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Global Recession: An Integrated Provincial Economic Response

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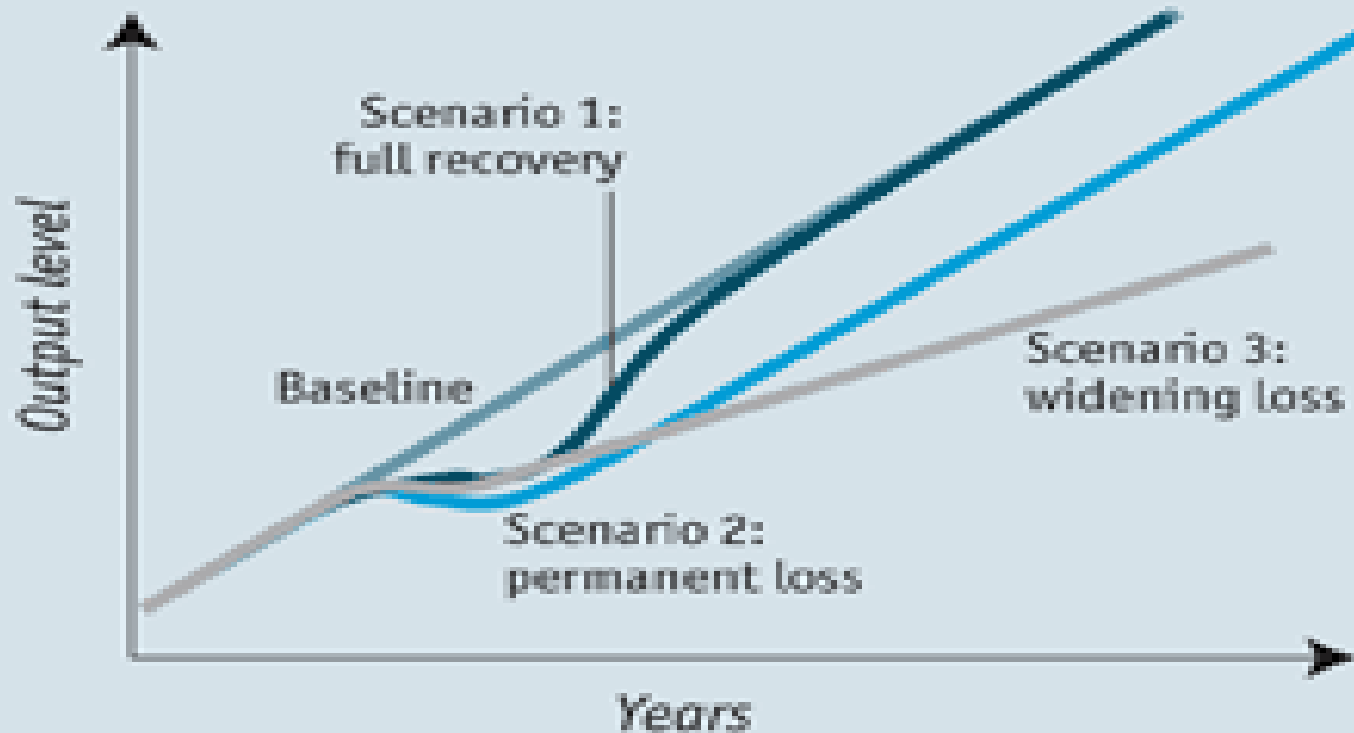
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Road to Recovery ?

After the fall

Scenarios for recovery

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Source: European Commission

Road to recovery ?

In a recession demand falls short of supply:

RESULTS:

- trail of unemployed and retrenched workers,
- Stockpiling of inventories
- Closed factories
- Reduced availability of financing
- Capital expenditure postponements or cutbacks by enterprises
- unexploited innovations.

However when the recovery arrives, it is all the more forceful because these resources have been lying idle, waiting to be brought back into production. The economy can grow faster than normal for a period until it reaches the point where it would have been without the crisis, when it reaches its full potential again

Road to recovery ?

