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Office of Data Protection Commissioner to expand services to counties

BY GEORGE KAIGA (KNA)
The Office of the Data Protection Commissioner (ODPC) will soon roll out its services in counties in order to take services closer to the people as it seeks to enhance

greater awareness of the provisions of the Data Protection Act, 2019. According to the Deputy Data Director, Oscar Otieno, ODPC will devolve its services to Mombasa, Nakuru and Kisumu cit-

ies by end of this June with Eldoret, Garrissa and Nyeri-Huduma Centres expected to host their services in the first half of the financial year. "Under our three-year strategic plan, we intend to

roll out our services to all the counties," he added. The Data Protection Act, 2019 has the mandate to provide subjects with rights and remedies to protect their personal data from processing that is not in ac-

cordance with the Act. The ODPC also has the mandate of registering data controllers and data processors, receiving complaints from data subjects, investigating violations of the Data Protection Act and

carrying out public education on the right to privacy among other activities. According to Mr Otieno, the ODPC has only registered 2,305 data controllers

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FINANCE

Technical officers to be trained ahead of inclusion of procurement in IFMIS

According to Mr. Leonard Ngaluma, the Director for Administration in the Office of the Deputy President, the training is part of state efforts to digitize all services and enhance service delivery for all

BY IRENE AGUM (PCO)
The Government will train technical officers with the aim of integrating the procurement and asset management functions within the Integrated Financial Management Information System (IFMIS) to enhance efficiency. According to Mr. Leonard Ngaluma, the Director for Administration in the Office of the Deputy President, the

training is part of government efforts to digitize all services and enhance service delivery for all. Naluma was speaking during the launch of the IFMIS Inventory Module Training for ICT, accounts, finance, audit and supply chain officers from the Executive Office of the President in Athi River. "The business process re-engineering to be implemented countrywide, will

see the procurement module incorporated within IFMIS, thereby fastening the procurement process and effectively addressing and eliminating the headache associated with the recurrent pending bills for government in every financial year," he said. Ngaluma pointed out that the improved system which is aligned to the Public Finance Management (PFM) Act, 2012 will see effective

management of inventory while reducing government vulnerability to accusations of mismanagement. "The Government has continued to take a beating as its systems have remained manual, effectively facilitating corruption. Previous efforts at addressing this vulnerability in the procurement system have seen many officers sus-

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300

Youths from Taveta Sub-County who have benefitted from the Global Youth Mobilization project

50m

Amount of money LAPSET Corridor Development Authority has set aside for scholarships to enable youths acquire technical skills

1974

The year West Kano Irrigation Scheme in Kisumu County was established

52

Number of Jitume Digital Labs the government has so far deployed all over the country

20,000

Total number of tobacco farmers in Migori county currently persuaded to switch to safer crops

60,000

Sanitary towel that Kilifi county and its partners have distributed to vulnerable girls



President William Ruto (centre) during the official opening of the Second Session of the United Nations Habitat Assembly, UN Complex, Nairobi.
Photo: PCS.

Officers to be trained ahead of integration of procurement in IFMIS

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pending without adequately addressing systemic challenges," he said.

He disclosed that government processes incorporated in the IFMIS structure include planning, budgeting, accounting, financial reporting and audit.

"It is anticipated that once all officers are trained on automation of the procurement, assets and inventory modules, the entire IFMIS structure will be completed," the administrator said.

Ngaluma observed that the introduction of the iSupplier, iProcurement and inventory web-based systems will facilitate efficient and effective execution of all financial management processes for the government thereby eliminating risks, enhancing security and financial controls in all service areas including

providing inter-connectivity of county government units.

"The re-modified IFMIS will enhance transparency in tracking delivery of goods and tracking payment status for suppliers through the self-service processes. It will also be able to create invoices and initiate delivery while automating the goods inspection process," he said.

Ngaluma noted that the invoice tracking solution is an enhancement of the iSupplier portal that seeks to improve transparency and information flow to suppliers.

It is projected to enable timely disbursements to MDAs while reducing idle cash balances

He further said, a digital channel will be embedded in the system to allow suppliers query the status of the payments, deliveries and validating their purchase orders through SMS or USSD.

