The Global Oil & Gas Value Chain

**Upstream**
- Exploration
- Field Development
- Production Operations

**Mid Stream**
- Transportation
- Processing
- Storage & Distribution

**Downstream**
- Manufacturing
- Refining & Petro-Chemicals
- Wholesale & Marketing
Presentation Outline

• Applicable Legislative framework
• Role of DoE
• Why do we import
• Who can import
• Who can export
• Processing of application
• Documents to be submitted for imports
• Documents to be submitted for exports
Applicable Legislative Framework

- Petroleum Products Act, 1977. DoE
- International Trade Administration Commission Act, 2002 (ITAC)
- SARS : Customs and Excise Act number 91 of 1964
Role of DoE in import and export

- Petroleum products are regulated in South Africa
- Petroleum products are subject to import and export control
- A permit is required to import or export petroleum products
- Applications to import or export are first sent to DoE
- The DoE makes recommendations to ITAC
- ITAC issues the permit to the applicant
Why do we import?

• South Africa has limited proven crude oil reserves
• Local refineries are currently not operating at their optimal level
• Domestic demand is greater than available supply
• South Africa has become a net importer of petroleum products
Who can import?

- **Petroleum Products**
  - Licensed wholesalers and manufacturers can apply for recommendations to import petroleum products
  - Airline companies can also apply for recommendations to import jet fuel for their own consumption

- **Crude oil**
  - Any person can apply for recommendation to import crude oil
Who can export petroleum?

• Any person can apply for recommendations to export petroleum products.
Processing of Applications by DoE

- Applications are dropped in Import & Export box at the foyer of the department building (HQ)
- For the applicants not in Pretoria, applications can be sent via email or post
- The applications are retrieved daily
- Recommendations are sent to ITAC within 24hrs.
- ITAC issue permit directly to applicant(s) in between 3-5 working days
Documents to be submitted

IMPORTS

• Application to register as an importer (IE230)
• Application to import (IE461)
• Tax clearance certificate
• Wholesale license certificate
• Motivational letter
Documents to be submitted

EXPORTS

- Application to register as an exporter (IE230)
- Application to export (IE361)
- Tax clearance certificate
- Motivational letter
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Thank You!!!!!!

Questions???