

WATER SUPPLY IN THE ANGOLAN'S SOUTHERN RURAL AREA BRIEF REMARKS

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ABSTRACT

The programmes of supply of underground water to small communities and populations scattered in the rural area, require serious investments and are far-reaching social and political actinos, as well as economically profitable if properly managed. From technical point of view these programmes are perfectly viable, bearing in the mind the geological, geomorphological and climatic conditions of the southern region of Angola in particular (arid and semi-arid zones). In view of proper water catchment operations and assurance that water for consumption meets a minimum acceptable quality as far as health is concerned, the Geological Institute of Angola defines de policies and creates conditions so that the water, essential to human's life, may offset the unrelenting losses it has been through as a result of life related biological phenomena.

The task in question is a contribution experts, , specialists and senior officials wish to render on the daily reality of the sector's activity in the area of water supply to the populations of the rural area.