Greenland IPY project

PRODUCTIVITY STUDIES IN GREENLAND

The project is a micro study of comparative production plants in fishing industries and in the construction and housing sector. It is a labor-sociological, economic and statistical study containing compiled data on personnel turn over, absence, labor relations, employment, depreciations, investments, energy consumption, wages, profits, value added and prices in order to estimate labor productivity, capital productivity and factor productivity.

The study is carried out with the purpose to analyze often-aired conceptions on an alleged low productivity in the Greenland economy. The study is based on a questionnaire aiming at analyzing work place relations, absenteeism, job satisfaction, pay satisfaction, turn over intention, organizational commitment, management-employee co-operation, participation in decision-making and on the compilation of quantitative data for statistical productivity studies. The product has financial support from the home Rule's research unit, the Home Rule Dept. of Industry, Agriculture and Labor Market, The Greenland trade unions and the NUNA fund.

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