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MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT:

**South African Electrotechnical Export Council (Saeec) Partners With 2017 Africa Energy Indaba
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Africa's premier energy event, the **AFRICA ENERGY INDABA**, is pleased to announce its partnership with the South African Electrotechnical Export Council (SAEEC) for the ninth edition of the Africa Energy Indaba, to be held at the Sandton Convention Centre, Johannesburg from the 21st – 22nd February 2017.

SAEEC is a non-profit company established as a Public Private Partnership between South African business and the Department of Trade and Industry (**the dti**) to facilitate the export growth and internationalisation of its members. Its members are South African registered companies that are manufacturers and providers of products and related services from the electrotechnical sector which include electrical engineering, electronics and ICT firms.

"The Africa Energy Indaba provides an important platform to coordinate our export marketing efforts for electrotechnical sector, as well as being a recognised platform used by governments to enhance policies and an important event for companies seeking to identify South African suppliers and partners. As such, SAEEC is pleased to be partnering with the 2017 **Africa Energy Indaba** to facilitate, support, develop and grow South African exports in the electrotechnical sector and expand the base of South African exports to the region," said Chiboni Evans, CEO of SAEEC.

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MORE ABOUT AFRICA ENERGY INDABA

The Africa Energy Indaba is the World Energy Council (WEC) African regional event and as such the event receives global recognition as the foremost event for energy professionals operating in Africa, wanting access to the growing African energy sector.

The African energy sector requires USD 40 billion worth of investment annually with a production capacity requirement of 7,000 megawatts per year to meet the demand required to ensure energy access to all Africans. This presents a major opportunity for companies to explore business opportunities in the African energy sector.

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