

AHC Committee working groups March 2020

Policy Advisory Committee

WG1: EXPORT MARKETS

Tasks

1. Work with government(s) to develop an international certification scheme that verifies and tracks:
 - Production technology
 - Carbon emissions associated with production (scope 1 and scope 2)
 - Production location.
2. Support government work with bilateral partners to promote trade and investment in hydrogen.

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WG2: ENERGY REGULATORY/MARKET REFORM

Tasks

1. Develop a view and advocate on possible changes to energy regulation and markets to support a merged gas and electricity objective (NECF) and flow on regulations/rules.
2. Support ENA and APGA in all gas actions, including:
 - Input to the review on clean hydrogen in gas networks by the end of 2020.
 - Policy for gas networks and markets to allow widespread blending, and later sole use of hydrogen.

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WG3: SOCIAL LICENCE

Tasks

1. Lead and design industry undertakings to guide the development of Australia's hydrogen industry.
2. Support government work to develop a community education program to provide clear and accessible information about risks, benefits and safe use.
3. Support government work to consider the role of hydrogen in supporting Australian energy security by 2025.

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Infrastructure Committee

WG4: FUNDING INFRASTRUCTURE		
Tasks		
1. Identify infrastructure investment amounts and best options to get to scale. 2. Map out jurisdictional funding arrangements for larger projects to advocate for coordination and potentially as repository for members. 3. Map out funding application processes for hub projects in order to advocate for harmonisation. 4. Input to PAC on necessary government funding both for, and potentially post, ARENA.		
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WG5: SUPPORTING FCEVs		
Task		
Develop preferences for refuelling station network options to advocate to governments on stations, fleet contracts and station access.		
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WG6: INFORMATION SHARING - LESSONS LEARNED		
Task		
Scope out lessons learned document/project and assess value to members of proceeding.		
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Technical Committee

WG7: ME-093		
Task		
Support Australia's participation in ME-093 project through participating in relevant technical committee, and initiate process of standards adoption.		
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WG8: GOVERNMENT REGULATORY POLICY DEVELOPMENT

Tasks

1. Provide input into governments' assessment and development of hydrogen-related regulations, codes and standards.
2. Provide input to governments' understanding of 'hydrogen-ready' capabilities for planning and regulatory approvals.

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WG9: SKILLS AND TRAINING

Tasks

1. Work with the Australian Industry and Skills Committee on hydrogen-related reviews and updates of training packages.
2. Provide input to state and territory governments on a system of automatic mutual recognition across jurisdictions for hydrogen-related occupations under equivalent occupational licenses or registration.
3. Work with the South Australian Government on nationally consistent training materials and guidelines for procedures to do with the production, handling, transport and use of hydrogen.
4. Work with regulators to ensure they have adequate understanding of hydrogen infrastructure, projects and technologies.
5. Support and input into establishment of a certification system for gas fitters (or similar) to be validated for working on hydrogen.

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WG10: VEHICLE STANDARDS

Task

Support and input into Federal Government activity to incorporate European standards into local ADRs and Australian-specific vehicle requirements (such as emissions labels, onboard H2 storage inspection/re-testing).

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