



COAL ROADMAP FOR SOUTH AFRICA



CALL FOR POTENTIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS (INDIVIDUALS AND/OR CONSORTIA) TO EXPRESS THEIR INTEREST IN DEVELOPING A ROADMAP FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN COAL VALUE CHAIN TO 2035

The South African Coal Roadmap is a multi-stakeholder initiative supported by the Department of Energy, with the intent to develop a roadmap for the South African Coal Value Chain to 2035. The Fossil Fuel Foundation (FFF), acting on behalf of the South African Coal Roadmap (SACRM) Initiative, hereby invites potential service providers to submit their expressions of interest in developing the roadmap.

The roadmap study must establish a baseline and then detail and assess options and scenarios for the future development of the domestic coal industry and extract recommendations to maximise the economic opportunities of coal as a valuable energy and chemical resource whilst ensuring a better quality of life for current and future generations. In the process, the study must cover the full coal value chain (from exploration, up to and including downstream markets e.g. electricity and liquid fuels). Notwithstanding traditional technical, cost and market metrics, the information analysed must also address social, economic and environmental metrics. The study will be undertaken in three phases over a period of 26 months and will rely largely on public information and inputs from specialist focus area working groups.

A detailed Terms of Reference for the study is available at www.fossilfuel.co.za together with the Charter and Protocol which detail the governance of the SACRM Initiative.

The expressions of interest will be evaluated in order to pre-qualify potential service providers. Pre-qualification will be based on the following criteria:

- Relevant expertise
 - key staff and their qualifications
 - methodology that would be applied in developing the roadmap
- Track record on related/similar topics
 - summaries/ references to previous work of relevance
 - description of how such work was project-managed
 - description of how such work was communicated
- Capacity to meet timeframes
 - ability and willingness to commit staff from commencement for the duration of the study
- Black economic empowerment
 - utilisation or development of previously disadvantaged staff and/or trainees

Expressions of interest, detailing the pertinent information, must be e-mailed to: tonys@saneri.org.za clearly marked: **South African Coal Roadmap Initiative**

Submissions must be received by **12 noon on Friday, 23rd April 2010**
Further enquiries may be directed by e-mail to projects@fossilfuel.co.za