He said the improved system will see the development of timed projections in line with approved annual budgets while identifying gaps in cash resources early enough to allow for short term borrowing.

"It is projected to enable timely disbursements to MDAs while reducing idle cash balances in the MDAs' bank accounts," he said.

Ngaluma commended the National Treasury for identifying the gaps that challenge proper implementation of IFMIS, reiterating that officers are committed to the success of the program expected to go live from 1st July 2023.

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and processors against the tens of thousands of others yet to register, saying failure to adhere to the Data Protection Act will attract sanctions.

"We expect compliance from all data controllers and processors and who must carry out data protection impact assessment (DPIA)," he added.

Both Kenyan businesses and individuals are increasingly having to contend with emerging online threats with Naivas Supermarket and Kabarak University having been the latest victims of cybercriminals.

Mr Otieno made the remarks in Kitale, Trans Nzoia County, where the commission held an awareness outreach programme to over 100 data controllers and processors drawn from both public and private sectors.

He said so far, the commission has received 2,831 complaints, with 922 admitted but 1,895 of the



Data Protection Commissioner Immaculate Kassait (FILE)

missioner Gideon Oyagi, said, increased collection of data by both government and private entities has fueled threats to personal data by predators.

He raised concern that some agencies involved in data collection were misusing members' data, hence the need to strengthen privacy mechanisms through the Data Protection Act.

"Some agencies were misusing members' data and we have witnessed increased cases of cybercrime, characterized by blackmail, hacking of Facebook or emails," he added.

Those sensitized on the Data Protection Act, 2019 included youth leaders, officials of bodaboda operators, religious leaders, banks' representatives, both national and county officials, among others.

ODPC has launched a countrywide awareness campaign that seeks to inform members of their rights to data protection.

cases declined under preliminary review for not meeting the threshold.

"ODPC, under the Act encourages self-regulations and settlement of disputes by way of Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) either through facilitation, conciliation, mediation or negotiation as opposed to court processes," he added.

Speaking at the forum, Kwanza Deputy County Commissioner Benedict Munyoki, who represented the County Com-



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USAID Dumisha Afya invites applications from suitably qualified candidates for the following vacant positions which will be based at the Project Headquarters in Bungoma County.

No.	Position	Job Grade	No. of positions	Program
1.	Senior Data Manager	RS 13	1	USAID Dumisha Afya
2.	Senior Procurement Officer I	RS 12	1	USAID Dumisha Afya
3.	Procurement Officer II	RS 9	1	USAID Dumisha Afya
4.	HSS- Health Financing Officer	RS 11	1	USAID Dumisha Afya

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Candidates who meet these requirements and are interested should submit their applications, copies of certificates together with detailed Curriculum Vitae giving details of their current remuneration on or before **07th July, 2023 at 5:00pm** to the email address below:


Applications be sent to recruitment@usaiddumishaafya.or.ke.

Only e-mail applications are accepted.

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Please note only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.





MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT

STATE DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT

ADDENDUM NO 2

THE DAIRY INDUSTRY ACT CAP 336 LAWS OF KENYA

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT DAIRY INDUSTRY BILL, 2023

The ministry wishes to inform all stakeholders to kindly note the clarification on the dates section of the public participation event advertised in My Gov Publication via The Star News Paper of Tuesday 2nd May 2023.

Stakeholders are hereby advised to note the following changes:

No	Date	Location	Venue	Time
1	Thursday 22 nd June 2023	Nairobi National Validation	Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development, Ngara	10.00 am

All other details remain unchanged.

The Government of Kenya through the Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development, invites all stakeholders to participate in the National Validation. The following documents to facilitate discussions and enable stakeholder's feedback are available and can be accessed through the Ministry (www.kilimo.go.ke) or Board's website (www.kdb.go.ke).

