



ACTIVITY REPORT (2015/16)

Presented by Chairperson

On behalf of the NEC

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Introduction

This is a report made by BEETA NEC on activities covered during the year 2015/2016.

Activities were implemented following the work-plan, goals and objectives of the association

Implemented Activities

- Holding over 15 Executive Board meetings
- Meeting with other stakeholders/partners and workshops: MEMD, UNREEEA, UNACC, GIZ.
- Conducting over 10 working group meetings (for both fuels and stoves)

Implemented Activities – Cont'd

- Awareness raising: T-Shirts were printed and are on sale, pull up and tear drop banners, brochures.
- Energy Week: participated in the exhibition through the support of UNREEEA and biomass forum
- Information and networking: Have a web-site, Newsletter plus online presence (Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn)
- Regional trips (to North, West, Central and Eastern parts of Uganda)

Implemented Activities – Cont'd

- Membership development and growth:
Identify members needs/gaps , mobilization and recruitment of new members
- BARAZA's: BEETA members participated in Baraza's organized by UNACC

List of NEC Members

No	NAME	POSITION
1	Prossy Ssebunya	Chairperson
2	Nolbert Muhumuza	Vice Chairperson
3	Charles Kisekka	Secretary
4	Ronald Ssebale	Treasurer
5	Hellen Gakwaya	Member

List of Paid Members

No	Company
1.	Awamu Biomass Energy
2.	Baluku Power
3.	Cook and Save Consult
4.	Energy Uganda Foundation
5.	Fuels from Waste
6.	Good Fire
7.	Green Bio Energy
8.	Jude Kabanda (Individual)
9.	Ndejje University
10.	Potential Energy
11.	Promoters of Efficient Technologies for Sustainable Development (PETSD)

Networking and Information Sharing

- USSIA exhibition
- Energy Week
- German Climate Change awareness event
- NAMAs Planning and Development workshops
- National GHG Inventory System (Ministry of Environment)
- UNACC Barazas
- Biomass Dialogue
- Sustainable Energy for All meetings

Resource Mobilization

- Membership fees
- Contribution from members
- Running and maintaining a bank account
 - Barclays Bank
 - A/C Number: 6003639124
 - Branch: Kampala Road
- Co-financing of some activities e.g. GIZ facilitating the AGM and facilitating allowance for the Administrator
- UNREEEA and UNACC contributing to operations
- The German Embassy through GIZ printed awareness materials

Strategic Development Partners

BEETA has been able to build and maintain its partnership with several development partners both on International and Local level

International partners:

- GIZ, WWF

National level: Ministry of Energy and Mineral Development (MEMD), CIRCODU, CREEC, REBi

Achievements

- Establishing a secretariat
- Holding working group meetings hosted by REBi and now MEMD.
- Registering new members into the association;
 - Ndejje University
 - Potential Energy
 - Bakulu Power Limited
 - Jude Kabanda (Individual)
- Attended capacity building trainings
- Constitution review
- Have 11 paid up members (2016) plus over 60 potential members

Support Received

- REBi hosted and supported Working Group meetings
- MEMD hosted the last Fuels WG meeting
- GIZ financed the Stove Builders' training
- GIZ supported the Secretariat
- UNREEEA supported our participation in the Energy Week and USSIA exhibition
- UNREEEA provides BEETA with office space
- BEETA members participated in the FUMBALIVE campaign through UNACC

Challenges

- Inadequate funding
- Late payment of annual subscriptions
- One-staff secretariat
- Limited online participation by members
- Inactive committees
- Limited capacity to fundraise

Way Forward

- Opening of regional offices and up-scaling of membership development in different regions
- Strengthen working groups
- Maintenance and building of new development partnerships
- Identification of services needed by members

Way Forward – Cont'd

- Encourage members to pay membership fees and annual subscription fees to enable running of 2015-2016 budgeted activities
- Improve communication and membership mobilization
- Coordination to be carried out for BEETA members and programs to ensure that all regions are covered

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Special Thanks

Fuels from Waste hosted BEETA at Nguvu House in Nateete for over two years.

THANK YOU FOR LISTENING.