

# Parliamentarian Forum on Energy Legislation and Sustainable Development

Parliament of South Africa, Cape Town, 5-7 October 2005

## OPENING SESSION

### Welcoming statements and opening addresses

- 9:00-9:10        **Presiding Officer for the Opening**  
                    Hon. Baleka Mbete M.P., Speaker, Parliament of South Africa
- 9:10-9:35        Hon. Ebrahim Rasool, Premier, Western Cape Province, South Africa
- 9:30-10:00      Ms. Rachel Mayanja, Assistant Secretary-General, Special Adviser on  
                    Gender Issues and Advancement of Women, UN DESA

## SESSION 1 (am)      High-Level Session - Energy for Sustainable Development

**Session co-chairs:** Hon. Gwen Mahlangu-Nkabinde, Deputy Speaker, Parliament of South Africa / Mr. Kui-Nang Mak, Chief, Energy and Transport Branch, UN DESA

- 10:30-10:50     *The link between energy and sustainable development*  
                    Hon. Marthinus Van Schalkwyk, Minister of Environmental Affairs and  
                    Tourism, South Africa
- 10:50-11:10     *Energy as the driver for sustainable development*  
                    Hon. Lulu Xingwana., Deputy Minister of Minerals & Energy, South  
                    Africa
- 11:10-11:30     **Break – coffee/tea**
- 11:30-11:40     *Energy in Africa – meeting the demand for sustainable development*  
                    Ms. Zandile Mjoli, Senior General Manager: Resources and Strategy,  
                    Eskom, South Africa
- 11:40-12:30     Open discussion
- 12:30-14:00     **Lunch**

## SESSION 1 (pm)      High-Level Session cont.

**Session co-chairs:** Hon. GQM Doidge, House Chairperson, Parliament of South Africa & Hon. Duke Lefhoko, Vice Chairperson, SADC Parliamentary Forum

- 14:00-14:15     *Energy and sustainable development – a global business perspective*  
                    Ms. K Ireton, Head, Sustainable Development – Markets and  
                    Economics, Anglo-American Corporation
- 14:15-14:30     *Attracting investment and creating an enabling environment for energy  
                    for sustainable development*  
                    Mr. D. Chugh, CEO, Iscor

## SESSION 2: (pm)      International and regional perspectives on energy and

## **sustainable development**

**Session co-chairs:** Hon. Joaquin Mulembwe, Speaker of the National Assembly of the Republic, Mozambique & Richard Ottinger, former Congressman, US House of Representatives, Dean Emeritus, Pace Law School

- 14:30-14:50     [Renewable energy- a priority for the sustainable development of the Republic of Slovenia](#)  
Mr. Franc Feri Horvat, Chairman of the Committee on the Economy, National Assembly of the Republic of Slovenia
- 14:50-15:10     *Energy for sustainable development – implementation and reporting on progress*  
Mr. Blessing Manale, Director, Sustainable Development Cooperation, Department of Environment and Tourism, South Africa
- 15:10-15:30     [Access to energy in a human rights framework](#)  
Adrian Bradbrook, Professor of Law, University of Adelaide
- 15:30-15:45     Questions and answers
- 15:45-16:00     Break – coffee/tea
- 16:00-16:30     **Roundtable discussion:** *Taking stock – Regional and global perspectives on promoting access to energy and achieving sustainable development. What are the critical issues at the national, regional, and international levels?*
- Sharing of country experiences and perspectives of energy laws against the broad backdrop of sustainable development. Parliamentarians and experts, including representatives of private sector, multilateral financial institutions and other stakeholders.

## **\*\*\*\*DAY 2\*\*\*\***

### **Parallel session 3A (9:00-12:30) – Energy development and natural resources management**

Hon. N. Mthethwa, Chairperson of the Portfolio Committee on Minerals and Energy, Parliament of South Africa & Ms. JoAnne DiSano, Director, Division for Sustainable Development, UN DESA

- 9:00-9:25     [Legal frameworks relating to energy development and natural resource management](#)  
Introductory overview/issue paper on key issues in legislation and policy relating to energy development, with reference to developing countries.  
Mr. Barry Barton, Professor of Law, The University of Waikato, Auckland, New Zealand
- 9:25-9:45     *Legal and policy frameworks for energy resource management in Africa: Perspectives on public participation*

- Prof Yinka Omorogbe, Dean, Faculty of Law, University of Ibadan, Nigeria
- 9:45-10:05 *The Extractive Industries Transparency Initiative (EITI) - what it is and current status*
- Peter Davies, Senior Energy Adviser, Water, Energy & Minerals Team, DFID Policy Division, United Kingdom
- 10:05-10:25 *Development of the oil and gas sector in Ghana*
- Hon. Amadu Sorogho, National Assembly, Ghana
- 10:25-10:45 [\*Nigeria's hydrocarbons legislation and policies – experiences and future options\*](#)
- Hon. Dr. Wale Okediran, House of Representatives, Nigeria
- 10:45-11:00 Questions and answers
- 11:00-11:30 **Break - Coffee/tea**
- 11:30-11:45 *Natural resources management – the Namibian experience*
- Hon. Lucia Basson, National Assembly, Namibia
- 11:45-12:00 *Strategies for sustainable development*
- Mr. B. Mokaba, CEO, Shell SA, Ltd.

