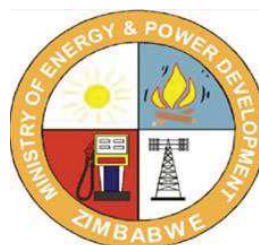




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## 6<sup>th</sup> International Renewable Energy Conference & Expo

### PROGRAMME

8<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025

**Theme: Sustainable Energy Investments for a better future.**

| Master of ceremonies                            | Wilson Chimwedzi /Unique Zimuto/ MOEPD |              |                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                    |
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| Date                                            | Time                                   | Format       | Activity                                                                                                                                                    | By Who                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>DAY 1: Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2025</b> |                                        |              |                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                    |
|                                                 | 0530<br>0730                           | AirZim       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flight Check-In</li> <li>Depart for Vic Falls</li> </ul>                                                             | Delegates                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                 | 0830<br>1100                           | Wild Horizon | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Depart Vic Falls Airport for Elephant Hills Hotel</li> <li>Depart to Site Tour: <i>Gwayi Shangani Dam</i></li> </ul> | Delegates<br>South Pole Consultancy                                                                                                                |
|                                                 | 1500                                   |              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Return to Elephant Hills Hotel Check-in</li> </ul>                                                                   | Delegates                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                 | 1900<br>-<br>2100                      |              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Welcome Networking Cocktail</li> </ul>                                                                               | Welcome to Vic Falls: Mayor of the City of Victoria Falls<br><br>Host : Hon. Yeukai Simbanegavi<br>Deputy Minister of Energy and Power Development |



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| Day 2: Wednesday 09 <sup>th</sup> April 2025 |                    |                                                                               |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                |
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|                                              | 0800<br>-<br>1300  | Official Opening by his Excellency, The President of the Republic of Zimbabwe |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                |
| Master of ceremonies                         | AMH / Dr. S. Ziuku |                                                                               |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                |
|                                              | 1400               |                                                                               |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                |
|                                              | 1410               |                                                                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Remarks</li></ul>                                                              | Alpha Media Holdings<br>Editor in Chief<br><b>Kholwani Nyathi</b>                                                              |
|                                              | 1420               |                                                                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Remarks</li></ul>                                                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Energy &amp; Power Development<br/><b>Secretary Dr. G. Magombo</b></li></ul> |
|                                              | 1435               |                                                                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Remarks</li></ul>                                                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Energy &amp; Power Development:<br/><b>Hon. Minister J. Moyo</b></li></ul>   |
|                                              | 1455               |                                                                               | High-level brief on the UNDP Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency projects in Zimbabwe and energy sector financing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Dr. Ayodele Odusola</b> – UNDP Country Representative, Zimbabwe</li></ul>             |
|                                              | 1510               |                                                                               | Local Financing of Renewable Energy, Case Study of Pension Funds                                                     | <b>Commissioner Larry Mavhima</b> – Public Service Commission                                                                  |
|                                              | 1525               |                                                                               | <b>Regional Power Sector Outlook</b>                                                                                 | SAPP                                                                                                                           |
|                                              |                    |                                                                               |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                |
|                                              | 1555               | MCs                                                                           | <b>PROGRAMME UPDATE</b>                                                                                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>All Delegates</b></li></ul>                                                           |
|                                              | 1615               | Wild Horizon                                                                  | <b>NETWORKING CRUISE</b>                                                                                             | <b>DEPART FROM RECEPTION</b>                                                                                                   |
|                                              | 1900<br>-<br>2100  | Braai NETWORKING DINNER<br>At in Energy Dr Magaya                             |                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                |



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| Master of Ceremonies                   |             | Wilson Chimwedzi /Unique Zimuto/MOEPD   |                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |
| Day 3: Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> April |             |                                         |                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |
|                                        | 0630 - 0800 |                                         | BREAKFAST                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |
|                                        | 0815        | MC                                      | RECAP & Program Updates                                                                                                                                                       | MC                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                   |
|                                        | 0825        | Panel session                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Financing the Climate Stack; Bridging the Gap; Innovation in financing Climate Resilience and sustainability</li></ul> <p>Q &amp; A</p> | Old Mutual Zimbabwe<br>Sam Matsekete<br>European Union<br>Amb. Jobst von Kirchmann<br>UNESCO<br>Malvin Matongo<br>Harmattan Renewable (Marilyn Grimett) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>AFDB</li><li>Africa Finance Cooperatio</li><li>Genesis Investment Mellisa Sikwila</li></ul> |
|                                        | 0925        |                                         | Financing: The Role of Development Partners and Local Banks in Advancing Renewables                                                                                           | Ministry of Finance (Presentation) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>UNDP</li><li>UNICEF</li><li>UNSDG Fund</li><li>GetInvest</li></ul>             | IDBZ<br>FBC                                                                                                                       |
|                                        | 1025        | Tea Break and Tour of Exhibition Stands |                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                   |
|                                        | 1055        |                                         | Harnessing new technologies (Virtual)                                                                                                                                         | SouthPole Consulting<br>Trery Williams <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li></li></ul>                                                                 |                                                                                                                                   |
|                                        | 1115        |                                         | PRESENTATION<br>Solar Technologies                                                                                                                                            | Jinko Solar<br>Mejdi Khayati                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                   |
|                                        | 1125        |                                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Harnessing New Technologies</li></ul>                                                                                                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>ZENT Dr Mugaviri</li></ul>                                                                                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li></li></ul>                                                                                  |
|                                        | 1135        | Panel sessions                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Women Energise; fostering a gender,</li></ul>                                                                                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Women Affairs</li></ul>                                                                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mobility Africa</li></ul>                                                                   |



