



**PRESIDENTIAL
CLIMATE COMMISSION**
TOWARDS A JUST TRANSITION

Executive Director's report to Commission

16 February 2024

Developments since last PCC meeting

Just Transition showcased at COP28

- PCC hosted programme of side events at COP on different aspects of just transition
- Secretariat prepared pre-COP briefing note and post-COP assessment

Employment opportunities in Mpumalanga

- Initial research and assessment of sub-sectors completed
- Wide-ranging engagement with social partners and communities underway

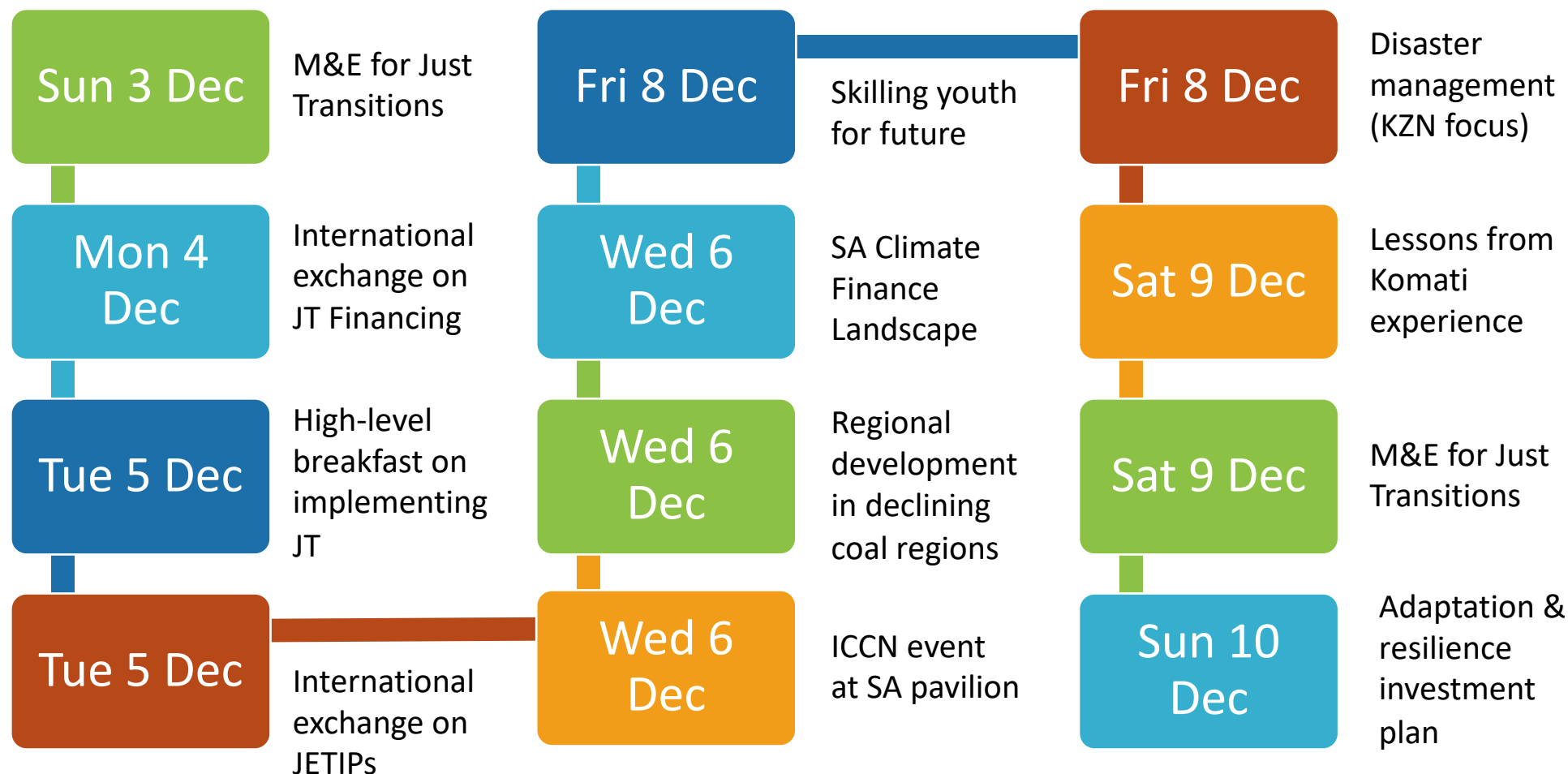
NMB Climate Resilient Development Strategy

