Review Of Dr. Ben-Meir's Development Model As Viewed In Tandem With Morocco's Framework Of Reform

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Foremost to acknowledge is to read the thirty-page development model as an analysis of potential implementation strategy where governmental framework designations range from economic development to social advancement. The detailed critique of the challenges and drawing on related international development surveys, the model fuses the necessary top-down/bottom-up dynamics, strong in direct support, weak in delivery.

Before delving into his action plan, a general governmental overview, along with a reiteration of its six-part framework, might serve as a pretext for the implementation Dr. Kingdom of Morocco is governed by a parliamentary constitutional monarchy, whereby the Prime Minister is the head of the government and of a multi-party system but for present Chief of State is King Mohammed VI. Ministries, regional and communal officials, both elected and selected, interact to oversee:

1. The Municipal Charter
2. The National Initiative for Human Development
3. The Decentralization Roadmap
4. The Green Moroccan Plan
5. Morocco's Family Code
6. Youth Leadership Programs

Precise in national directives, these six framework categories also support the North African collective.

Dr. Ben-Meir further divides his model into three sub-categories, each subservient to the Moroccan Framework. The three are: participatory development, sustainable development. Taken individually, they represent the creation of an implementation focus. Taken collectively, they result in the dynamics of a cohesive developmental struct

We now have the prevailing governmental guidelines, as well as specific areas in which to direct them. Governmental script meets practical steps. This is the point where Dr. Ben-Meir’s proposals, not.to a staid status quo, but rather to an exponential flux demanding precise analysis and application for which bottom-up participation is crucial. The populace's needs. Receptivity to supply requires daily attention. Could not this energy be pooled into defined and collaborative endeavors? Dr. Ben-Meir advocates bringing need and supply together. But how?

Participatory denotes the gathering of those facing similar needs. Sustainable denotes the enduring tenor of continuous supply. Human denotes the expanding options of well-being as a result of governmental framework. A direct transition to Dr. Ben-Meir's three-faceted implementation proposals.

It is beyond the intention of this review to note specific ramifications to the many disparate factors involved in the development model. It takes little imagination to see, for example, how each of these sub-category fronts, as well as drawing on any or all of the other five governmental priorities. Local conoces best their issues, whether for higher agricultural yield; in health care services; in women's awareness of family protection, financial independence, and education; in broadening aid and expertise to distant enclaves; in budgetary allotments; or in creating pro-active sponsorship of youth leftward for lack of choice. These speak for themselves, as the development model.

What I wish to highlight as an important component is Dr. Ben-Meir's insight into the impediment factor not readily recognized as each project unfolds. Development, in its outlook. And, indeed, the model maintains the cross-reference, in positive terms, of the governmental "6" with his practical "3". And yet, at each of his categorical analyses checkpoints, on all levels of development application, and of the need for realistic assessment.

Although implicitly inherent in the model, impediment awareness, according to its author, should be intrinsic to its operation. Without monitoring each link in the command chain, results caused by examples such as insufficient facilitator training, mis-directed budgets, broken communication channels, or unmet targets can leave its participants asking.

This candid observation, the necessity to confront rather than to cover, offers a unique perspective to the more common development profile. One is left realizing that despite promotion, it can also promise success. The bonus rests with the Moroccan people, quick to understand the efforts of each one benefit all as one. The model takes them by expectation of the successive handshakes to follow.

The model also exposes the urgency of a collaborative focus in commitment and execution for any development to occur. Thirty pages may seem small in measure but inherent developmentally, it is both an appeal and an awakening. It proves that what develops can evolve.

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