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Introduction



SUNATAR ENERGIES was established to advise, promote, and develop projects in renewable energies, water, and agriculture in Africa and this was motivated by the following reasons:

1. The negative environmental effects of diesel-general power, their costs and complexity to run;
2. The tremendous opportunities in Africa because of suitable climatic, waste and vegetational conditions; and
3. The overall positive changes in African economies and the increasing realization that Africa is the future continent of the world.

OBJECTIVES

The objectives of Sunatar Energies are to:

1. Develop partners with governments, businesses and individuals interested in the advancement of these projects in Africa;
2. To reduce the dependence on diesel-generated power in Africa;
3. To promote the proper and safe usage of water;
4. To protect the natural environment;
5. Promote energy efficiency;
6. To represent and work with African and foreign renewable energy companies in Africa;
7. To provide Africa-wide consultancies on renewable energy and energy efficiency, water and agricultural projects.

OUR MISSION



1. Generation of viable projects;
2. Identification of off-takers for present and future projects;
3. Advisory services on local strategy and partners;
4. Negotiation with financial institutions and investors.
5. Setting up SPV's .
6. Advising on local legal and financial services;
7. Organizing the logistics,
8. All related services to insure the delivery and success of projects.

Governance

Board of Directors

Dr. KARAMO NM SONKO (Chairman)

Dr. Sonko is Chairman of the Board and founder of Heeno International (www.heenointernational.com). He is also Executive Vice President for Africa of RB Energy and Sand Group of Companies, a Lundin Group of Companies based in Vancouver, BC, Canada (www.theLundinGroup.com); CEO of New World Investors in Vancouver, WA., USA; and the Special Advisor to the Lundin Foundation (www.lundinfoundation.org). He was Vice President of Tasiast Mauritania Ltd., a subsidiary of Red Back Mining Inc. (a Lundin Group and now Kinross subsidiary) from August 2007 to July 2011. It was during his time as the VP of Tasiast that the company made what has now become one of the biggest discoveries of gold in Africa in the last two decades. He has a B.A. (First Class) from the University of Swaziland; M. Phil. from the University of Cambridge, UK; and a Ph.D (with Distinction) in international economics & development from the University of Denver, CO, USA. Before his transfer to Mauritania in September 2007, he was Director of Business Development & Strategy, Champion Industrial Minerals Inc. (another Red Back Mining subsidiary). He has advised many multinational corporations in mining, petroleum, power and other sectors on their African investment strategies, worked for a number of international institutions, including the United Nations, International Monetary Fund and Organization for African University (now African Union), and taught at five universities in the United States (University of Denver, University of Colorado at Denver, and Regis University), Canada (University of British Columbia) and France (University of Paris VIII). He has written and published extensively on Africa and is a Special Correspondent of *African Business* magazine (London).

Mr. CHEMSEDINE SIDI-BABA (Managing Director)

Mr. Chemsedine Sidi-Baba is an electrical engineer that graduated from the George Washington University with a B.Sc.(with Distinction) and a M.E. from the University of Cornell. He is the founder of SUNATAR ENERGIES and he is the President of the Morocco-Oman Business Commission of CGEM. He was also President of Apebi's International Relations Commission and held this position from 1999 to 2006. He was also CEO and co-founder of CADTECH Group and Urbasoft and has previously acted as a consultant for IMEG before holding the position of CEO at IHS Engineering, which also he co-founded in 1990.

Mr. AHMED MOHAMEDOU (Chief Financial Officer)

Has a Bachelor's degree in Applied Mathematics and Computer Science from the University of Reims Champagne Ardenne (France), and Master's degrees in actuarial science from the Free University of Bruxelles and in Finance from Saint Luis University. He specializes in risk and stochastic finance and has worked for several banks in Europe and Africa: namely Fortis, Belgolaise and Generale de Banque de Mauritanie. He now heads his own businesses in North and West Africa: MCA (Mauritanienne pour le conseil et l'audit), a partner of BDO International, Servisud, Speed'as, SMMCI (Société Mauritano - Marocaine pour le Commerce International) and Global Trade. Ahmed has taught as a part-time lecturer at the University of Nouakchott.

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Mr. ABDESLAM ABABOU (*Financial Advisors*)

Mr. Ababou is Partner, President of Red Med Finance and Head of the M&A department. Abdeslam has 20+ years experience in mergers and acquisitions and has led countless national and international transactions. In his professional capacity, he has supervised many consulting missions, capital development and restructuring transactions. His client portfolio includes major international and national groups working in telecommunications, energy, transport, environment, tourism and hospitality industries. Abdeslam started his career in 1996 in the Mergers & Acquisitions Department at Paribas Paris. In 2002, he created Advisory & Finance Group. In 2008, Mr. Ababou created RedMed Finance. As managing partner, he led several operations Council, investment, acquisition and financing. Mr. Abdeslam Ababou holds an engineering degree from ENSEEIHT Toulouse.

Mr. MALICK NIANG

Mr. Niang is the Regional Investment Manager for ICCO Investments covering the West African region. He is currently responsible for deal structuring and monitoring in the region. Before joining ICCO Investments (a Dutch-financed private equity Fund), he has gained extensive experience and built up a strong network in Sub-Saharan Africa as co-founder of a financial advisory boutique based in Dakar (Senegal) where he led and structured numerous fundraising mandates in various sectors. He has over 15 years of experience in the financial industry. He previously worked for top-class financial institutions such as AXA investment Managers in France and in the UK (as Derivatives Head Trader), PSP Investments in Canada (as a Fund manager with over \$CAD 12 billion AUM) and La Caisse des Dépôts et Consignations, Calyon and Natixis in France (as a senior financial analyst). Mr. Niang is a proactive multilingual professional with proficiency in English, French and African dialects (Wolof, Fulani and Bambara) and with a passion for investing. He is also a lecturer in financial engineering at the COFEB training center of the Central Bank for West African States. He holds a Master of Science in financial markets from INSEEC Business School in Paris and a Master Degree in Economics from Paris XII University.

Dr. ALHAGI MARONG (Africa Legal Adviser)

Dr. Marong is Legal Affairs Officer to the UN Mission in Southern Sudan. Before this he had served as Legal Advisor and Deputy Head of the Office of Legal Affairs at the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan. Dr. Marong joined the United Nations in July 2004, and spent the following six years working as a Legal Officer at the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda. In this capacity, he provided legal advice, research, analysis and drafting support to international Judges on genocide, war crimes and crimes against humanity. Prior to joining the United Nations, Dr. Marong served as Co-Director for Africa and Staff Attorney at the Environmental Law Institute in Washington D.C; taught public international law and international commercial transactions law at the American University of Armenia, in Yerevan; and served as State Counsel at the Attorney-General's Chambers and Ministry of Justice in The Gambia. He studied law at Fourah-Bay College, University of Sierra Leone where he earned a Bachelor of Laws (LL.B Degree with Honours) and at the Council of Legal Education in Sierra Leone where he qualified as a Barrister-at-Law (B.L). He then proceeded to McGill University in Montreal, Canada, where he earned a Master of Laws (LL.M) and Doctor of Civil Laws (D.C.L) in international business law and sustainable development.

SUNEXPERT DATABASE

In addition to our core team, SUNATAR ENERGIES has a large network of seasoned and highly experienced consultants in the fields of energy, water, and agriculture with a deep knowledge of the various African technical, business, and political environments. Our consultants can provide state-of-the-art services to our partners either as an independent or join and strengthen field teams of our partners.'



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