Republic of Kenya


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The overall national development objectives of the Government of Kenya are:-

- accelerated economic growth;
- increased productivity of all sectors;
- equitable distribution of national income;
- poverty alleviation through improved access to basic needs;
- Enhanced agricultural production;
- Industrialization
- Accelerated employment creation and
- Improved rural-urban balance
MISSION & VISION OF THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY & PETROLEUM

Mission

... to facilitate provision of:
• clean,
• sustainable,
• affordable,
• competitive and
• secure energy
for national development
while protecting the
environment ...

Vision

... affordable quality energy for all Kenyans ...

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Review of Policy and Act

• Commenced Dec 2011
• To align with Vision 2030, Constitution of Kenya, and global trends
• Inter- Ministerial/Agency Team constituted to spearhead
• Comprehensively consulted all key stakeholders
• Numerous reviews, versions
The draft Energy Policy and Bill 2015 seeks to address the emerging issues in the Electricity, Fossil Fuels and the Renewable energy sub sectors.

The Policy also pays attention to matters relating to Energy Efficiency and Conservation.

The Policy and Bill also seeks to address the devolved roles of the National and County Governments as contained in the fourth schedule of the Constitution 2010.
The two draft documents set out the national policies, strategies and legal and regulatory framework for the energy sector that are aligned to the new Constitution and are in tandem with the Vision 2030.

Kenya Vision 2030 aims for a globally competitive, newly industrialized, middle income and prosperous Country with a high quality of life to all citizens by 2030 in a clean and secure environment.
ENERGY INSTITUTIONS CREATED

• Energy Regulatory Authority
• Energy and Petroleum Tribunal
• Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation
OTHER COMMITTEES/FUNDS

- Renewable Energy Resource Advisory Committee
- Consolidated Energy Fund

Other Provisions

- Feed-in Tariffs System
- Net Metering
- Renewable Energy - Part IV
- Energy Efficiency and Conservation - Part IX
CURRENT STATUS

• Bills passed by parliament on 25th August 2016
• President returned to Parliament to review three sections
• Thereafter, to send to President for assent
THANK YOU