- NMB is facing water security and EV transition challenges
- Exciting multi-cultural launch has started a collective process with stakeholders to address these challenges

IRP 2023

- Lots of stakeholder interest in updated IRP 2023
- PCC has reached out to DMRE, engaged with social partners and public on their views, and prepared a technical assessment (to be considered in this meeting)

PCC activities at COP 28



Thank you for to Ministers Creecy and Mantashe and Commissioners Janse Rabie, Shafick Adams, Brian Mantlana, Shamini Harrington, Joanne Yawitch, Makoma Lekalakala and Cllr Phukuntsi for participation in PCC programme



Other events since last PCC meeting

Date	Event
22 Nov 2023	Energy dialogue on NEV transition
29 Nov 2023	Launch of Climate Finance Landscape Report
15 Jan – 30 Jan	Community and stakeholder dialogues on ST employment opportunities
22 Jan 2024	Mpumalanga government dialogue & meeting with Univ. MP
24 Jan 2024	NMBM Climate Resilient Development Strategy launch
30 Jan 2024	NEDLAC IRP dialogue (PCC co-hosted)
31 Jan 2024	Meeting with Eskom, PMU and MP to address PCC's Komati findings
8 Feb 2024	Faith sector consultation
12 Feb 2024	Executive Director address to SALGA NEC
13 Feb 2024	PCC multistakeholder dialogue on IRP
14 Feb 2024	High level CEOs breakfast on job opportunities in Mpumalanga



PCC work that is ready or nearly complete

Recommendations	Timing and process
Social ownership of renewable energy	To be considered & approved at this meeting
Comments on draft IRP2023	To be finalised based on discussions at this meeting
State of Climate Action Report	Draft included in pack, to be finalised by June meeting
ST employment opportunities in Mpumalanga	Interim report being discussed with stakeholders
Just Transition Financing Mechanism	Draft in pack, published for comment, to be finalised at June meeting

