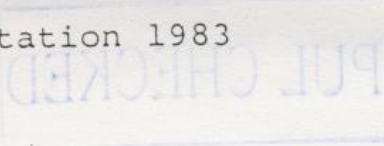


THE ROLE OF THE SPECIALISED CREDIT  
INSTITUTIONS IN THE ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT OF JORDAN



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## ABSTRACT

The focus of this Study is the Role of the Specialised Credit Institutions (SCIs) in the economic development of Jordan.

In its approach to this, a review of the developments of the SCIs in Jordan from their establishment until 1980 has been made. Their functions and characteristics have been examined and their contribution to the economic development of Jordan has been evaluated.

This was implemented through analysis of the sources and uses of SCI funds, to identify the problems which prevented them from participating more fully in the economic life of Jordan. To make use of other experience in this field a comparison was made between the Jordanian SCIs and comparable Irish institutions which have similar functions.