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APPROVAL OF THE NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY (NDS) 2025-2044



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Resolution No. 16/2025, of May 12, approving the National Development Strategy 2025-2044 (hereinafter referred to as "ENDE"), was approved on April 24, 2025, and came into effect on the date of its publication.

The elaboration of the ENDE was guided by the legal framework, which includes the SISTAFE Law (Law No. 14/2020 of December 23rd and the Decree No. 26/2021), the Decentralization Package (Lei n.º 4/2019, de 31 de Maio) and the Sovereign Fund Law of Mozambique (Law No. 1/024).

The ENDE aims to outline how Mozambique's economic, technological, social and environmental future will be shaped, based on harnessing internal potential, the structural transformation of the economy, the promotion of the inclusion and social progress and ensuring environmental sustainability.

ENDE adopts a development model that reconciles the economic growth, social well-being and environmental preservation and sets ambitious goals by 2044, namely:

- The sustainable economic growth, with an increase in annual GDP from 1.6% in 2024 to 9.2% by 2044.
- Reduction of social inequalities, aiming to lower the poverty rate from 65% to 27.9%.
- Improvement in quality of life through the expanded access to basic social services such as healthcare, energy, clean water, and sanitation, while also promoting biodiversity protection and the sustainable use of natural resources.

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• **Regarding The Technology Sector:**

As key drivers to the expansion of connectivity and technology, the ENDE places emphasis on the investment in digital infrastructure, the promotion of education in Information and Communication Technologies (ICT), and the digitalization of public services. This aims to develop sectors such as e-commerce, fintech, and digital services, thereby fostering sustainable and inclusive growth.

When it comes to commerce, there are existing methods that look to facilitate exports, strengthen distribution networks, and support the digitalization of commerce, which in turn will ease the marketing of products both in national and international markets.

The strategy also foresees the policies and regulatory frameworks to ensure the protection of intellectual property and cybersecurity, the use of advanced and digital technologies, and the implementation of integrated information and communication technology systems to optimize and automate processes, enhancing efficiency, reducing costs, and accelerating digital transformation.



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