- 1) **Draft Dairy Industry Bill, 2023**
- 2) **Public Comments/ Feedback form**

Duly filled comments/Feedback Forms may also be submitted back via the following emails;


- 1) directorpolicy@kilimo.go.ke
- 2) dairybill@kdb.co.ke

Or sent by ordinary mail to;

**The Principal Secretary,
State Department for Livestock Development,
Cathedral Road,
Kilimo House,
P O Box 34188-00100,
NAIROBI**

**OR
The Managing Director
Kenya Dairy Board
NSSF Building, Block A
Eastern Wing, Bishop's Road,
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**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
STATE DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT**



Jitume Digital Labs to equip 1m learners with market-ready skills, says CS Owalo

BYEVALYNEGITHINJI (PCO)

The Government will equip one million learners with market-ready business and ICT-related courses for free and offer lucrative digital jobs through the Jitume Digital Labs Programme.

The Cabinet Secretary for Information, Communications and the Digital Economy Eliud Owalo said, 52 Jitume Digital Labs have so far been deployed all over the country, while another 49 Labs are ready to receive equipment in order to offer services to digital learners.

The CS added that the digital angle of the Jitume-Programme has been designed to equip Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVETs) countrywide with 23,000 virtual desktops.

The CS was speaking during the launch of Jitume Digital Labs in Runyenjes Technical and Vocational College in Embu and Jeremiah Nyagah Technical Institute in Mbeere where each institution received 100 virtual desktops.



Ministry of Information, Communications and the Digital Economy Cabinet Secretary Mr. Eliud Owalo (centre) flanked by ICT and Digital Economy Principal Secretary Eng. John Tanui (left) and Embu Governor Cecily Mbarire (right) during the launch of Jitume Digital Lab at Jeremiah Nyagah Technical Institute.

Consequently, Owalo urged youths to fully utilize the Jitume Digital Labs to acquire digital skills and get jobs which are abundant in the digital space.

“I want to appeal to the students and the youth in

general, to take this digitalization agenda seriously.

“The digital skilling thematic area and digital transformation agenda is a game changer. We no longer have the white collar jobs like we used to have before. What

we have today are the digital jobs in the digital space, where you can earn as you learn,” he said.

The CS revealed that the government is ready to link skilled digital learners with global companies, “to en-

gage your services based on your skills, competencies and capabilities so that you are able to get digital jobs.”

MrOwalo said the primary objective of the Jitume Digital Labs is to train a public workforce that spawns efficient and effective service delivery in different areas of specialization.

He opined that his ministry has established and operationalized 240 smart village hubs, in collaboration with government partners.

The CS further noted that the government intends to establish 1,450 digital village smart hubs in the electoral Wards.

The CS was accompanied by ICT and Digital Economy Principal Secretary Eng. John Tanui who said Kenya is ready to compete for digital jobs globally.

Embu Governor Ms. Cecily Mbarire was also present and encouraged the students to utilize the digital space to market their innovative products, skills and talents.

Media urged to unite for robust laws, press freedom

BY JULIE OTIENO (MCK)

The Media Council of Kenya (MCK) has called for enhanced collaborations between media stakeholders in a bid to promote press freedom in the country.

MCK CEO David Omwoyo said the numerous challenges faced by the sector calls for concerted efforts by all stakeholders, adding that fronting a common approach would add more weight to advocacy efforts and ensure robust laws to guide media operations.

“The media industry is facing several challenges. Let us genuinely look at the issues and see how best to collaboratively address them. As the country’s media regulator, MCK is pleased to continue spearheading these efforts”, Omwoyo told newly elected officials of the Kenya Editors’ Guild (KEG) in Nairobi recently. He commended the new KEG office holders for warming up to industry efforts to ensure a free and independent media.

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VACANCIES

The Information and Communication Technology Authority (ICTA) is a State Corporation under the Ministry of Information, Communication and the Digital Economy. The corporation was established in August 2013.

The Authority is tasked with rationalizing and streamlining the management of all Government of Kenya ICT functions. Its broad mandate entails enforcing ICT standards in Government and enhancing the supervision of its electronic communication. The Authority also promotes ICT literacy, capacity, innovation and enterprise in line with the Kenya National ICT Masterplan 2017.

The ICT Authority now invites applications from suitably qualified and experienced persons with excellent academic credentials to fill the following positions to be deployed in ICT Authority Headquarters in Nairobi.

