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## **ABBREVIATIONS AND ACCRONYMS**

**AFREC:** *African Energy Commission*

**AFUR:** *African Forum for Utility Regulators*

**AFSEC:** *African Electrotechnical Standardization Commission*

**AfDB:** *African Development Bank*

**CIGRE:** *International Council on Large Electric Systems*

**WEC:** *World Energy Council*

**COMELEC:** *Magrebian Committee of Electricity*

**EAPP:** *Eastern Africa Power Pools*

**EDM-SA:** *Energy of Mali*

**EEEOA:** *System of West Africa Energy Exchanges*

**ICA:** *Infrastructures Consortium for Africa*

**IHA:** *International Association for Hydroelectric Energy*

**NEPAD:** *the New Partnership for Africa's Development*

**PEAC:** *Central Africa Power Pool*

**SAPP:** *South Africa Power Pool*

**SENELEC:** *National Electricity Utility of Senegal*

**AU:** *African Union*

**UPDEA:** *Union of Producers, Transporters, of Electric power in Africa*

**VRA:** *Volta River Authority*

## ***I- CREATION AND ESTABLISHMENT***

### **PRESENTATION OF UPDEA**

The UPDEA is the Union of producers, Transporters and Distributers of Electric Power in Africa, a non-profit continental organisation that gathers African Power Generation utilities as well as foreign organisations involved in development of the African Power sector.

UPDEA was established in 1970 with its headquarters in Abidjan Côte d'Ivoire.

## ***II- PURPOSE AND VISION OF UPDEA***

The UPDEA was created with the aim of promoting development and integration of the African Power systems through the interconnection of networks, the exchange of experiences and Know-How as well as the pooling of energy resources in a “win-win” approach for all its members.

Since several years, UPDEA has adopted a new vision according to which, UPDEA must henceforth be **the primary catalyst of the realization of access to Electricity for all the peoples of Africa**. Therefore UPDEA has become a development oriented institution working in close collaboration with NEPAD and the African Union as far as the power projects of the continent are concerned.

### ***III- ACTIVITIES OF THE UNION***

In general as a rule, to accomplish its purpose, the Union shall have to perform the following activities, among others:

- a) Encouraging the exchange of information and experience among its members,
- b) Fostering the creation of sub-regional or regional Power Pools with a view to creating an electricity market at continental level in the long run;
- c) Becoming more involved in the realization and development of members projects and activities;
- d) Facilitating and Coordinating exchange between the power Pools of the continent;
- e) Assisting African public organisations to properly define electrification plans and programmes at regional and continental levels;
- f) Serving as a consultant to all African public institutions on the continent on matters relating to electricity etc.

## ***UPDEA STATUTORY ORGANS***

The UPDEA Statutory organs are:

1. The General Assembly
2. The Executive Committee
3. The Scientific Committee
4. The General Secretariat

### **THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

The General Assembly involves all active and affiliate members of the Union. It meets once a year to review and settle the accounts; its decisions are taken in a form of resolutions following favourable recommendations of the Executive Committee. Its President is also the President of the Executive Committee.

We have two General Assembly meetings

1. The Ordinary General Assembly
2. The Extraordinary General Assembly.

### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

The Executive Committee is the managing and supervisory body of all activities of the Union.

It is composed of the 16 members representing the various sub-regions of the continent. Each sub-region has a Vice-President who is chiefly in charge of reviving the Union's activities in own sub-region. The board of the Executive Committee is formed by:

- 1 President
- 5 Vice-Presidents and
- 1 General Comptroller.

The Executive Committee manages the Union.

As such it is entitled to make all the necessary arrangements for the Union, except where the constitution and bylaws require the prior approval of the General Assembly.

The Executive Committee meets for an ordinary session once a year. In the interim, its duties will be performed by the board.

### **SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE**

The Scientific Committee is the technical organ of the Union. It is responsible for analysing the common problems faced by the members and working out the study of specific projects interesting the members or external partners of UPDEA. In addition its responsibility includes preparation of the Union events on scientific aspects. It is organized into Study Committees within which are set up working groups.

