

PRESENTATION TO THE PORTFOLIO COMMITTEE ON TRADE & INDUSTRY

NON-PROLIFERATION OF WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION

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ABBREVIATIONS

- BTWC** Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on their Destruction (Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention)
- BWWC** Biological Weapons Working Committee
- CC** Non-Proliferation Control Committee
- CGS** Council for Geosciences
- CTBTO** Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organisation
- CWC** Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction (Chemical Weapons Convention)
- CWWC** Chemical Weapons Working Committee
- DCAC** Directorate of Conventional Arms Control
- DIRCO** Department of International Relations and Cooperation

ABBREVIATIONS

DI	Defence Intelligence
MTCR	Missile Technology Control Regime
NCACC	National Conventional Arms Control Committee
NECSA	South African Nuclear Energy Corporation
SSA	State Security Agency
NMDUC	Nuclear and Missile Dual-Use Committee
NPRC	Non-Proliferation Review Committee
NPS	Non-Proliferation Secretariat
NSG	Nuclear Suppliers Group
OPCW	Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons
PMC	Programme Management Committee
DoE	Department of Energy
SANDF	South African National Defence Force

POLICY



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POLICY

- Promoting international peace and security;
- Implementing non-proliferation and arms control policy and be an active participant in non-proliferation regimes and suppliers groups;
- Developing countries to obtain access to the advanced technologies;
- South Africa's best interest be served in civil and peaceful applications;
- Continue to become a member of all non-proliferation regimes and suppliers groups



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MISSION



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MISSION

- Protect the interests of the State;
- Fulfill the obligations in accordance with the non-proliferation policy;
- Meet international undertakings



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INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS



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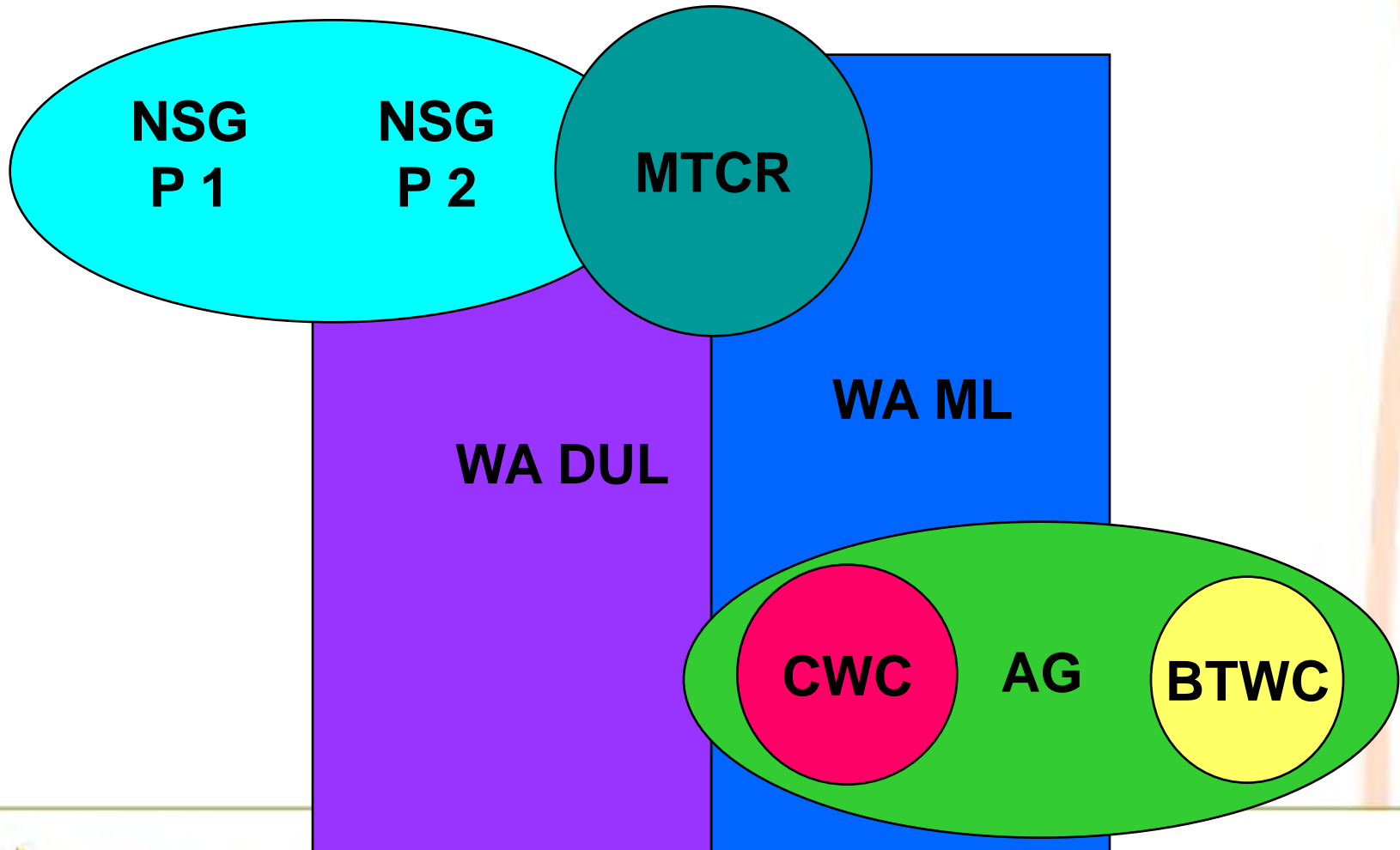
- Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons
- Nuclear Suppliers Group
- Chemical Weapons Convention
- Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention
- Missile Technology Control Regime
- Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty
- Wassenaar Arrangement



