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What is Zimbabwe's potential for wind power?

Wind Power: Although still in its infancy, wind power has potential in regions like Plumtree and Matobo Hills. The Plumtree Wind Farm (10 MW) and Matobo Hills Wind Farm (20 MW) showcase Zimbabwe's intent to harness its wind energy resources, aiming for a capacity of 1,000 MW by 2030, as projected by the Wind Industry Association.

Why did Zimbabwe stop a wind energy feasibility study?

This came after the Zimbabwe Energy Regulatory Authority halted a wind energy feasibility study in 2018 due to private companies' bids exceeding the estimated budget. The government's aim, set out under the Zimbabwe National Renewable Energy Policy, is to produce 1.1GW of renewable energy by 2025, making up 16.5% of overall capacity.

Will Zimbabwe's wind farm be affected by environmental impacts?

The wind farm is likely to be subject to an environmental impact assessment by the Environmental Management Agency to ensure its construction does not damage flora and fauna. The NGO Sustainable Energy for All said that while Zimbabwe has huge renewable energy resource potential, it is currently being constrained by dire economic circumstances.

Is Zimbabwe mobilising funds for a wind energy assessment?

Zimbabwe is mobilising funds to undertake an assessment on possible sites for wind energy plants in the Southern African country, a report in the weekly Sunday Mail said.

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