- If the shortfall in demand persists it can do lasting damage to supply, reducing the level of potential output or even its rate of growth. If so, the economy will never recoup its losses, even after spending picks up again.
- governments will have to keep their stimulus packages going for longer than expected, or face entrenched unemployment that will permanently lower their economic potential. Public debt will rise so that private debt can fall.
- If no other source of spending takes over to fill the gap, then sales will stagnate, employment will fail to recover and household incomes will falter.

Government Debt

A sea of red ink

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As % of GDP, forecasts

Country	Debt 2009	Debt 2014	Budget deficit* 2009	Budget surplus required† in 2014
United States	88.8	112.0	-12.3	4.3
Japan	217.4	239.2	-9.0	9.8
Germany	79.8	91.4	-2.3	2.8
France	77.4	95.5	-5.3	3.1
Britain	68.6	99.7	-10.0	3.4
G20	100.6	119.7	-8.6	4.5

Source: IMF

*Before interest payments

†To keep public debt under control

If households are determined to save and businesses are not prepared to invest, it falls to the government to borrow and spend.

Some RSA Economic Indicators

					Proj.
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Real GDP	5.0	5.3	5.1	3.1	-2.1
CPI (metropolitan areas, annual average)	3.4	4.7	7.1	11.5	7.4
CPIX (end of period) ^{1/ 2/}	4.0	5.0	8.6	10.3	...
Unemployment rate (percent)	26.7	25.5	22.7	21.9	24.9
Broad money ^{2/}	20.5	22.5	23.6	14.8	7.9
National government budget balance (percent of GDP) ^{3/}	-0.6	0.4	0.8	-0.7	-4.4
National government debt (percent of GDP) ^{3/}	35.2	33.0	28.5	27.3	30.2
External current account balance (percent of GDP)	-4.0	-6.3	-7.3	-7.4	-6.0
External debt (percent of GDP)	19.0	22.1	26.6	25.9	27.3
Gross reserves (SARB, in months of next year's total imports)	2.9	3.1	3.7	4.6	4.5
International liquidity position of SARB (in billions of U.S. dollars) ^{2/}	17.2	23.0	30.2	31.9	33.6

