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World Telecommunication Day

“Telecommunications and industrial development”

TUNISIA

The Minister of Communications announces a three-year programme

On 17 May 1990, World Telecommunication Day was followed with great interest in Tunisia. The theme this year was “Telecommunications and industrial development”.

Mr Sadok Rabah, Minister of Communications, presided over a ceremony in his department, at which Mr Slim Enneifer, Director at the Directorate General of Telecommunications, spoke on the 1990 theme, laying particular

emphasis on the importance of the role of telecommunications in industrial, cultural and social development.

Commenting on the World Telecommunication Day theme, the Minister said that industrial development was no longer dependent merely on “cheap labour and tax benefits, but also on free circulation and less State control over certain sectors and activities in transport and telecommunications”.

He also announced the launch of a three-year programme to install 7000 lines with electronic switching and 900 rural telephone lines.

There followed a debate, in which several high ranking officials from the Ministry drew attention to the need for improved co-ordination between the administration and the sector's equipment and material requirements, for a more rational use of “Tunisian gray matter”, i.e. engineers, and for more research in telecommunications.

World Telecommunication Day 1990 received good coverage in the press, on radio and television.

The headlines of articles published on the occasion included:

- World Telecommunication Day: the important role of industry for development in the sector
- Two new offices may be set up to improve services
- Telecom, a condition for development
- Telecommunications: plan to install electric telephones throughout the country.

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