DESCRIPTION	REF	GRADE	POSITION	TERMS OF SERVICE
Director, Corporate Services	ICTA/DCS/O1/2023	2	1	CONTRACT (5 YEARS)
Director, Standards and Programmes	ICTA/DSP/O2/2023	2	1	CONTRACT (5 YEARS)
Deputy Director Capacity Development	ICTA/DPIC/O3/2023	3	1	PERMANENT
Deputy Director Standards and Processes	ICTA/DSP/O4/2023	3	1	PERMANENT
Deputy Director Human Resource Management and Administration	ICTA/DCS/O5/2023	3	1	PERMANENT
Deputy Director Planning and Monitoring and Evaluation	ICTA/DSC/O6/2023	3	1	PERMANENT
Deputy Director ICT Infrastructure	ICTA/DSS/O7/2023	3	1	PERMANENT

ICT Authority is an equal opportunity employer. Persons with disability and women are highly encouraged to apply. Individuals who had previously applied are encouraged to re-apply.

The following documents will be required during application

1. Application Letter
2. Copy of Academic Certificates
3. Copy of Professional Certificates
4. Copy of Curriculum Vitae
5. Copy of National ID

A detailed analysis of the vacancies can be obtained from www.icta.go.ke

Application is strictly online on <https://hrrecruitment.icta.go.ke>

Deadline for application is **27th June 2023**



PUBLIC NOTICE

ANNUAL CONTRACTORS CONFERENCE: BOMAS OF KENYA

The National Construction Authority is a State Corporation established by the National Construction Authority Act No. 41 of 2011 with the overall mandate to oversee the construction industry and coordinate its development. The Authority’s mission to regulate, streamline and build capacity in the construction industry for sustainable social-economic development underscores the need to provide training and capacity-building programs to contractors, skilled construction workers and site supervisors in the construction industry.

The Annual Contractors’ Conference is a cornerstone activity in contractors’ training and capacity building, and the culmination of various **continuous** professional development (CPD) events. The events range from the virtual and physical, specialized and general, small and medium enterprise, foreign and local, youth and women trainings conducted in the financial year 2022/2023 reaching a wide range of stakeholders from contractors, site supervisors and construction workers.

Feedback, networking, and peer review will be part of the conference, which is key to the success of any business, particularly the contracting business. In this connection, all local and foreign contractors are hereby notified that a one-day Annual Contractors’ Conference whose theme is “**Capacity Building for a Sustainable, Innovative and Resilient Construction Industry**” will be held on the **29th of June 2023** at the BOMAS of Kenya from **9:00 am - 5:00 pm**. The seminar attracts 10 CPD points. A registration fee of Kes.10,000 is applicable via the contractors’ portal on www.nca.go.ke.

Note that registration is strictly online.

Eng. Maurice Akech, MBS
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR / REGISTRAR OF CONTRACTORS



MINISTRY OF PUBLIC SERVICE, GENDER AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR PUBLIC SERVICE

PUBLIC AUCTION NOTICE

The Ministry of Public Service, Gender and Affirmative Action, State Department for Public Service, is in the process of disposing off Unserviceable Motor Vehicles, Office Equipment and Office Furniture through Public Auction.

The Public Auction Day will be on **20th June 2023** at Supplies Branch - Industrial Area, Weights and Measures - South C, Kenya School of Government - Kabete and Harambee House.

Interested Buyers/Purchasers may obtain further information from State Department Website, www.publicservice.go.ke or from Head, Supplies Chain Management Office at Telposta Towers, 2nd Floor during normal working hours.



300 youth from Taveta benefit from Global Youth Mobilization program

BY MATHEW CHEPKEWEL (MYGOV)

Some 300 young people from Taveta Sub-County have benefited from the Global Youth Mobilization (GYM) Covid-19 Response and Recovery Project under the President's Award-Kenya (PA-K).

The project is inspired by the need to tackle a global crisis in education, rising unemployment, mental health crisis, and increased domestic and gender-based violence among young women and girls and also under-represented and marginalized communities which escalated during the pandemic.

Reports show that worldwide, 132 million girls are out of school while girls face many barriers to accessing education.