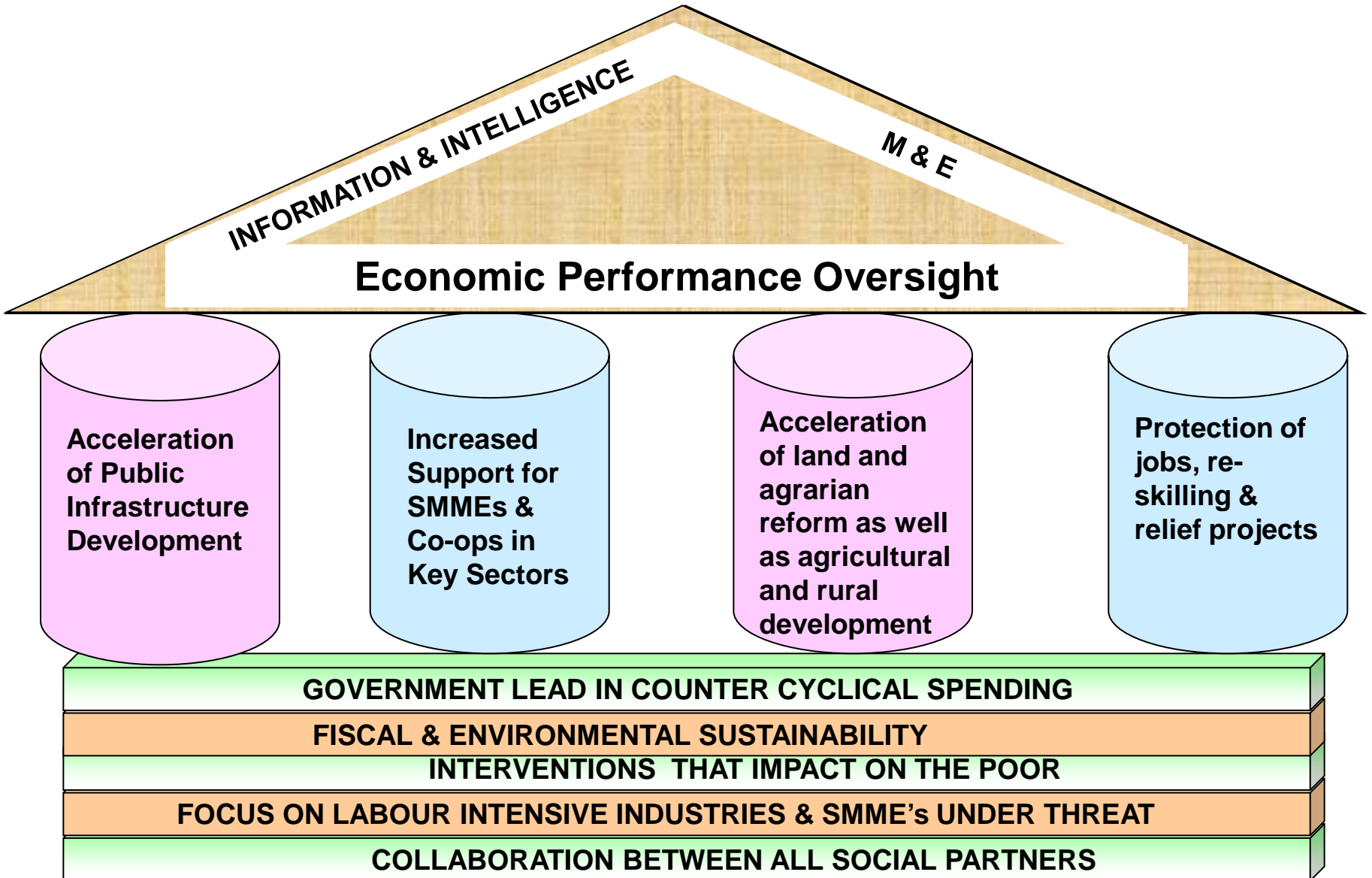
Reserve Bank; IMF, *International Financial Statistics*; and IMF staff projections.

From January 2009, a reweighed and rebased CPI replaced the previously used CPIX (the consumer price index excluding the interest on mortgage loans) as the primary measure of inflation.

Source:

Reserve Bank

Economic Summit Process



Economic Summit Process

Multi-Stakeholder Workshops deliberated and agreed on:

4 Task team commissions:

- Employment
- Finance and Investment
- Distressed sectors
- Social interventions

Terms of Reference for the Employment Team

- Develop proposals to avoid early or unnecessary resort to retrenchments;
- Address public sector related issues in the Framework ;
- Expanded Public Works Programme;
- Training layoffs;
- SETAs;
- Labour broking and outsourcing;
- Social plans;
- Unemployment Insurance Fund;

Terms of Reference for the Distressed Sectors Team

- Sustainable local procurement;
- Fast tracking financial support to SMME's
- Fast-response mechanisms for companies in distress;
- Financial management support mechanisms to avoid liquidations
- Monitor sectors in distress and strategic responses to them;
- Sectoral coordination;

Terms of Reference for the Social Policy Team

- Emergency Food Relief Programme;
- Food for All programme;
- Cost-drivers in the food chain
- Investigate Community-based food production on a mass scale;
- Fast-tracking spending on Fund for Social Relief of Distress;
- Social transfers, the child grant and old age pensions;
- Role of cooperatives, support measures, funding and regulation
- War on Poverty Campaign

