WORKSHOP ON IMPLEMENTATION OF STANDARDS IN THE AFRICAN POWER SECTOR

DATE: 27 MARCH 2017
09:00 - 17:00

SANDTON CONVENTION CENTRE, JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA
CO-LOCATED WITH THE POWER AND ELECTRICITY WORLD AFRICA CONFERENCE
28-29 MARCH 2017

OBJECTIVE

TO IMPROVE THE SYNERGY AMONG KEY ROLE PLAYERS IN MEETING THE NEEDS OF AFRICAN
POWER UTILITIES AND REGULATORS FOR IMPLEMENTING STANDARDS IN THE AFRICAN POWER
SECTOR

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

ENGINEERS AND TECHNICIANS IN THE AFRICAN ELECTRICITY POWER SECTOR: POWER
UTILITIES/REGULATORS/POWER POOLS/RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AGENCIES/SYSTEM AND
EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS/NEPAD/AFRICAN ENERGY COMMISSION

COST: NO CHARGE FOR ATTENDANCE: SUPPORTED BY THE AFRICAN UNION COMMISSION

DRAFT PROGRAMME

09:00 Registration: tea/coffee and networking

09:30 Session 1: ROLE OF STANDARDIZATION IN INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT IN AFRICA
Session Chairman: Rojas Manyame- Namibia. 1st VP AFSEC
09:30 - 10:00 AFSEC OBJECTIVES AND STRUCTURE: -Paul Johnson, Executive Secretary AFSEC
10:00 - 12:30 AFSEC TECHNICAL COMMITTEES PROGRAMMES OF WORK
  • PRESENTATIONS BY AFSEC TECHNICAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS OR REPRESENTATIVES
  • 10:00 TC8 - Systems aspects of Electricity Supply
  • 10:20 TC 13 - Electricity metering
  • 10:40 TC 57 - Power system data management

11:00 TEA/COFFEE BREAK
  • 11:30 TC 64 - Electrical installations and safety
  • 11:50 TC 77 - Electromagnetic compatibility
  • 12:10 TC 82 - Solar PV and rural electrification
12:30 LUNCH

Session 2: BRINGING THE STAKEHOLDERS TOGETHER

Session Chairman: Prince Moyo, General Manager Technology, Eskom, South Africa

13:30 PREPARING FOR AFRICA SMART GRID
  - Dr Rob Stephen, President of Cigre

14:00 ROLE OF THE IEC AFRICA REGIONAL CENTRE
  - Evah Oduor, Director IEC Africa Regional Center (AFRC)

14:20 ROLE OF AFRICAN UTILITY TECHNOLOGY COUNCIL
  - Corrie Vermeulen, Director African Utilities Technology Council (AUTC)

14:40 ROLE OF AFRICAN REGULATORS
  - James Manda, Technical Manager AFUR Secretariat
  - Man’arai Ndvorwi, RERA Technical Regulation Subcommittee (TRS) Secretary & ZERA Engineer – Electricity

15:20 TEA/COFFE BREAK

15:50 ROLE OF AFRICAN POWER UTILITIES AND POWER POOLS
  - Sydney Zimba, Representing Southern African Power Pool
  - Eng. Jasper Oduor, Consultant, Power interconnection standards in East Africa (EAPP/COMESA/EAPP)

16:30 to 17:00 Q &A, decisions and way forward and CLOSE

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