The reports indicate that young people and future generations continue to



The President's Award-Kenya CEO Nelly Munala (R) presenting a certificate of completion to one of the participants.

shoulder much of the long-term socio-economic consequences of the crisis but the disruption in their access to education and employment opportunities as a result of the economic downturn put the young generation on a much more volatile trajectory in finding and maintaining quality lives. According to the Presidential Awards-Kenya

CEO Ms Nelly Munala, the GYM Covid-19 Recovery Project targeted 47 countries including Taveta Sub-County which qualified as a recipient of this global initiative because of the high incidence rates of Sexual and Gender Based Violence (SGBV) during the 2019-2020 global pandemic and surge in the number of teenage pregnancies in Tai-

taTaveta County. MsMunala said the project opened its doors to young people from Timbila Location in Taveta in September 2021 with the help of Volunteer Trainers and Community Leaders.

"A total of 377 participants from Taveta Sub-County have graduated after being equipped with the relevant skills, resources, and linkages to help them improve their lives and that of their communities," the PA-K CEO noted.

75 per cent of the trainees, MsMunala added are teen mothers who were unable to continue with their education. "The young people are drawn from diverse backgrounds, particularly the marginalized and those who were negatively affected by the pandemic and a number of participants engaged in the project have started generating income," said Ms. Munala.



Ministry of Roads and Transport



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LAPSSET allocates Sh50m for scholarships, unlocking Blue Economy opportunities

BY SADIK HASSAN(KNA)

The LAPSSET Corridor Development Authority has set aside Sh50 million for scholarships to enable youths acquire technical skills in line with the Bottom-up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA).

Speaking during a sensitization forum on career opportunities in the Blue Economy sector in Mombasa, LAPSSET Corridor Development Authority Chairman Ali Mbogo said, the sector has numerous job opportunities that the youth can tap into to eke a living.

The LAPSSET chairman said, the authority is setting up a 5,000-acre Special Economic Zone in Lamu, and more than 300 companies are expected to start projects.

Mbogo said youths who would want to enroll at the Bandari Maritime Academy to study the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers (STCW) course and have not been able to pay would be



LAPSSET Corridor Development Authority Chairman Ali Mbogo addressing Old Town youths on opportunities in the Blue Economy sector.

sponsored by the authority. “There are numerous opportunities in the maritime sector but most of our people have not been able to secure jobs because of their economic situations,” Mbogo said.

He added that LAPSSET will focus on skills development for youths to benefit from the Lamu Port which has been operationalized.

“We don’t want our people from the Coast region and the other areas where LAPSSET passes through to be left out in the job opportunities,” he said, add-

ing that the authority will initiate negotiations with learning institutions to tailor-made courses that will suit the youths.

Mbogo appealed to Coastal youths to stop lamenting but instead pursue education for them to be out of the unemployment yoke.

“Even if you have failed in Class Eight you can start with an artisan certificate. We are ready to hold your hands. It doesn’t mean if you have failed in KCPE, it’s the dead end.

“Let’s not be cheated, we need to focus more on skills even if you have a degree in whatever course, back it up with a skill, even if it’s a certificate in refrigeration, plumbing, electrical, or masonry for us to move forward,” Mbogo urged the youths.

Coast Development Authority (CDA) Chairman MzeeMwinyiMzee encouraged young people to enroll in short courses to acquire skills in maritime because the Coast region has not exhausted the potential of its coastline.



Youths pose for a group photo with some of the speakers after a sensitization forum on job opportunities in the Blue Economy.



MINISTRY OF HEALTH

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR PUBLIC HEALTH AND PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

TENDER INVITATION NOTICE ON 6TH JUNE, 2023

S/NO	TENDER NAME	TENDER NO.	BID AMOUNT (KSHS.)	CLOSING DATE	CATEGORY
1	Proposed Microwave Medical Waste Equipment Housing at Longisa Level 4 Hospital, Bomet County	MOH/SDPH&PS/ EVNH/ONT/05/ 2022-2023	600,000	14th June,2023	Open to all
2	Proposed Microwave Medical Waste Equipment Housing at Vihiga Level 4 Hospital, Vihiga County	MOH/SDPH&PS/ EVNH/ONT/06/ 2022-2023	600,000	14th June,2023	Open to all