Employment

NATIONAL RESPONSE FRAMEWORK	PRIORITY OF INTERVENTION	PROVINCIAL PROGRAMMES/INTERVENTIONS	TARGETS/TI MEFRAMES	RESPONSIBILITY (AND BUDGET ALLOCATION IF POSSIBLE)	REQUIRED ASSISTANCE/PARTNERSHIP FROM BUSINESS, LABOUR, CIVIL SOCIETY
<p>*Training Lay Offs *SETA's</p> <p>*Develop proposals for early or unnecessary resort to retrenchments</p> <p>*EPWP 2</p> <p>*Address public sector related issues in the framework</p>	<p>Short /medium term</p> <p>Short /medium term</p> <p>Short term</p> <p>Short term</p>	<p>1.Training and Retraining of retrenched employees, learnerships and Internships</p> <p>2.Identify skills needed, & facilitate required training & ensure local community employment for approved provincial projects e.g -Kusile -Housing by Gvt (MHFCo) -SASOL expansion projects -New mines -MDC -Road haulage net work projects</p> <p>3.Mpumalanga to contribute 31000 jobs through EPWP Phase 2</p> <p>4.Filling of vacant funded government posts 5.Develop a training plan for Local Government</p>	<p>Mar '10</p> <p>Mar '10</p> <p>Mar'10</p> <p>March 2010 with a progress review in January 2010</p>	<p>MRTT, DoL, SETA's, Business, Section 28 Training</p> <p>Govt.,DoL, DCGTA, Eskom and Business</p> <p>Public Works Roads and Transport DCGTA</p> <p>DoL, DCGTA</p>	<p>Dti,</p> <p>Labour, NGO's</p> <p>All Gvt Depts</p>

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*Skills Retention	Short term	6. Develop awareness programme for the training programmes	Mar '10	DoL	
*Social Plans	Short term	7. Expedite access to UIF benefits	Mar '10	Government	
*Long term and strategic sectoral planning & research	Short /Medium term	8. Review hospitality plan for 2010 FIFA world Cup	Dec '09	Dedet	
*Monitoring and Evaluation sectors	Short/Medium	Identify key projects to be prioritised in the long term -Coal Haulage Projects - Moloto Rail Development Phase 1 --Construction of the Mpumalanga ICC -Building of Mpumalanga University --Tertiary Hospital Centres of Excellence -Greening Projects	Mar'10	Government and all Stakeholders	

Social Interventions

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Targeted Emergency Food Relief Programme	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish emergency food relief programme. 	Mar 2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department of Social Welfare 	CCMA, Labour
	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct a survey/scan to identify people who lost jobs in the province due to the global economic meltdown. 	Dec 2009	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DEDET, Premier's Office & Department of Labour 	
	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fast track access to social grants. 			
	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify beneficiaries of the programme. Establish a provincial food bank. 	Mar 2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Home Affairs, SASSA and Social Welfare Departments 	
	Medium Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prohibit mining industry from exploiting and contaminating agricultural land and water resources. Find Balance btwn mining vs agric 	Mar 2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department of Social Welfare DME & DEDET 	CDW's, NGO's, Labour, Business
Food for all programme	Medium Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide technical advice and guidance to emerging farmers. Masibuyel'emasimini project should provide assistance to communal farming 	Mar 2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agricultural Colleges, DARDLA, Agri Mpumalanga, MADST DARLA 	Business, NGO's, Trad Authorities, Local Mun

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Food for all programme	Long Term	Establish collaboration between emerging and well-established farmers.		Agri-Mpumalanga, DARDLA	Business, AgriMP, DARDLA Civil Society, Business
	Medium Term	Encourage small scale farmers to join Organised Agriculture		DARLA, Organised Agric	
	Medium Term	Provide training and mentoring programme to emerging farmers.		SETAs	
	Long Term	Investigate price fixing in the province Measures to combat veld-fire should be introduced.		Competition Commission DARDLA,DWAF	
	Long Term	Link masibuyel'emasimini with provincial rural development strategy.		DARDLA & Premier's Office	

