned values for air quality, water quality, and noise levels meet the international standards.
- (9) Natural Environmental Considerations  
Coral reefs are near the construction premises. Appropriate considerations have been undertaken on the installation of facilities including pier to avoid the impacts of the project on the coral reefs.

(10) Social Considerations

No settlement will occur in the project. Several compensation measures for fishery have been implemented for the affected residents (fishermen) near the project site. In cases where remains are newly found at the project site and on the pipeline route, measures will be taken such as research and recording.

(11) Monitoring

Monitoring of air, water, and coral reefs will be conducted based on the Environmental Social Management Plan developed in accordance with the World Bank standards.