



The National Cleantech Innovation Challenge: WESTERN CAPE

Renewable Energy Hybrid Challenge

FAQS / TERMINOLOGY

What is the focus of this Challenge?

Developing innovative, locally viable solutions for renewable energy generation, storage, and efficient transmission.

What technologies are eligible?

Solar PV, wind, green hydrogen, microgrids, water-energy integration, and smart grid solutions.

What stage must innovations be?

Proof of concept to early commercialisation (Technology Readiness Level 5–8).

What support will be provided?

Selected applicants receive funding, mentorship, technical validation, and access to pilot opportunities through the NCIC and Start-Up Culture ecosystem.

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