### **GENERAL SECRETARIAT**

The General Secretariat is the permanent body in charge of managing the Union. It materialises into schemes and programmes of action, the decisions recommendations and resolutions passed by the Union. It plays the interface between organs of UPDEA, the member utilities and external partners. It is led by a Secretary General.

### **ACQUISITION OF MEMBERSHIP**

All membership applications must be sent to the headquarters of the Union and must include:


- the membership application, signed by a legal representative of the corporate body,
- a copy of its memorandum and articles,
- information relating to turnover
- a copy of the constitution and bylaws of the Union bearing "Read and Accepted".

The membership application is examined by the Executive Committee. Should the application be approved, a temporary admission notice will be issued for ratification by the General Assembly.

However; admission of the applicant will only be effective after payment of the admission fees following its category.

#### Actives Members

Are Active Members, public and private organisations, companies or utilities responsible for generation, Transmission, Distribution, Planning and Development of Power infrastructures in Africa; companies responsible for property management and marketing of Electrical Power in African countries.

 Affiliate Members

Are affiliate members, companies and organisation, whether African or not, whose activities participate in the development of the African Power sector: research and consulting firms, marketing companies of electrical materials, projects designers, system operators, Electricity traders and regulatory bodies.

## **LIST OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS (2008-2011)**

The UPDEA Executive Committee members are divided throughout the five African sub-regions. This list is composed as follows:

### **\*North Africa**

1. EEHC (Egypt)
2. SONELGAZ (Algeria)
3. STEG (Tunisia)

### **\*South Africa**

1. ESKOM (RSA)
2. ZESCO (Zambia)
3. ENE/EDEL (Angola)

### **\*Central Africa**

1. SNEL (DRC)
2. AES-SONEL (Cameroon)
3. SNE (Congo-B)

### **\*West Africa**

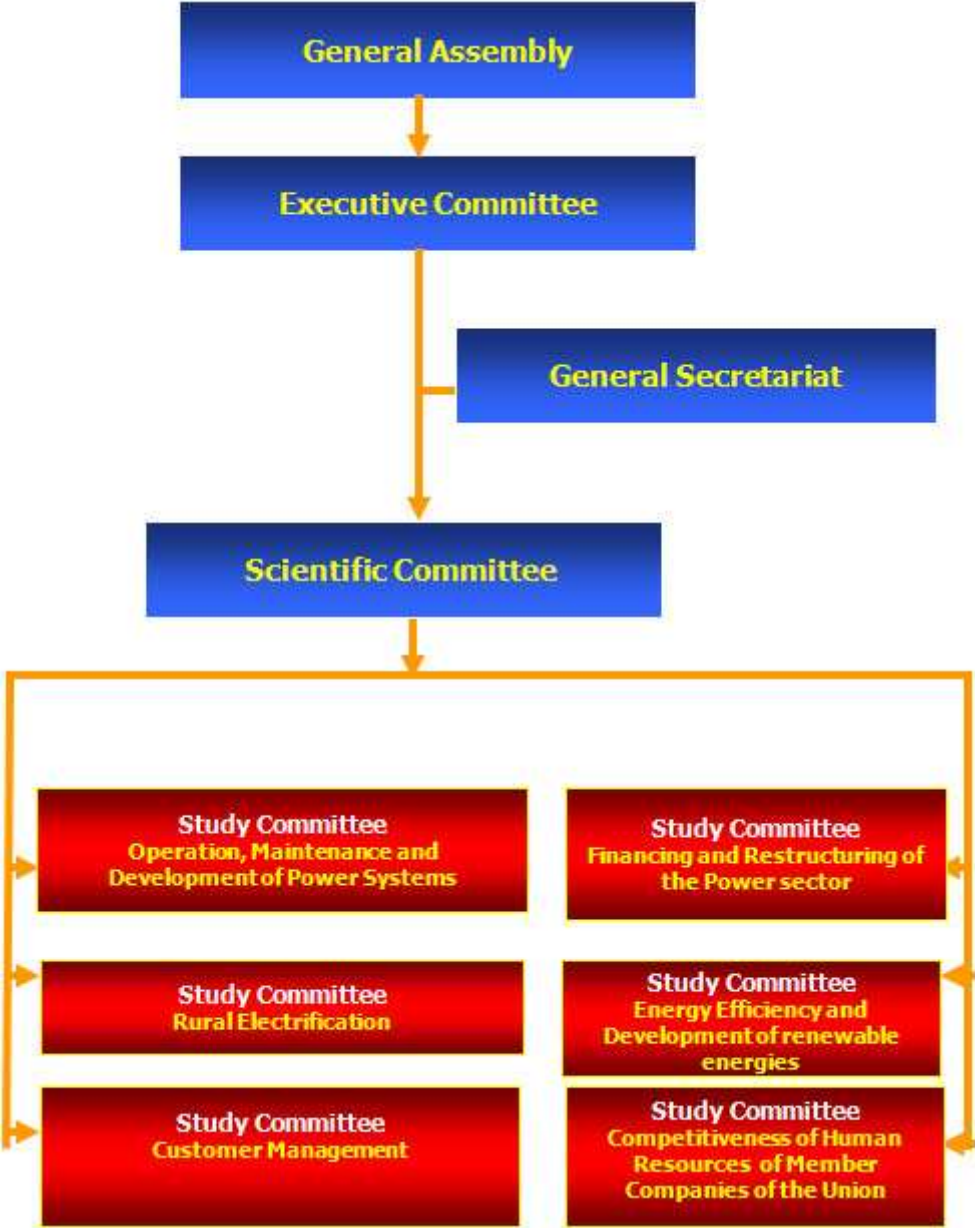
1. PHCN (Nigeria)
2. SOGEPE (Côte d'Ivoire)
3. SONABEL (Burkina Faso)
4. VRA (Ghana)

