Renewable Energy Independent Power Producer Procurement Programme (REI4P) Permitting and Authorisation Processes

Use this chart in conjunction with the booklet: Mapping of Provincial and Municipal Permitting and Authorisation Processes for IPP Projects in the Eastern Cape, November 2013.

Role of Provincial and Municipal Government

- DEDEAT to follow up on progress of applications.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to enter into agreement with private developer for a specific project.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to issue a cost estimate letter for the generation facility to connect into the municipal grid.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to determine if an application is a major hazard installation by a developer.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to provide comment on notification of potential amendments to financial close.
- DEDEAT to facilitate the granting of traversals / wayleaves by Transnet through the Provincial Energy Forum and the Eastern Cape Department of Public Enterprises Joint Structures.
- DEDEAT to facilitate the approval of traversals / wayleaves by Transnet through the Eastern Cape - Eastern Cape Joint Structures.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to review and approve building plans prior to financial close with the approval of potential amendments subsequent to financial close.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to review and approve site development plans prior to financial close, with the approval of potential amendments subsequent to financial close.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to receive, process and issue approvals in terms of the NEMBA.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to receive, process and issue approvals in terms of the National Environmental Management: Biodiversity Act (NEMBA).
- Metropolitan / local municipality to receive, process and issue approvals in terms of the National Environmental Conservation Ordinance 19 of 1974.
- DEDEAT to advise applicants on the level of assessment required.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to prepare and submit them to national DAFF and municipalities for prompt approval.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to act as liaison between national DAFF and municipalities.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to ensure that they place the NFA applications on the agenda of the DEA.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to confirm confirmation of water availability for the project on request from developer.
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- Metropolitan / local municipality to issue a cost estimate letter for the generation facility to connect into the municipal grid.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to issue a licence subsequent to a positive ROD from DEA.
- Metropolitan / local municipality to act as liaison between national DAFF and municipalities.
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