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<p>*Promoting Co-operative Development & Support</p>		<p>Develop a strategy for cooperatives. Identify financial sources for Cooperatives. Provide training to Cooperatives. Identify sectors where opportunities for Cooperatives are in abundance. Encourage establishment of Co-operatives.</p> <p>Use cooperatives to absorb the unemployed and the poor communities. Encourage Cooperatives to participate in agro-processing activities. Encourage Cooperatives to participate both in primary and secondary economic activities.</p>		<p>DARDLA, Agri, Mpumalanga, DEDET, MADC, Dti, SETAs</p> <p>Dedet, DoI, Dti</p> <p>Dedet, Dti</p> <p>Dedet, Dti</p>	<p>CBO's, Labour</p>

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*Cost Drivers in the Food Chain	Long Term	Investigate price fixing in the food value chain in the province.		Collaborate between competition commission and NEDLAC	
War on Poverty Campaign	Long Term	<p>Public-Private-Partnership programme to be implemented.</p> <p>Support should be provided to HIV/AIDS patients.</p> <p>Provide assistance to orphans, and child headed households.</p> <p>Municipalities to fast track the registration of the indigent beneficiaries.</p>		<p>DEDET & DTI, FINANCE</p> <p>Department Health, NGOs, CBOs etc</p> <p>(Department of Social Welfare, SASSA, NGOs & CBOs</p>	<p>Business</p> <p>Business</p> <p>Business</p>

Distressed Sectors

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Sustainable local procurement	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Procurement priority focus on SMMEs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10% improvement on procurement spend & no. of SMME's year on year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Stakeholders 	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commitment by all stakeholders to buy local wherever possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Immediately 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Stakeholders 	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All stakeholders must ensure local suppliers receive payment within 30 days of invoice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Immediately 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Stakeholders /Government 	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call Centre which suppliers can report problems in accessing payments 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mar 2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OTP /SEDA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistance from all departments
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop register of blacklisted companies 			

Distressed Sectors

	Medium Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Incentives to companies that use local sources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Oct 2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •All Stakeholders 	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Centralised supplier database 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •2011 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Finance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Benchmarking with other provinces
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Business to adopt National Tooling Initiative (NTI) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Business 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Government •Labour
Fast-response mechanisms for companies in distress	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Fast tracking financial support to SMMEs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Nov 2009 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •MEGA/IDC •DFI's 	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Soft loans to identified sectors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Dec 2009 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •MEGA •DFI's 	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Assistance to SMMEs (providing training, space, business/industrial areas etc at subsidized rates) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Dec 2009 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •MEGA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Government, Business & Labour
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Establishment/identifying of new SMMEs and Co-ops 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Continuous 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •MEGA •DEDET 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Business & Labour
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Fast track the adoption of Co-ops strategy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Dec 2009 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •DEDET 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •OTP

Distressed Sectors

	tertiary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Maximise business opportunities for local SMMEs in provincial programs 	•Dec 2009	•DEDET	•Partnership with DBSA, IDC & collaboration with business
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Activating the Provincial Growth Fund for sectoral assistance/support 	•Dec 2009	•MEGA	•OTP & DEDET
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •“Bail-out” Fund for distressed sectors in the province 	•March 2010	•IDC	
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •New agricultural and rural infrastructure and information centres in rural areas 	•March 2010	•DARDLA	•Collaboration with DEDET, OTP and Agri MP
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •One stop centres/hubs in the province regarding sectoral information & assistance 	•Jun 2010	•DEDET	•In collaboration with other Depts and other stakeholders
Long term and strategic sectoral planning & research	Long Term	Planning and research regarding the provincial economic sectors (new products & markets, diversification, specialization, downstream manufacturing, value/commodity chain analysis etc	•Mar 2011	•DEDET, MEGA, Finance, DARDLA, OTP	•Co-operation with government and business and Labour