### **East Africa**

1. KenGen (Kenya)
2. MED (SUDAN)
3. EEPCO (ETHIOPIA)

**ORGANIZATION CHART OF UPDEA**

The UPDEA organisation chart is structured as follows:



## **ACTIVITIES REPORT 2011**

## **INTRODUCTION**

This report is about the activities run by the Secretary General and the other organs of the UPDEA since the 43<sup>rd</sup> Ordinary General Assembly held at Windhoek (Namibia) from 23 -25 November 2010.to November 2011.

The activities run during the fiscal year 2011 were mainly about:

- i- the meetings of the UPDEA
- ii- the coordination of the Forum of regional energy pools
- iii- the contacts with the members
- iv- the relations with the other international organisms

We would like to point out that after the session of the Ordinary General Assembly at Windhoek, the activities of the Secretary General have seriously been disturbed by two major facts: on the one hand by the post election crisis in the host-country

(Cote d'Ivoire), and on the other hand by the events in Tunisia, the host country of the 17<sup>th</sup> Congress (the Union's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary Congress) which preparations were disturbed, although they started so well before the afore mentioned events.

It is Important to stress on the fact that, due to the efforts of the General Secretariat to maintain a reasonable level of activities through the turning missions of sensitization to the members, their contributions to the budget of the Union have improved but there are still some efforts to be made by some of them who were recently wondering about "what profit on investment they have, as members, by making these expenses as contribution, how small they may be"

This is the reason why we have to give all the importance and all the required attention to the draft of Five year Strategic Action Plan. Although we noticed a kind of lack of interest in the participation of some member-companies of the board Committee in charge of that task, a permanent core has carried on with the work and we are sure that from the future implementation of that plan will come the answer to the concerns some colleagues are still worrying about.

The Secretariat appreciates and welcomes the good collaboration it maintains with the active affiliated member-companies and with our partners in the implementation

of its activity programs. Their staunch support to the coming implementation of the plan of actions will certainly enhance the image of the UPDEA.

The program of turning missions to most of the members (discussed with the President) for more sensitization could not correctly take place because of the particularity of this year, but good results have been obtained and these missions are our priority.

At last, we would like to extend our sincere acknowledgements to all the members of the Executive committee, mainly to the member-companies who have supported us not only morally but also materially and financially by granting extra contributions to the General Secretariat to enable it overcome constraints of expenses and the situation of crisis.

