

Environmental Management & Safety Working Group

Action Plans and Progress

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- **identification of environmental and safety issues of common interest to PIESA members and development of the relevant action plans**
- **contribute to members' business efficiency**
- **Ensure improved safety and environmental performance by and in utilities through developing training and awareness programmes**

Current High Priority Activities

1. Development of the following:

- **Waste Management Guideline**
- **Generic Safety Guideline**
- **Wayleave Guideline**
- **Clean Development Mechanism Guideline**

2. Compilation of PIESA Safety Statistics:

- No. of employee fatalities
- No. of public fatalities
- No. of Lost Time Injuries (LTIs)

Training Programme for 2012-14

- **Environmental Engineering: 7 – 8 Nov. 2011, Jhb, SA**
- **Environmental Engineering: Presented at Utility Sites during 2012 - 2013**
- **Utility Leadership Training in Safety for 2012 to 2014**

1. The following guidelines were completed and approved by the PIESA Board:

- **PCB Management Guidelines**
- **EIA Guidelines**
- **EMP Guidelines**

2. Carried out EIA for the pilot SWER Project in Mutoko, Zimbabwe - 2010

Project Proposal: Renewable Energy - Wind Turbine in Tanzania

EW & SWG to do :

- Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)
- Environmental Management Plan (EMP)

Leadership and Climate

FINALLY!!

- **THINK SAFETY FIRST IN ALL YOU DO!!**
- **CONSIDER THE ENVIRONMENT FIRST IN ALL YOU DO!!**

The background of the slide is a photograph of a wind farm. The image is semi-transparent, showing a large number of wind turbines stretching across a landscape under a cloudy sky. The turbines are dark in color, and their blades are visible against the lighter sky.

Thank You!!

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