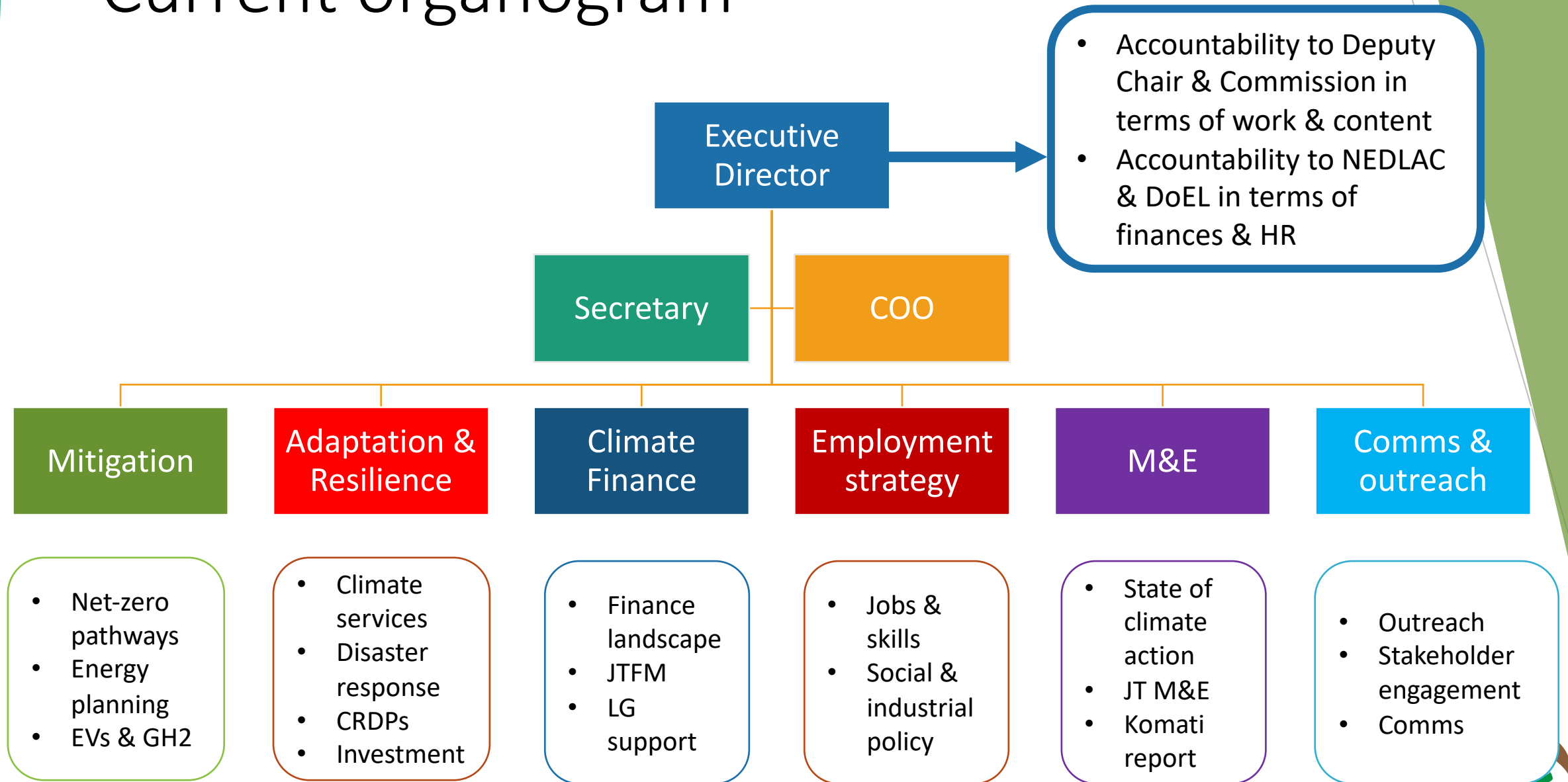


Feasibility study and business case

- PCC has led a process to develop a feasibility study and business case for establishment of PCC as a public entity
 - In compliance with NT requirements for establishment of public entities
 - Steering committee consisting of DFFE, NT, DPSA, DPME and NEDLAC has overseen process
- The study assessed functional requirements for a public entity as per Climate Change Bill, and the required organisational capacities
- Feasibility study and business case to be forwarded to DFFE, who will consider and submit to NT for approval
- Organogram has been considered by Finance and Governance Committee and will be submitted to NEDLAC structures for approval
- A process to migrate staff into permanent posts in new structure will be followed, in line with available finances through MTEF