## **Chapter 1:** **ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT**

### **1.1 MEETINGS / UPDEA**

#### **a- Executive Committee**

After the events mentioned above, the Executive Committee needed to have an extraordinary meeting on 03 March 2011 in Nairobi (Kenya) to ensure the functioning of the organs of the Union. So during this meeting, the Executive Committee:

- approved the opening of a new bank account at ECOBANK (Lomé) in order to ensure the financial survival of the Union
- decided to open a provisional office of the General Secretariat, with a restricted staff in a neighboring country, i.e. (Ghana), which accepted to offer all the necessary facilities. The VRA (Ghana) at that time took all the necessary measures on that purpose, but following the normalization of the situation in Cote d'Ivoire, the Secretariat was kept in Abidjan
- decided , after consulting the STEG (Tunisia) to change the place and the date of the last meeting of the scientific committee scheduled in Tunis and to choose as potential host of that meeting KenGen (Kenya)
- decided to postpone the 17<sup>th</sup> congress in Tunis initially from May-June, to September-October 2011 and to examine the best conditions of its organization with the STEG.

Nevertheless, the Executive Committee has taken the precaution to retain as alternative hosts of that congress EDEL and ENE (Angola) or ZESCO (Zambia) in case STEG could not host it in September-October 2011.

On 26 August 2011, the Executive Committee conferred again in a call conference and after these consultations it has:

- approved the keeping of the organization of the 17<sup>th</sup> congress in Tunisia but has postpone it to the end of May 2012, including the celebration of UPDEA 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. It urged the Organizing Committee to keep on with the preparations

- decided that after the Nairobi meeting, the board committee in charge of the elaboration of the Strategic Action Plan should hold its next meeting in South Africa with ESKOM as host in order to finalize their works
- approved the organization in November 2011 in Kigali (Rwanda) of an international seminar on the “promotion of rural electrification” and has therefore approved that the 44<sup>th</sup> Ordinary General Assembly meeting initially due to take place in Cameroon be held in Kigali. AES-SONEL found no objection to that change of venue.

But with the cancelation of the seminar, Cameroon has been maintained again to host the Executive Committee and General Assembly meetings.

***b- Scientific committee***

The scientific committee met in Mombasa (Kenya) from 4 to 6 July 2011.

At that meeting the committee has first taken note of the progress status of the works that will be presented at the next congress by the Study Committees. Secondly it has examined the proposals of themes to be dealt with during the 2012- 2014 mandate. Thirdly it has selected the synopsis of the draft papers to be presented at the coming congress.

The scientific committee has also noticed the difficulties faced by the committees and asked for that to the Secretary General to call on the member-companies to be regular in their participation and their representation in the Study-committees.

Also, the colloquium on renewable sources of energy and the energy efficiency, planned to take place in Tripoli in the course of February 2011 could not take place because of problems both in Côte d’Ivoire and in Libya.



UPDEA - 3rd MEETING OF THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE AT WHITESANDS HOTEL  
JULY 4-6 2011 MOMBASA KENYA.

**C committee in charge of the elaboration of the Strategic Actions Plan**

This committee met on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2011 in Mombasa (Kenya). During that meeting the committee followed up its reflections on the implementation of that plan.

It has particularly discussed the issue of strategic orientations and guidance likely to enable the Union to have platforms of discussions between the members on the one hand and between the UPDEA and the African Power sector development partners on the other hand.

In order to finalize these works, and at the request of the Executive Committee, this committee has held another meeting in Yaounde on 25 to 26 November 2011.

**d- Coordination of the Forum of regional Power Pools**

The 6<sup>th</sup> meeting of the African regional energy pools forum took place from 10 to 13 April 2011 in Mombasa (Kenya). In the absence of the Chairperson i.e.

Dr Laurence Musaba (SAPP) the coordinator of the forum, Eng Abel Didier TELLA, Secretary General of UPDEA, chaired the session.

The meeting was opened by Mr Joseph NJOROGE Chairman and Managing Director of KPLC, representative of the Kenyan minister of Energy, absent.

During the sessions and after presentations on the progress status of interconnection project in progress in their various regions by the representatives of regional power pools, the partner institutions such as ICA (infrastructures consortium for Africa), the African standardization Electro-technical Commission AFSEC and the Energy facility of the EU-Africa partnership have renewed their intention to mobilize the resources necessary for the implementation of some interconnection and surveys.

