

1.1 ICT-E TRANSFORMATION

1.1.1 ICT Charter Codes Promotion

Objective:

To promote and create awareness of the ICT-E Charter Codes.

Output:

1. Public and private sector aware of the requirements of the ICT-E Charter Codes.
2. Members informed of transformational tool.

Activity:

1. ICT-E Charter Codes Publications
2. ICT-E Charter Codes Events

1.1.2 ICT Charter Codes Monitoring and Evaluation

Objective:

To provide a credible BEE verification agency service to companies requiring being BEE.

Output:

1. ICT-E companies being accredited by the principal ICT-E transformation agency.
2. Revenue generated in all provinces.
3. Members participation and benefit in organization activity

Activity:

1. BEE Verification
2. ICT-E Codes Monitoring
3. ICT-E Codes Evaluation

1.2 GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT

1.2.1 Preferential Procurement

Objective:

Define and communicate the problems and possible solutions of preferential procurement implementation to provincial stakeholders and IT SOE's.

Outputs:

1. SITA's legislative requirements communicated i.e.: (SITA is a procurer of services and not a competitor)
2. SITA's objectives promoted i.e.: (all IT procurement is facilitated and managed by SITA and not governmental departments.)
3. SITA services and products procured through technology hubs and SMME clusters.

Activity:

1. BITF Procurement Help Desk
2. BITF SITA Provincial Office

1.2.2 Skills Development

Objective:

To facilitate ICT-E skills development to members based on SAitIS (South African Information Technology Industry Strategy Project) guidelines and methodologies i.e. the following:

- Youth Internship Incentive Programs
- ISETT-SETA Learner ship Programme

Output:

1. Mutually beneficial learner-ship projects partnered with ISETT-SETA
2. Implementation of SAitIS guidelines and methodologies
3. SMME Members CSI achieved through participation in mentorship and internship activities
4. Credible learner ship and mentorship programmes existent within hubs

Activity:

1. Learnership
2. Mentorship
3. Internship

1.2.3 SMME Development

Objective:

To facilitate member ICT-E SMME development through technology/innovation hubs and SAitIS (South African Information Technology Industry Strategy Project) guidelines and methodologies i.r.o the following:

- Black & Woman ICT SMME Skills and Enterprise Development

Output:

1. Member SMME supported by SITA, GITOC/PGITOC and Department of Economic Development (DED).
2. Private sector CSI in SMME development
3. Credible support of SMME's through technology/innovation hubs

Activity:

1. Incubation
2. SMME Mentorship

1.2.4 Enterprise Development

Objective:

To facilitate and support the development of enterprises through technology/innovation hubs and SAitIS (South African Information Technology Industry Strategy Project) guidelines and methodologies i.r.o the following:

1. Technology and Innovation Hub Development
2. ICT Cluster Development
3. ICT Cluster Development Funding and Management Mechanisms

Output:

1. Successful adoption of SAitIS recommendations, guidelines and methodologies in all technology and innovation hubs.
2. SMME clusters grouping BITF SMME enterprises registered and supported by the hub.
3. Existing technology/innovation hub transformed by actively supporting initiatives, constructive dialog and workshops.

Activity:

1. Technology & Innovation Hubs
2. SMME Clusters

1.2.5 Professional Development

Objective:

To provide a platform for member ICT-E professionals and industry leaders to engage with for technology and innovation sharing.

Output:

1. Professional member exposed to industry players.
2. Growth opportunities provided to professional members.

Activity:

1. Technology Sharing
2. Technology Support

1.3 STRONG MEMBERSHIP

1.3.1 Marketing & Promotion

Objective:

To increase membership to the organization by promoting membership benefits.

Output:

1. Members informed of organisations strategies and activities.
2. Members benefiting through organisations alliances and promotions

Activity:

1. Media Membership Benefits
2. Forums Networking
3. ICT-E Public Servant Awards
3. Web-Site Management
4. Newsletter Management
5. Media Advertising

1.3.2 Membership Management

Objective:

Manage member information and services effectively.

Output:

1. Structured and recoverable member information.
2. Services provided according to membership type.

Activity:

1. Membership Type Management
 - Individuals (Professionals, Student, Youth)
 - Enterprise
 - Associate Members
2. Member Database Management
3. Member Communication Management

1.4 STRATEGIC RELATIONSHIPS

1.4.1 Stakeholder Relationships

Objective:

Develop transparent and rewarding relationship with BITF investors.

Output:

1. Financially rewarding relationship.

Activity:

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1.4.2 Shareholder Relationships

Objective:

Develop mutually beneficial relationship with private sector enterprises in support of national technology road mapping.

Output:

1. Support and recognition achieved by technology players

Activity:

1. SAP
2. Microsoft
3. Oracle
4. Novell

1.4.3 Partnership Relationships

Objective:

Develop public sector relationships to ensure public sector transformation, procurement and member benefits are maximized.

Output:

1. BITF recognized as ICT-E transformational agents in support of governments policies.

Activity:

1. BUSA

2. Provincial Government
3. SITA
4. ARRIVIA
5. GITOC
6. ISETT-SETA

1.4.4 Alliance Relationships

Objective:

Obtain support from ICT-E NGO's by forging and strengthening alliance relationships.

Output:

1. Change agents aligned to BITF's objectives

Activity:

1. Black Management Forum (BMF)
2. Information Technology Alliance (ITA)
3. South African Communication Forum (SACF)
4. Computer Society of South Africa (CSSA)

1.4.5 Policy Development

Objective:

Provide a secure and defensible set of parameters and guidelines for the development of governmental policy and legislation in respect of the ICT-E Sector.

Output:

1. Members concerns and requirements tabled at governmental policy development structures.

Activity:

1. Partnership Policy Forums

1.4.6 Strategy Development

Objective:

Ensure that the objectives and programmes of BITF is aligned with government's strategy.

Output:

1. BITF Programmers aligned with governmental transformation and ICT-E programmers
2. Standardized strategy, operations and performance at BITF provincial level.

Activity:

1. Strategy Management
2. Strategy Translation
3. Performance Management