



# Niger communication base station uninterrupted power supply exempt from environmental assessment

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When was Environmental Assessment introduced in Niger?

Environmental Assessment was formally introduced in the 1998 Environmental Management Framework Act. Currently, legislation on Environmental Assessment in Niger is under development. A new framework law was promulgated in 2018, and an implementing decree in 2019. Other regulations are planned soon.

What is NCEA doing in Niger?

Since 2018, the NCEA has had an important partnership with the Ministry of Environment of Niger. Under an MoU, work has been done on developing environmental assessment legislation, supporting capacity development, and creating guidance on climate change and ESIA.

What are the environmental regulations in Niger?

Other regulations are planned soon. In Niger, the National Office for Environmental Assessment (Bureau Nationale pour l'évaluation environnementale, BNEE) is responsible for reviewing ESIA / SEA reports. It sends its recommendations to the Ministry in charge of the environment which issues the Certificate of Environmental Compliance.

Who is responsible for implementing the Environmental & Social Impact Assessment (EA) in Niger?

The National Environmental Assessment Office (BNEE) is responsible for ensuring the implementation of the EA in Niger. The EA procedure is described on the BNEE website. The steps of the procedure for the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment are: Monitoring and control. Each project is classified in one of four categories.

The majority of Niger's population faces a widespread lack of access to electricity. Although the country lies in the Sahara belt, exploitation of solar energy is so far minimal.

Companies such as Airtel, Glo etc believe that the solar powered cellular base stations are capable of transforming the Nigerian communication industry due to their low cost, reliability, and ...

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Niger Northeastern Connectivity Project (hereinafter the Project), in association with the General Directorate for Public Works in the Ministry of Equipment (ME-DGGT) and other project

Much of the investment will involve the construction of a transmission line, power-stations, and sub-stations in largely rural but also urban areas. In addition, the project will build solar systems ...

The Cumulative Impact Assessment (CIA) draws on baseline data and the impact assessment undertaken for all environmental and social disciplines as well as data gathered during ...

This study is aimed at identifying the spatial distribution of BTS in Kwamba, analysing the terrain of the study area and examining their level of compliance to NESREA standards for siting a ...

Access to electricity in Niger is not only among the lowest in Sub-Saharan Africa, but also illustrates significant disparities between urban and rural areas and between regions. Renewable ...

Failing to secure the necessary environmental permits in Niger can result in significant penalties, including fines, operational delays, or even cessation of business activities.

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