

## RISK MITIGATION FOR INCLUSION IN IAR

Risk Catergory	Mitigation Strategy
Information technology and data security: Inadequate information security measures, business continuity risk and loss of data	<ul> <li>Upgrade of IT infrastructure and systems in accordance with findings of internal auditor.</li> <li>Periodic review of IT systems and services of IT service provider.</li> </ul>
People Risk: Key man dependency, inadequate organizational design, and absence of a human resource function.	<ul> <li>Proper implementation of the Company's short-term incentive and long-term incentive schemes to ensure retention of key management staff.</li> <li>The company engaged the services of an external consultant to develop an organizational design.</li> <li>Management arranged a Remuneration Committee workshop to enhance the Board's understanding of the company's remuneration policy.</li> </ul>
Slow growth: Access to capital, high competition for assets, inefficient governance approval processes, prior experience prevents new business	<ul> <li>Establishment of an investor relations function to enable effective management of investor engagements</li> <li>Investor Road shows and earnings announcements to engage investors with the aim of reporting group performance and enabling access to capital</li> <li>Internal Audit function to ensure effective investment processes.</li> </ul>
Asset Management: Insufficient capacity, lack of access to information and appropriate skills and expertise	<ul> <li>Hulisani appoints a board representative (and one alternative director) to each investee company board to hold the investee company management to account</li> <li>Development and implementation of an asset management tool to monitor performance of investee companies with applicable contractual and legislative requirements</li> <li>Active and periodic monitoring of the performance of the power plants</li> </ul>



Rapid Growth: Rapid movement from a small to large entity, increased shareholder uptake, inability to deploy capital secured in the market, change in business model, insufficient resources (Human Capital, Infrastructure, Systems, etc.)	<ul> <li>Establishment of Investment Committee</li> <li>Investment policy to cater for prioritization and shareholder value creation</li> <li>Evaluation of Investment Policy to cater for incentives and reward</li> </ul>
<b>Control environment</b> : Inadequate governance systems, technology not considered in all business areas, ineffective document management systems	<ul> <li>Implementation of a digital legal document management system to ensure compliance with contractual obligations and collation and organization of business agreements into a central repository.</li> <li>Implementation of a process mapping system within the finance function.</li> </ul>
<b>Tax Structuring Efficiency</b> : Restructure of the company's investments (past and future) to optimize tax benefits, where possible.	<ul> <li>Consideration of an alternative structure and accounting for the group.</li> <li>Obtaining tax advice to ensure optimal tax structuring.</li> </ul>
Climate Change: Equipment and plant designs are designed for areas with different climate conditions; impact of global warming on the reliability of resource studies and weather changes may impact on plant operations	<ul> <li>Hulisani appoints a board representative (and one alternative director) to each investee company to monitor environmental impacts on plant operation</li> <li>Implementation of an asset management tool to monitor the performance of the power plants</li> </ul>
Regulatory Uncertainty: Changing regulatory and economic environment; government policy implementation is focused on the short-term	<ul> <li>Active and periodic monitoring of changes to the regulatory framework and its impact on Hulisani</li> <li>Seek opportunities outside of the REIPPP framework</li> </ul>



Financial Reporting: Accuracy of the company's financial reporting	<ul> <li>Implementation of newly mapped and designed processes, to improve controls</li> <li>Continuous professional development through training and annual updates on relevant IFRS and accounting developments.</li> <li>Internal audit function to ensure effectiveness of internal controls.</li> </ul>
<b>COVID 19:</b> Business continuity and continued liquidity should there be interruptions to business continuity	Updated annual budget to make provision for possible business continuity disruptions