Distressed Sectors

Monitoring & evaluation of sectors	Long Term /Medium Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Monthly/quarterly provincial sectoral data from Statistics SA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Oct 2009 – MOU with Stats SA /March 2010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •DEDET, OTP, MEGA, Finance, DARDLA 	Statistics South Africa (Provincial Office in Nelspruit to incorporation), Labour and CCMA
Price Fixing	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Met out maximum penalties to companies engaged in price fixing) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Ongoing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •National competitions commissionAll Stakeholders 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •All Stakeholders •National team from NEDLAC
Labour Brokering	Medium Term Short Term	<p>Expedite national process</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Labour brokering should be banned •Labour brokering should be regulated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Ongoing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •NEDLAC Dept of Labour 	
Skills Retention	Medium Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Provincial skills retention policy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •2011 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Government, Business & Labour 	
Security	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Coordination of Security cluster to synergize initiatives of fighting crime 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Ongoing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Government, Business & Labour, Civil Society 	
Climate Change	Short Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Dept of Agriculture to work with Agri MP on issues of agricultural land, water and climate change 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Ongoing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Government & Agri MP 	All stakeholders

Finance & Investment:

NATIONAL RESPONSE FRAMEWORK	PRIORITY OF INTERVENTION	PROVINCIAL PROGRAMMES/INTERVENTIONS	TARGETS/TIM EFRAMES	RESPONSIBILITY (AND BUDGET ALLOCATION IF POSSIBLE)
<p>Major public investments programme of approximately R787bn over the three financial years to March 2012</p>	<p>1.The government will rollout infrastructure projects in all corners of the province especially in rural areas. The infrastructure projects will include the building of schools, clinics, roads, houses, bulk water and broadband infrastructure 2.Strengthen municipal project management, & efficiencies for rendering basic services</p>	<p>*Roads Projects *Implement access roads projects as part of Rural Development using EPWP (R240m) *Eskom Routes *Road between Hendrina-Van Dyk's Drift & Middleburg-Bethal junctions *Bethal-Standerton *Bethal Sanderton junction to Cilliers *R35m re-gravelling of various roads *Routine maintenance: R160.8m *P166/1; Bulembu road; Rolle-Oackley; Lefiso-Marapyane *Sibange- Madadeni; Swaziland-Diepdale; Daantjie-Luphisi; Manzini-Swalala; Sandriver-Tshabalala; eMalahleni-Ogies; Bruno Bridge *Other Projects *Siyatentela projects: R20m for 2000 beneficiaries *Mbombela Multi-Modal (<i>public & freight transport</i>) *Non-Roads Projects *Education building infrastructure projects: 187 *Social Services construction projects: 7 *Housing units (3,751) and installation of services in 1230 sites in informal abodes</p>	<p>Roads and Transport, Human Settlement, Municipal Infrastructure grants March 2010</p>	<p>PPP's and secondment of expertise</p>

Finance & Investment:

Consider ways in which the implementation of public infrastructure projects can be fast tracked	1.Establish a high level MPG Infrastructure committee to prepare a provincial infrastructure development plan	Third quarter 2009 financial year March 2010	OTP	Assist to secure resources (financial and human) and identify other mechanisms to support infrastructure programme (Technical, project management expertise most needed) business will explore the potential for synergies between corporate social investment and these initiatives, including support for skills transfer to local communities
Strengthened role of Development Finance Institutions(DFI's)	1.Successful merger of provincial parastatals to form MEGA (Mpumalanga Economic Growth Agency) with a strong focus on infrastructure	By April 2010	As currently allocated in budget for the existing parastatals	Participation in legislative process and nomination of board members Pursue strategies and measures that will contribute to raising the level of investment so as to ensure dynamic growth and address unemployment.
	1.TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE		MTPA	PPPs
	1.MEGA to promote 'Green Industries'			

Finance & Investment:

