ENERGY AND MINING INDUSTRY

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GROWTH POTENTIAL

The following are some of the projects under the Ministry of Energy and Petroleum; of which

some are complete while others are not.

Kenya Petroleum Technical Assistance Project(KEPTAP)

This is a world bank funded project which became effective in October 2014 to help the

government of Kenya to build capacity to manage the petroleum sector and build long term

sustainable and developing wealth. It is under 3 Ministries; Ministry of Energy and Petroleum,

National Treasury and Industrialisation & Enterprise Development. This project is also to

strengthen upward & downward linkages and private & public sector policies to capitalise on oil

and gas resources.

Coal Plant

Based in Lamu is a coal fired power plant expected to produce 900-1000MW. The project is

supposed to be complete in 2017, and negotiations with several companies are underway; Gulf

Energy, Centum Investment, CHD Power Plant Operation, Sichuan Electric Power and Design &

Consulting Company and Sichuan No.03 Electric Power Construction Company.

Coal development

A 700MW Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Plant is to be set up at Dongo Kundu, in the coastal

region. Procurement of land to establish a by-pass road section along Dongo Kundu is ongoing.

There are also projects to explore coal in the Kilifi and Kwale counties...

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