

# By 2030 eThekwini will be Africa's most caring and liveable city



#### **GENDER MAINSTREAMING**



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# Think of and remember the name of an INSPIRATIONAL LEADER







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## INTRODUCTION

#### Once upon a time at eThekwini Electricity ......

2008	MALES		FEMALES	
ARTISANS	289	95%	14	5%
TECHNICIANS	77	95%	4	5%
ENGINEERS	21	91%	2	9%







## CHAPTER 1: STRATEGY

- Holistic
- Multi-faceted
- Executive driven
- Line management initiated
- Centralised







# CHAPTER 2: RECRUITMENT

- Bursaries for engineering students
- Bought-out bursaries from other companies
- In-house accredited apprenticeship training school
- Recruitment from other recognised Trade Test facilities
- Priority recruitment into apprenticeship for in-house staff
- Learner Technician Training (P1 and P2)
- Advise to school learners upon request







# CHAPTER 3: DEVELOPMENT

- ECSA accredited Commitment & Undertaking for Candidate Engineer Training
- Formal mentorship and coaching
- Formal Candidate Technician training
- LGSETA accredited Trade Test
- Systems Operations Training school







# CHAPTER 3: DEVELOPMENT

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- **Tertiary Institution Industry Advisory Boards**
- **Tertiary Institution External Examining**
- **ECSA** accreditation of Tertiary Institutions •
- **Involvement in SAIEE committee** •
- **Involvement in ECSA** (Assessor, Interviewer, Moderator) •
- **Continuous Professional Development**
- Involvement in national standardisation
- **Power Institute of East and Southern Africa** •





# **CHAPTER 4: RETENTION**

- Direct appointment of in-house developed Engineers
- Direct appointment of in-house developed Artisans
- Priority appointment of in-house developed Technicians
- Introduction of progression
- Introduction of Scarce Skills Allowance
- Promotion of Professional registration (ECSA)







#### CHAPTER 5: PRESENT

2018	MALES		FEMALES	
ARTISANS	552	<b>87</b> %	83	<b>13</b> %
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## CHAPTER 5: PRESENT

- 1 x Deputy Head
- 1 x Senior Manager
- 1 x Project Executive
- 2 x Chief Engineers
- 2 x Senior Engineers
- 1 x Chief Technician
- 4 x Senior Technicians
- 17 x Apprentices
- 10 x Learner / Candidate Technicians
- 2 x Candidate Engineers
- 6 x bursary students







# THE SEQUEL : FUTURE

- Promotion of technical profession at school level
- Create role models
- Ablution facilities
- Maternity leave
- Paternity leave
- Limited family responsibility leave
- Physical tasks
- Personal Protective Equipment / Clothing







# THE SEQUEL : FUTURE

- Interpersonal relationships
- Training of male managers
- Workplace adaptation Crèche facilities







#### THE END

# Manage with your Head, But Lead with your Heart