**Parallel session 3B (9:00-12:30) – Power sector restructuring and sustainable development**

**Session Co-chairs:** Hon. Ntwanambi, Chairperson of the Select Committee on Labour and Public Enterprises, Parliament of South Africa & Dr. George Nangale, Chairperson, Trade and Investment Committee, East African Legislative Assembly

- 9:00-9:25 [\*Power sector reform and regulation: responding to investment and poverty challenges in Africa\*](#)
- Introductory overview / issue paper that identifies keys issues and latest legislative developments, with special reference to Africa.
- Dr. Anton Eberhard, Director, Infrastructure Programme, Graduate School of Business, University of Cape Town (confirmed)
- 9:25-9:45 [\*Ghana's Experience with Power Sector Reform: Legislative and Policy Issues\*](#)
- Mrs. Gifty Kusi, Chairperson, Parliamentary Select Committee on Mines and Energy, National Assembly, Ghana
- 9:45-10:00 [\*Reform and electricity sector governance in developing countries\*](#)
- Ms. Smita Nakhoda, Institutions and Governance Programme, World Resources Institute, Washington D.C.
- 10:00-10:15 [\*Experiences with power sector reform in Indonesia\*](#)
- Mr. Pugh Sugiharto, Senior Adviser, Jakarta, Indonesia
- 10:15-10:30 [\*Zambia's experience with power sector reform\*](#)

Dr. Peter David Machungwa, MP, Chairperson of the Committee on Energy, Environment, and Tourism, National Assembly, Zambia

10:30-11:00 Questions & Answers

11:00-11:30 **Tea/coffee**

11:30-11:45 [\*Perspectives on power sector reform in Uganda\*](#)

Hon. Simon D'Ujanga, Parliament of Uganda

11:45-12:30 Concluding discussion/questions

### **Parallel session 3C (9:00-12:30) – Renewable energy**

Session Chair: Hon. Rev. Moatshe, Chairperson of the Select Committee on Land and the Environmental Affairs

9:00-9:25 [\*Legislative and policy instruments for the promotion of renewable energy in the power sector\*](#)

Introductory overview paper analysing the legislative and policy instruments for promotion of renewable energy in developing countries.

Dr. Njeri Wamukonya, Energy Programme Officer, Division for Policy and Law, UNEP (invited)

9:25-9:45 [\*The legal framework for renewable energy in South Africa\*](#)

Prof. Jan Glazewski, Professor of Law, University of Cape Town

9:45-10:00 *The contribution of renewable energy to access and poverty alleviation*

Mr. Glynn Morris, Chief Executive, AGAMA Energy, and REEEP Focal Point for Southern Africa

10:00-10:15 *The Promotion of renewable energy in the Philippines*

Hon. Augusto H. Baculio, Committee on Ecology, House of Representatives, Philippines

10:15-10:30 [\*Experience with the promotion of renewable energy – successes and lessons learnt\*](#)

Mr. Richard Ottinger, former Congressman, US House of Representatives, Dean Emeritus, Pace Law School

10:30-11:00 Open discussion - Questions and answers

11:00-11:30 **Coffee/tea**

11:30-11:45 [\*The Potential of Bagasse Co-generation – Lessons from Mauritius\*](#)

Dr. Kassiap Deepchand, Mauritius Sugar Authority

11:45-12:00 *Renewable energy in Mali*

Hon. Konimba Dembele, National Assembly, Mali

12:00-12:15 *Biomass and promoting access to energy*

Mr. David Hancock, German Agency for Technical Cooperation (GTZ)

12:15-12:30 Concluding discussion/questions

12:30-14:00

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**SESSION 4 (14:00-17:00) Energy legislation and sustainable development continued**

[Parallel sessions – rapporteurs/chairpersons report to plenary]

**Parallel session 4A (pm) - Rural energisation and electrification – linkages with poverty and gender**

Session Co-chairs: Hon. L. Zitha, Chairperson of the Portfolio Committee on Environmental Affairs and Tourism, Parliament of South Africa & Ms. Rachel Mayanja, Assistant Secretary-General, UN DESA