DECENT HOUSING PROJECTS			
1.Thabachweu a.Lydenburg Ext 6	Short term , 471 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Thabachweu Local Municipality, Banks, Labour, Mining Companies i.e. Xstrata, Great Basin Gold Mine
a.Sabie Ext 10	Short term, 135 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Thabachweu Local Municipality, Mining Companies.
1.Govan Mbeki a)Secunda Ext 23	Short term, 333 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Govan Mbeki Local Municipality, Mining Companies.
1.Dipaleseng a.Balfour Stand 1835	Short term, 222 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Dipaleseng Local Municipality, Mining Companies.
1.Steve Tshwete a.Middleburg Ext 18	Short term, 37 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Steve Tshwete Local Municipality, Mining Companies.

Finance & Investment:

1.Emalahleni a.Ryno Ridge	Medium term, 486 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Emalahleni Local Municipality, Mining Companies
1.Mbombela a.Friedenheim Farm	Medium term, 235 house units , job creation, SMME and Cooperatives development, opportunities for local municipalities to deliver services, poverty alleviation, wealth creation.		DBSA, NHFC, NURCHA, Job Creation Trust, Dept of Human Settlements, Mbombela Local Municipality, Mining Companies.
		TOTAL COST FOR HOUSES = R271.2m	
1.Mpumalanga ICC	Medium Term, 1,100 jobs during construction, 300 permanent jobs	R790m	MEGA, PPP project, Private sector, Provincial Government, Local/District Municipality
1.Mpumalanga Local Enterprise Fund	Short term, Funding of SMME's to a maximum amount of R250,000 per project	R12m fund	MEGA, DEDET, Khula and SEDA

Finance & Investment:

1. Installation of broadband infrastructure throughout the Mpumalanga Province	Short and Medium Term		DEDET, DoC Dept of Finance, PPP
1. Projects on greening Mpumalanga	Short Term		Greening, Heritage Mpumalanga & Tourism
1. Moloto Rail Development	Medium		PWR&T, Dept of Finance
1. Reviving the Mpumalanga power stations	Medium Term		PWR&T, Eskom, Dept of Finance
1. Establishment of tertiary hospital in Mpumalanga	Medium to Long Term (Follow up with the Dpt of Health)		Dept of Health, Dept of Finance
1. Facilitate the opening of new mines	Medium to Long		Dept of Energy, Dept of Minerals
1. Establishment of the Mpumalanga University	Medium to Long		Dept of Education, TUT Nelspruit Campus, NIHE, DoF
1. Cargo Airport in Delmas	Long Term		DEDET, DBSA, Local Municipality

Key Projects

Project	Primary Link To MTSF	2nd Link To MTSF	Key Players
Rehabilitation of the Coal Haulage Route	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Massive programme to build social and economic infrastructure -Speeding up growth & transforming the economy to create decent work and sustainable livelihoods 	-Strengthen our skills and human resource base	<p>Gvt: MEGA; DPWR&T; NRA; Transnet; DME; GSDM; MRTT</p> <p>Business: Chamber of Mines; ESKOM</p> <p>Labour,NGO's:</p>
Provincial University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Strengthen our skills and human resource base - 	Massive programme to build social and economic infrastructure	<p>Gvt: Education; DPWR&T</p> <p>Labour,Business</p>
Provincial Tertiary Hospital	-Improve the health of all South Africans	-Strengthen our skills and human resource base	<p>Gvt: Dept Health; DPWR&T; Dept Higher Education</p> <p>NGO's:</p>
Facilitation of the Provincial Broadband installation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Massive programme to build social and economic infrastructure -Pursuing African advancement and enhanced international cooperation 	- Comprehensive rural development strategy linked to land and agrarian reform and food security	<p>Gvt: Dedet; MEGA; DoC; DPWT&T</p> <p>Business: Telkom; Vodacom; MTN etc; Bus Chambers</p>

Last Words

“The commercial storm leaves its path strewn with ruin. When it is over there is calm, but a dull, heavy calm.” economists Alfred and Mary Marshall, 1879

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