The meeting has also looked onto the methodology and the strategies of reinforcement of the objectives of the forum's plan of actions, the exchange of information and their regular updating at the level of power-pools, power companies and other entities involved, the continuation of the institutionalization of the forum, the issues of the standardization inside the regional pools.

At the end of the meeting, Mr. Jasper Oduor, Executive Secretary of EAPP has been unanimously appointed Chairperson of the forum of regional power pools till the next statutory meeting. AFREC (African Energy Commission) proposed to host the 7th meeting of the forum in Algeria.



Apart from that annual meeting of the forum of Regional Power Pools, the Secretary General provides in his agenda, the participation in the annual meetings of the various regional power pools, if resources are available. Thus, the Secretary General attended WAPP's (EEEEAO) GA in Lomé (Togo) on October 28, 2011 with the CEB and the CEET as hosts.

That meeting gave the General Secretary of the UPDEA the opportunity to be informed of the progress status as regards he implementation of the operational

structures of that Pool and of the projects on the ground. He has also discussed with the Secretary General of WAPP about the elaboration of the SAP of UPDEA. It also gave the secretary General of UPDEA the opportunity to meet and sensitize new Managing Directors and Representatives of the following member-companies : ECG (Ghana), EDG (Guinea) , NIGELEC (Niger) , SBEE (Benin) , SONABEL (Burkina Faso) , CONTOUR GLOBAL (Togo) , EAGB (Guinea Bissau) , LEC (Liberia) NAWEC (The Gambia) and TCN (Nigeria).

## **Chapter 2:**

### **CONTACTS WITH MEMBERS**

Within the framework of preliminary contacts with members, the General Secretary has carried out missions to the following companies:

#### **a- Mission to CEB (Mauritius)**

Taking advantage of his participation in the meeting of the joint group of experts of the European Union/Africa Energy Partnership, the General Secretary paid a visit to the Mauritian company-Central Electricity Board (CEB) on Friday, 18 March 2011.

During that meeting, the Managing Director of the CEB gave the General Secretary a round-up of the history of their activities during recent years, and of the numerous changes and instabilities they have undergone, and which have shaken their will to be as active in the Union as in the past.

From the Assistant Managing Director, who has the advantage of having worked very closely with the first two general secretaries of the Union, Messrs Chevreau Montlehu de Montlehu and Labat, the General Secretary took news about the health of these two Mauritian personalities who have worked hard for the settlement of the Union and also about other Mauritian colleagues who worked at the IEEC in Côte d'Ivoire

Finally, as agreed with the President, a special invitation to the next Congress has been addressed in first to the authorities of the CEB.

The General Secretary is keeping contact with the Deputy Managing Director for that purpose.



The Secretary General with the Deputy MD of CEB) Mauritius Mr.

#### **b-. Participation in the events of the Fifteenth anniversary of the VRA (Ghana)**

In the framework of the events ending the celebration of the fifteenth anniversary of the VRA, a symposium was held on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup>, April 2011 at the Doctors and Surgeons Institution in Accra on the theme: "improvement of the access to electricity in Africa: challenge and opportunities"

At that important event chaired by the Ghanaian Minister of Mines and Energy, the UPDEA was represented by his President, Mr. EDWARD NJOROGÉ, who gave a paper on the financing of the Energy sector and the Kenyan experience in the mobilization of private financing, also the Secretary General lectured the audience on the "vision and the strategy of UPDEA for the development and the cooperation between Regional Energy Pools in Africa".

This participation has been highly appreciated and helped to enhance the image of the member-company by stressing on his historical and leading role in the African electricity sector.

The UPDEA delegation met and discussed with all the former chairmen and Managing Directors of the VRA who had been, for some of them, at posts of responsibilities in the Union.

The events, which involved the participation of many responsables of African institutions, ended with a celebration presided by the Vice-President of Ghana.

### **c- Mission to STEG (Tunisia)**

This mission which took place from 23 to 27 May 2011 helped us have contact with the new chairman and Managing Director of the STEG as 1<sup>st</sup> vice- president of the union for a brief discussion on the activities of the UPDEA. It has also, permitted to exchange on the issues linked to the 17<sup>th</sup> congress organization. This is how he proposed to hold this congress on 28 to 31 May 2012 in Hammamet.

