

**MINISTRY**

**MINERAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY**

**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

**Private Bag X 59, Arcadia, 0007, Trevenna Campus, Building 2C, C/o Meintjes & Francis Baard Street, Tel: +27 12 406 7612, Fax: +27 12 323 5849**

Private Bag X9111 Cape Town 8000, 7th Floor, 120 Plein Street Cape Town, Tel: +27 21 469 6425, Fax: +27 21 465 5980

 **Memorandum from the Parliamentary Office**

**National Assembly: 1125**

Please find attached a response to Parliamentary Questionfor **written reply** asked by **Prof C T Msimang (IFP) to the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

**Mr. Mthokozisi Mpofu**

**Acting Deputy Director-General: Minerals and Energy Programme and Project**

**………………/………………/2023**

Recommended / Not Recommended

**Mr. Jacob Mbele**

**Director-General: Mineral Resources and Energy**

**………………/………………/2023**

Approved / Not Approved

**Mr. S.G Mantashe**

**Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy**

**………………/………………/2023**

**1125. Prof C T Msimang (IFP) to ask the Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy:**

Whether his department has planned any projects with the Office of the Minister of Electricity, especially with regard to (a) energy generation and (b) renewable energy projects; if not, why not, in each case; if so, what are the relevant details in each case? **NW1264E**

**Reply:**

The energy generation is still guided by the IRP, relevant policies, and regulatory prescripts.

The National Energy Crisis Committee is a Presidential led initiative which comprises of a number of Ministries including Minister of Electricity, Minister of Mineral Resources and Energy working together to resolve electricity supply challenges through a number of interventions.