- 14:00-14:25 *Frameworks and policies to promote access to energy and rural electrification*  
Dr. Evans Kituyi, University of Nairobi, Kenya
- 14:25-14:45 [\*Bringing electricity to the rural areas: designing laws and policies that work\*](#)  
Hon. Umar Mawiya Lule, Chair, Energy Committee, Parliament of Uganda and/or Hon. Simon D'juanga, M.P., Parliament of Uganda
- 14:45-15:05 [\*Rural electrification policy and institutions in a reforming power sector\*](#)  
Mr. Charles Moonga Haanyika, Resources for Infrastructure Development and Energy Studies, Zambia
- 14:45-15:05 *Public participation in rural electrification: Experiences from Indonesia*  
Mr. Irwan Prayitno, Parliamentarian, Jakarta, Indonesia / Ms. Tri Mumpuni Iskandar, Executive Director, Institute Bisnis dan Ekonomi Kerakyatan, Indonesia
- 15:05-15:20 *The gender dimension of providing access in rural areas*  
Ms. Wendy Annecke, Energy consultant
- 15:20-15:40 *Renewable energy and rural electrification in Morocco*  
Hon. Ahmed Bouanani, House of Representatives, Parliament of Morocco
- 15:40-16:00 Question and Answer
- 16:00-16:15 **Break – coffee/tea**
- 16:15-16:30 *Legislative and policy measures to promote rural electrification in Namibia*  
Hon. Arnold R. Tjihuike, National Assembly, Parliament of Namibia  
Concluding discussion/questions

**Parallel session 4B (14:00-17:00) – Energy efficiency**

Session co-chairs: Hon. O Bapela, House Chairperson, Parliament of South Africa & Hon. Peter Machungwa, Chairperson of the Committee on Energy, Environment and

Tourism, National Assembly, Zambia

14:00-14:25 [Regulatory measures for management of energy demand and energy efficiency in developing countries](#)

Overview of energy efficiency approaches and regulatory frameworks  
Adrian Bradbrook, Professor of Law, University of Adelaide (confirmed)

14:25-14:45 *Overview of Eskom's energy efficiency programme and activities*

Mr. Tsholo Matlala, Eskom Demand Side Management Manager

14:45-15:05 *Promoting renewable energy systems and energy efficiency: some policy and legislative issues*

Hon. Kwame Ampofo, Ranking Member, Select Committee on Mines and Energy, Parliament of Ghana

15:05-15:25 *CDM mitigation projects and energy efficiency in the low-cost housing sector*

Mr. Steve Thorne, SouthSouthNorth (confirmed).

15:25-15:45 *Energy efficiency in the mining sector*

Mr. R. Moolman, Richards Bay Minerals

15:45-16:00 Questions and answers

16:00-16:15 **Break - Coffee/tea**

#### **Parallel session 4C (14:00-17:00) – Regional cooperation in energy development and trade**

Session Co-chairs: Hon. SC Botha, House Chairperson, Parliament of South Africa & Hon. Gifty Kusi, Chairperson, Parliamentary Select Committee on Mines and Energy, National Assembly, Ghana

14:00-14:25 *Investment and cross border energy trade: Electricity interconnections in Africa, including recent capacity-building initiatives.*

Mr. Pangrace Niyimbona, UN Economic Commission for Africa (ECA).

14:25-14:45 [The role of parliamentarians in encouraging and promoting regional energy development and trade.](#)

Hon. Duke Lefhoko, Deputy Secretary General, SADC Parliamentary Forum

14:45-15:05 [Regional integration in East Africa – creating the framework for energy development and trade in Africa](#)

Dr. George Nangale, Chairperson, Trade and Investment Committee, East African Legislative Assembly

15:05-15:25 *Meeting future regional energy demand – a perspective from industry*

Mr. K.Morkel, BHP Billiton SA, Ltd.

15:25-15:45 *The West African Gas Pipeline*

Hon. Edward Ennin, Vice-Chair, Select Committee on Mines and Energy, National Assembly, Ghana

15:45-16:00 Questions and answers

16:00-16:15 **Break - Coffee/tea**

### **DAY 3**

#### **Session 5 – Plenary (am)**

#### **Next steps: Partnerships, international cooperation and financing energy for sustainable development**

**Session co-chairs:** Hon. GQM Doidge, House Chairperson, Parliament of South Africa & Hon. Augusto H. Baculio, Committee on Ecology, House of Representatives, Philippines

9:00-10:00

**Report back:** *Main themes and outcomes from parallel sessions*

Chairpersons / rapporteurs report on outcomes and discussions from the parallel sessions during day 2.

10:00-10:15

*EU Energy Initiative (EUEI) and Energy Facility*

Mr. Peter Davies, Senior Energy Adviser, Water, Energy & Minerals Team, DFID Policy Division, United Kingdom

10:15-10:30

*Policies and options for advancing energy for sustainable development in Africa*

Mr. B. Mokaba, CEO, Shell South Africa.

10:30-10:45

*International networking among parliamentarians*

Mr. Nicholas Dunlop, Coordinator, e-Parliament, Washington, D.C.

10:45-11:15

**Roundtable discussion:** *Defining a central role for parliamentarians in energy for sustainable development in Africa*

- Perspectives and viewpoints on enhancing the role and involvement of parliamentarians in energy issues.
- Enhancing parliamentarians' capacity for oversight and accountability.

11:15-11:30

**Break – coffee/tea**

**Closing Session – Chair:** Hon. GQM Doidge, House Chairperson, Parliament of South Africa

11:30-11:45

Introduction and adoption of chairperson's of recommendations and conclusions

11:45-12:15

[Closing statement](#)

- Ms. JoAnne DiSano, Director, Division for Sustainable Development, UN DESA

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