



Compact-Eligible Country Report July-September 2008

Update on Progress

- In December 2007, the MCC Board of Directors re-selected Jordan to be eligible for MCC Compact funding. Jordan improved its performance on the MCC eligibility indicators, improving from fail to pass in "Girl's Primary Education and Trade Policy."
- In April 2008, Jordan completed a constraints analysis and a sector analysis that highlighted key challenges to long-term, sustainable economic growth in Jordan.
- In April and May, Jordan conducted a broad, participatory consultative
 process that included town hall meetings in each of the country's twelve
 governorates. This process provided opportunities for a cross section of
 citizens, civil society organizations and the private sector to share issues,
 concerns, and potential investment ideas.
- Jordan is currently developing "concept papers" that define potential projects to address one or more of the problems identified through the constraints analysis, sector analysis and consultative process.
- Since early 2007, Jordan's Threshold Program has been advancing customs reform and improvements in municipal governance. The on-going program is managed by USAID.

Compact Status	
Status	Eligible
Country Inform	ation
Population	5,600,000*
GNI Per Capita	\$2,850*
Compact Proces	SS
Stage	Completed
✓ Eligibility	11-08-2006
Notification	
Proposal Recei	ipt
Opportunity	
Memo	
Congressional	
Notification	
on Compact	
Negotiations	
Investment Me	emo
Board Approva	al
Compact Signi	ing
Entry	
Into Force	
Initial	
Disbursement	