



Human Rights Violations in Moroccan Resource Extraction Projects: A Comparative Study

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Abstract

Morocco is a country rich in natural resources such as phosphate, minerals, and hydrocarbons, which have been exploited for decades through various projects. A comparative study approach will be employed by reviewing legal frameworks, analysing case law, and synthesizing secondary data on reported incidents of human rights abuses during resource extraction activities. Recent reports indicate a consistent pattern of violations involving forced displacement, labour exploitation, and environmental degradation in several projects across the country. Resource extraction projects in Morocco frequently expose communities to serious human rights risks, necessitating stricter regulatory oversight and improved compliance mechanisms. Moroccan authorities should implement more stringent monitoring systems for resource extraction activities, enhance victims' access to justice, and promote transparent information dissemination about project impacts.

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