The chairman and Managing Director of STEG re-affirmed his commitment to fully take his responsibilities and follow up as his predecessor did for the strengthening of the Union's public image.

***d- Mission to the ONE (Morocco)***

The mission to ONE which took place from 12 to 15 June 2011 aimed at visiting the high management of that member- company to inform them about the activities of the UPDEA, and require a more active participation to those activities and ask about the evolution of institutional reforms in progress in that member company. From exchanges carried out and visits done, it is clear that the ONE has a lot to share with the other member companies to boost south-south cooperation, especially as to rural electrification, multidisciplinary training and of the development of hydroelectric plants.

ONE has expressed its will to see these partnerships take quickly concretely place and promised to back up the Secretary General of the UPDEA in the execution of its urgent projects for a better spreading of UPDEA.

***e- Mission to EWSA(Rwanda)***

The Secretary General of UPDEA had a work session with the Energy, Water and Sanitation (EWSA), the substitute of ELECTROGAZ.

This visit enabled the General Secretary to introduce to the Management of EWSA the main outlines of the strategic action Plan of the union which expected to be the angular stone of its members' development.

EWSA and UPDEA have convened, on that occasion, to work together so that Rwanda's experience in terms mastering of power distribution management through prepaid meter and rural electrification planning could be more effective and extensive within the Union.

It's in this framework that it has been decided to organize in the course of October-November 2011, in partnership with STEG a seminar on "the development of rural electrification by the south- south cooperation : the Tuniso-Rwandan pattern".

That working session finally led the new company EWSA to discharge all its financial obligations towards the Union (2010 arrears and 2011 contribution).

### ***f- Contacts with SENELEC***

After the demonstrations against the electricity cuts in Senegal which caused serious damage to the facilities and equipment of our member-company the SENELEC, the General Secretary had a working session with the high Management of SENELEC on Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> August 2011.

The Secretary General has reassured the Managing Director of SENELEC of the entire availability of UPDEA to give its moral and technical support in the crisis management and he has learned about the proposed solutions and those already implemented to overcome over the difficulties SENELEC has been facing for some years now.

From interesting exchanges it results that the new plan aimed to end the crisis suggested by the high authorities of the country is perfectly in accordance with the suggestions discussed by the Secretary General of the UPDEA and the General Management of SENELEC who was delighted to know that they can now benefit from the experience of the other member-companies who have faced and solved these difficulties, at a convenient moment.

### ***g- Contacts with the power sector of Mali***

There have been missions from 15 to 18 August 2011 to EDM-SA, SOGEM, CREE and AMADER in Mali.

The objective was to encourage the participation and the contribution of these companies in the activities of the union. After these exchanges on the union's activities, these companies:

- committed themselves to take their place in the union and pay their contributions. They are up to date with their contributions except CREE (Regulator)
- were pleased about the ongoing elaboration of Strategic Actions Plan of the Union which defines in particular the position of the UPDEA towards the power-pools.
- recommended that the UPDEA constantly changes its orientations to adapt them to the evolution of our sector environment.

### **h- Mission to the SNEL**

At the invitation of SNEL (RD Congo) the Secretary General took part in the meeting held on 12 to 13 October in Kinshasa on “the presentation of the provisional report of prefeasibility and relating to the different aspects of the Inga site.

### **Chapter 3:**

### **RELATIONS WITH THE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

#### **a- Cooperation with the African forum of utilities regulators**

The Secretary General of the UPDEA participated in the workshop organized by the AFUR from 28 February to 4 March 2011 in Nairobi (Kenya), on” the comparison of level and structure electricity tariffs and supply costs”.

The general objective targeted by this workshop was to develop electricity exchange between African countries.

#### **b- Cooperation with IHA( international hydroelectric energy association) and the Ethiopian Ministry of water and energy**

The secretary general of UPDEA has participated in the conference “hydroelectric energy for a sustained development 2011” in Addis-Ababa (Ethiopia) on 31 March and 1<sup>st</sup> April 2011.

