

***ENERGY SETA UPDATES ON
POLICY AND STRATEGIC MATTERS
PERTAINING TO SKILLS
DEVELOPMENT IN THE WATER
SERVICES SECTOR***



I. WATER CHAMBER AMALGAMATION

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Incorporate Water Chamber functional plan to the ESETA balanced score card business plan (as a high performing SETA). **To begin**

- ✓ Water Chamber to be incorporated into all the systems, processes, policies and procedures developed by the ESETA through the re-engineering process. **In-progress**
- ✓ Elect new governance bodies for Water Chamber to serve in all SETA structures (e.g. Board, Exco, Water Chamber Committee, Policy committees- ETQA, Learnerships, SSP, etc) under the new constitution of ESETA. **Completed in May 2006**
- ✓ To appoint Water Chamber staff (WC project coordinator and the Administrator) **In-progress**

ESETA re-engineering consultant to conduct a workshop with water stakeholders on scarce skills- tentative date 24 July 2005. **Completed in August 2005**

MOU between LGSETA and ESETA July/August 2005. **In-progress**



2.WATER CHAMBER REPRESENTATION

IN THE ESETA Gov. Structures

	Representation	Name
ESETA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE	SAAWU	Jeff Ngobeni
	DWAF	None
	Representation	Name
ESETA BOARD MEMBERS	SAAWU	Jeffrey Ethan Ngobeni Rafat Khan
	WISA	Wallace Mayne Lee Ann Boyd
	SALGA	Mercia Colbert



2.WATER CHAMBER REPRESENTATION

IN THE ESETA Gov. Structures....CONT/

ESETA FUNCTIONAL COMMITTEES	Representation	Function Committees	Name
	SAAWU	SSP	Ms Maggie Masipa Mr Stanford Chikane Alternate)
		L/SHIP	Dr Mandla Mncwabe Mr Vusi Magagula (Alternate)Mr
		ETQA	Farrington MthwecuMr Meshack Dlamini (Alternate)
	WISA	SSP L/SHIP ETQA	Dirk Welgemoed Michelle Van der Schyff Willie Rossouw
DWAF	Water Chamber	Marie Brisley Mirriam Moagi	
IMATU	Water Chamber	Mzi SebenzoMogie Mahabeer (Alternate)	



3. THE ESETA CONSTITUTION

- Stakeholder consultation process
- Key strategic areas of the constitution impacting on water services sector
- ESETA constitution was submitted to DoL in April 2006 for compliance purposes.
- Process required to finalize ESETA constitution.



4. THE ESETA SLA

- Currently the ESETA management is developing an SLA document and aligning it to the NSDS targets for 2005/2010
- On the 13 June 2006 there would be a Water Chamber Committee meeting water services stakeholders would be consulted.
- ASGI-SA targets would form part of the SLA



5. CHALLENGES

- Outstanding appointment of the ESETA and LGSETA CEOs
- Increased awareness and involvement of the sector stakeholders in the development of a sector skills plan document and sector skills development strategy.
- Increased awareness of project consolidate municipal skills development challenges and opportunities.
- Improved synergy with skills development/capacity building initiatives in the sector.
- Support for WSA and WSP on skills development.
- Water services sector knowledge on what skills are required, what training is available and how to access it (list of providers and courses to go on ESETA website)
- Water Chamber stakeholders are not represented | on the finance/ remuneration committee



THANK YOU