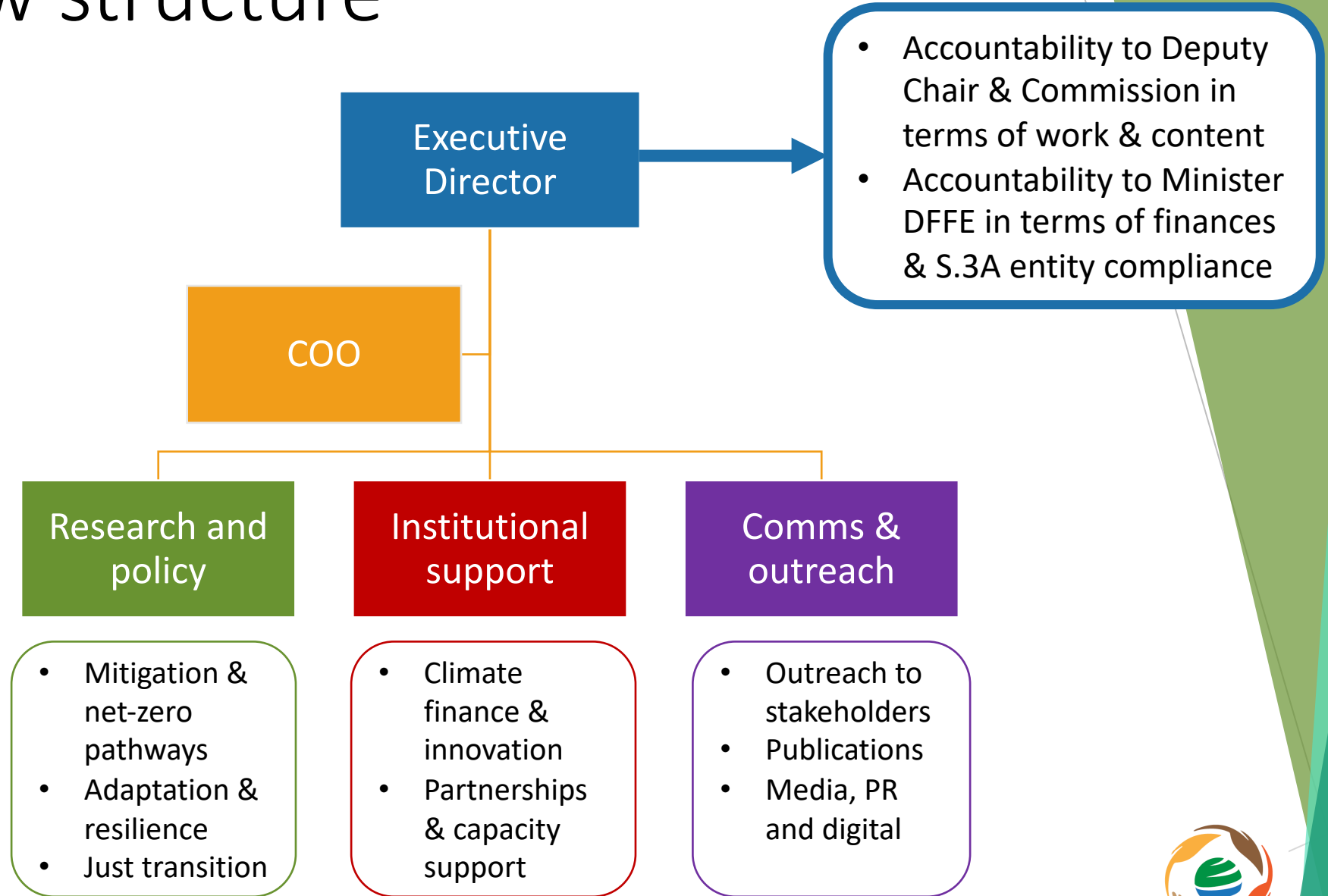


Current organogram



Proposed new structure

- No. of posts reduced from 27 to 24
- ED direct reports reduced from 8 to 4
- Managers on consulting contracts to stay on as advisers
- Staff will be migrated into new structure over course of year



Other governance matters

Annual report

- Annual Review will be submitted to Presidency mid-March
- NEDLAC Annual Report to include PCC activities & audit report

PCC 2024/25 business plan

- 3-year business plan on track in terms of APP deliverables
- 2024/25 targets to be updated based on this meeting

PCC Charter

- Commission to review & confirm existing Charter
- Conduct full review once Climate Change Bill promulgated

Vacancies on Commission

- Awaiting Eskom nomination
- Composition can be reviewed once Climate Change Bill promulgated

Declaration of interests

- Forms for 2024 are outstanding from most Commissioners
- Commission to advise on next steps



PRESIDENTIAL
CLIMATE COMMISSION
TOWARDS A JUST TRANSITION

*Thank you to Commissioners for your continuing support
and to the Secretariat for their dedication and hard work*