The objective of the conference was to share the experiences all over the world in the use of hydroelectric energy in order to ensure a lasting development and elaborate recommendations for the development and the exploitation of the huge hydroelectric potentialities existing in Ethiopia and in African countries for a lasting development locally, regionally and continentally. The conference had 4 main themes elaborated in plenary:

- Africa’s potential in renewable energy and the development of hydroelectric energy in Ethiopia
- regional cooperation for water and energy
- the lasting and good practices
- Finances & investment.

**c- Cooperation with Infrastructures Consortium for Africa (ICA)**

The ICA has organized its general Assembly from 16 to 18 May 2011 in Paris. The Secretary General took part in that meeting which re-asserted that for effective implementation of development programmes, it is necessary to have:

- coherence around priority schemes
- a mechanism of local financing of the infrastructures
- data base managed by the countries or by the specialized institutions
- a clear African position allowing African to the G20

**d- Cooperation with the African Development Bank**

At the invitation of the African Development Bank, the Secretary General of UPDEA has participated in the consultative workshop organized from 16 to 17 August 2011 in Dakar on the operational policy of the bank. The workshop aimed at consulting the involved parties of central, north and West Africa on its policies, namely: (1) the policies of dissemination and of accessibility to information, (2) policy on operations of the programmatic support (3) and on the Bank policy for the energy sector.

In the implementation of the surveys of the PIDA (Programme of infrastructures for development of Africa), the ADB , in collaboration with the commission of the African Union (AU), the Executive Secretary of the NEPAD and the ECOWAS, has also organized a regional workshop in Abuja (Nigeria), the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> October 2011 in which the UPDEA took part.

The objective of the workshop was the review, of the report containing:

- the provisional report on the sector based perspectives in Africa at the horizon 2040
- the provisional report on the scope of the strategy and policy framework
- the provisional report on the programme of infrastructures development
- the provisional report on the strategies and procedures of implementation

The importance of these workshops which will be also organized in other regions of Africa related to the need for more involvement of the regional economical communities and their member states in the process of priority of projects by priority.



**e. Relations with the institutions of the host country of the General Secretariat: Côte D'ivoire**

Upon invitation of the Minister of Mines , Energy and Oil of the new government of Cote d'Ivoire , the Secretary General has participated in the STRATEGIC PLAN SEMINAR, organized on 9 and 10 June 2011 in Yamoussoukro on the theme :”Mines and Energy ;which prospects for the next 20 years?”

In fact, to help not only the for the new start of Cote d'Ivoire but also to make it a regional leader, the program of the government of Cote d'Ivoire provides, in the field of mine hydrocarbons and Energy:

- i- to substantially intensify the exploitation of our mining, gas and oil resources in order to make these sub-sectors real industrial bases
- ii- to have appropriate quantity of available energy, of good quality and at a reasonable cost in order to speed up the social and economical development of the populations
- iii- to develop quality human resources, adapted to the industrial requirements of these sectors.

For that, a multi-sector strategic committee is set up and is in charge of carrying out reflections in order to identify the conditions and actions to be promoted, that can back up the development policy of the next 20 years.

For that purpose, the Minister of Mines and Energy found it appropriated to organize a seminar and at the opening of that seminar, the Secretary General gave a keynote paper on the theme: West African Market of Energy, Diagnostic-Stakes and Prospects.



The Secretary General with General Manager of SOPIE MM. KOUAME Valentin and General Manager of ANARE ASSI BENIE.

***f- Relationship with club ER (Associations of Agencies and entities in charge of rural Electrification in Africa***

The General Secretariat of the UPDEA participated in the 8<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the club of Agencies and structures in charge of rural electrification in Africa which took place from 28 September to 2 October 2011 in Brazzaville (Congo).

The works were on:

- presentation of thematic documents published by the club (rural electrification on the period 2008-2010)
- programming of activities for the period 2011-2013
- public-private partnership for rural electrification.

The representative of the UPDEA has, at that meeting presented a paper on the theme: "initiatives of the UPDEA for the complete electrification of the African continent".

The representative of the UPDEA has seized the opportunity to meet with the authorities of the Congolese power sector and the PEAC.