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|  |      |                                     | socially inclusive and equitable energy transition.                                                                                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Women Bank</li> <li>• ZELA</li> <li>• BDO</li> <li>• Jinko Solar : Milliscent Chidamba</li> </ul>                                                                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UN women</li> <li>• Wesgro (SA) (Belvana Abeli)</li> <li>• Green Co ( Chiedza Chabikwa)</li> </ul>               |
|  | 1225 | Panel Session                       | Climate change and Energy Matrix:                                                                                                            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UNDP</li> <li>• Zambezi River Authority</li> <li>• Ministry of Environment</li> </ul>                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                           |
|  | 1255 | Lunch and Tour of exhibition stands |                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                           |
|  | 1355 |                                     | <b>Energy Storage Value Chain:</b>                                                                                                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jinko Titus koech</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                           |
|  | 1405 | Panel Session                       | <b>Energy Storage Value Chain:</b><br>From resources to resilience mapping the battery value chain                                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ministry of Mines - (Hillary Mukodzani)</li> <li>• Ministry of Industry &amp; Commerce</li> <li>• JINKO SOLAR (Titus)</li> </ul>                                            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chloride Zimbabwe (Kudzi Pasipanodya)</li> <li>• Verify Engineering</li> <li>• ZETDC . Eng J. Chikeya</li> </ul> |
|  | 1440 | Panel Session                       | <b>Accelerating Green Jobs &amp; Youth and Innovation:</b> Skills for a sustainable future. Up skilling and Re skilling in the Green Economy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ministry of Skills Audit – (PS Ambassador Chitiga</li> <li>• UZ (Professor H Makurira)</li> <li>• CUT. Dr. H. Chihobo)</li> <li>• NUST/Soltrain – Samson Mhlanga</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Harare Institute of Technology (Dr. A Phiri)</li> <li>• ILO</li> <li>• Harare Polytechnic</li> </ul>             |
|  | 1510 |                                     | <b>PRESENTATION</b><br>Waste to Energy Case                                                                                                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Geopomona</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                           |



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|  | 1520        | Panel session                  | Waste to Energy/Biomass – Circular Economy for a sustainable World | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ZERA – (Eng. V. Sibanda)</li> <li>• Geo-Pomona – (Eng. Amos Kapenzi)</li> <li>• Ministry of Environment -</li> <li>• Ministry of Local Government -</li> </ul>                              |
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|  | 1555        | Panel Session                  | Mini-grids/Off-grids energy solutions                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ZERA (Eng., T. Mudzingwa)</li> <li>• REA Zambia</li> <li>• REF Zimbabwe (F. Makumbinde)</li> <li>• UNDP-CAWEP</li> <li>• UNDP -Energy Offer</li> <li>• Grid Africa (Norman Moyo)</li> </ul> |
|  | 1635        | Case Study                     | <b>Wind:</b> Possibilities in the Zimbabwean landscape             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MOEPD – Dr. Ziuku</li> <li>• Tatanga Energy - Memory</li> <li>• Umoya Energy – Ngoni Mutingwende</li> <li>• Centragrid -</li> </ul>                                                         |
|  | 1720        | MCs                            | <b>RECAP &amp; PROGRAMME UPDATE</b>                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|  | 1900 - 2200 | <b>OLD MUTUAL Green Dinner</b> |                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |





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| Day 4: Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> April |             |                                            |                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |    |
|                                      | 0630 - 0800 |                                            | BREAKFAST                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |    |
|                                      | 0815        | MC                                         | RECAP & Program Updates                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | MC |
|                                      | 0825        | Panel Session                              | IPPs: Challenges, incentives and progress                                                                                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Nyangani Renewables - Ian Mckersie</li><li>Solgas -</li><li>Victor Utedzi (ZIPPA)</li><li>Great Zimbabwe Hydro -</li><li>New Sahara Africa -</li><li>REAZ-</li><li>Grid Africa (Norman Moyo)</li></ul>             |    |
|                                      | 0855        | Panel Session                              | Green Hydrogen<br>Clean Energy for Industrial processes and mobility & Policies                                                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Embassy of Namibia</li><li>Embassy of SA</li><li>HDF -</li><li>South Pole – Eng. Musasa</li><li>SACREEE – Green Hydrogen Map for Southern Africa</li></ul>                                                         |    |
|                                      | 0935        | Panel sessions                             | Carbon Credits and Renewable Energy<br>Certificates: Enabling governments and non-state actors to trade greenhouse gas emission credits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ministry of Environment Climate &amp; Wildlife</li><li>Forestry Commission</li><li>BDO</li><li>Enviro Round Table – Dr. E. Manyonga</li><li>ZIM-REC – Mr. K. Manyanga</li><li>South Pole - Mafa</li><li></li></ul> |    |
|                                      | 1015        | Tea Break and Tour of exhibition of Stands |                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |    |
|                                      | 1045        | Panel sessions                             | What role does the Insurance and Pension industry play in funding Green Energy                                                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>IPEC - presentation</li><li>ZIPPA</li><li>Nyangani Renewables</li><li>New Sahara Africa</li><li>Old Mutual</li></ul>                                                                                               |    |