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LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK



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LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK

The Non-Proliferation of Weapons of Mass Destruction Act, 1993 (Act No. 87 of 1993)

- Act provides for:
 - Establishment of the Non-Proliferation Council
 - Support by the Department of Trade and Industry
 - Appointment of inspectors
 - Seizure of goods



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LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK

- Act provides for (continued):
 - Registration
 - Controlled goods
 - Regulations
 - Confidentiality
 - Annual Reporting
 - Offences and penalties
 - Treaties, conventions and regimes



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LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK

Government Notices and Regulations

- Government Notices promulgated on 3 February 2010 were updated on 18 February 2015
- Registration Regulation
 - Government Notice No. R.16 of 3 February 2010
- Chemical Regulation
 - Government Notice No. 17 of 3 February 2010



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LEGISLATIVE FRAMEWORK

- Chemical Controlled goods:
 - Government Notice No. 18
- Biological controlled goods:
 - Government Notice No. 19
- Nuclear Dual – Use controlled goods:
 - Government Notice No. 20
 - Government Notice No. 21
- Missile delivery systems controlled goods:
 - Government Notice No. 22



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COUNCIL COMPOSITION



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COUNCIL COMPOSITION

- Chairperson
- Vice Chairperson
- Department of International Relations and Cooperation
- Department of Defence
- South African Nuclear Energy Corporation
- Department of Trade and Industry
- Industry (chemical, biological, nuclear and aerospace)
- Additional members (Department of Energy, State Security Agency)



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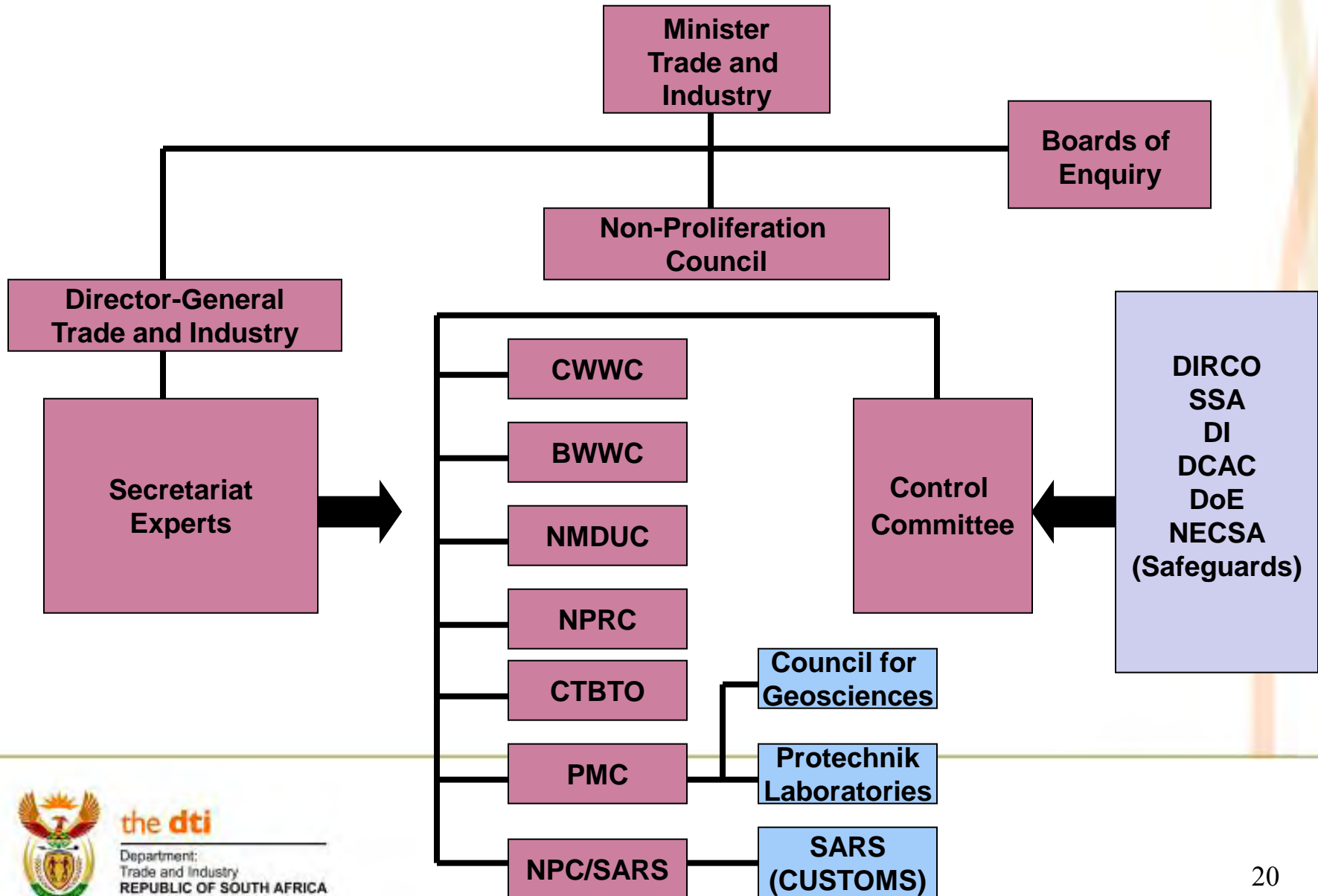
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ACHIEVEMENTS



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ACHIEVEMENTS

- The NPC successfully accomplished its objective;
- A permit system was maintained to enable trade of controlled goods;
- Outreach activities to industry increased;
- Capacity building in Africa



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