- The **Ministry of Health- State Department for Public Health and Professional Standards** invites sealed Tenders from eligible Tenderers for the above-mentioned tenders (hereinafter called the Works) and the remedying of any defects therein.
- Tendering will be conducted under Open National Tendering method and is open to all qualified and interested Tenderers.
- Eligible interested tenderers may obtain further information in respect to this tender from the Ministry website www.health.go.ke or public procurement information portal: www.tenders.go.ke. All eligible Tenderers are advised to regularly check the website during the bidding period.
- A complete set of the Tender documents may be downloaded from the Ministry’s website www.health.go.ke or Public Procurement Information Portal: www.tenders.go.ke, free of charge. Eligible Tenderers downloading the Tender document MUST forward their company’s details to procurement@health.go.ke so that any addendum/ clarifications can be sent to their email address.
- Requests for clarification to be sent either by mail to Principal Secretary, Ministry of Health of **P.O Box 30016-00100 Nairobi** or through email address procurement@health.go.ke. Prospective bidders may at any time, but not later than **3 days** before the closing date for submission of tender document, request for clarifications.
- The tender documents shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope which bear the submission address, Tender Number and Tender Name and shall be clearly marked **“Do Not Open Before 14th June,2023 at 11:00 a.m.”**. The Tenderer’s name and address **should not** appear on the outer envelope.
- If the envelopes and packages with the tenders are not sealed and marked as required, the Client will assume no responsibility for the misplacement, loss, or premature opening of the tender.
- Tenders must be accompanied by a **Tender Security of Kshs.600,000 /-** (Kenya Shillings Six Hundred Thousand Only) and **MUST** be from a reputable bank or from a Public Procurement and Regulatory Authority (PPRA) approved list of Insurance Companies and the security shall be valid for One Hundred and fifty (186) days from the tender opening date.
- The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted in the format 1,2,3.
- Tenders must be delivered to the address below,

**The Principal Secretary,
Ministry of Health,
State Department for Public Health & Professional Standards,
Afya House Building, Cathedral Road,
P.O. Box 30016-00100,
NAIROBI.**

or be deposited in the Tender Box located on 1st Floor of Afya House, Ministry of Health, Cathedral Road, Nairobi, so as to be received on or before **14th June,2023 at 11:00 a.m.**

- Electronic bidding will not be permitted and late tenders will be rejected.
- The tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of candidates or their representatives who choose to attend at **GTZ Boardroom, Afya House Ground Floor.**

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Kenya Pipeline Company (KPC) is a state corporation whose main mandate is transforming lives through efficient delivery of quality oil and gas from source to customer. As Africa’s premier oil and Gas Company, and in line with the Government of Kenya Policy of enabling the youth, women and persons with disabilities to access at least 30% of Government procurement opportunities, KPC intends to hold half day sensitization workshops of the aforementioned special groups in five (5) regions namely Mombasa, Nairobi, Nakuru, Eldoret and Kisumu. The exercise aims to enhance awareness, build capacity, increase transparency and promote competition. The forums will take place in the month of June 2023 in all our regions.

The theme this year is **“Enhancing Transparency Through Supplier Relationship Management”**

Sensitization forums are as scheduled below:

DATE	AGPO CATEGORY	VENUE
Wednesday 7 th June 2023 9:00am – 1:00 pm	ALL	NAKURU – SAROVA WOODLANDS HOTEL
Thursday 8 th June 2023 9:00am – 1:00 pm	ALL	ELDORET - CICADA HOTEL
Friday 9 th June 2023 9:00am – 1:00 pm	ALL	KISUMU – MAYFAIR SAROVA HOTEL
Tuesday 13 th June 2023 9:00am – 1:00 pm	YOUTH AND WOMEN	NAIROBI - PANARI HOTEL
Wednesday 14 th June 2023 9:00am – 1:00 pm	PERSONS WITH DISABILITY	NAIROBI - PANARI HOTEL

The forums are free of charge and open to all KPC AGPO Suppliers and interested suppliers/persons that qualify in the said categories.

**Ag. GENERAL MANAGER (SUPPLY CHAIN)
FOR: MANAGING DIRECTOR**



PS signs MoU to safeguard water infrastructure and reduce losses

BY EKUAM SILVESTER (KNA)

The State Department for Water and Sanitation has signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the County Government of UasinGishu and water agencies to come up with strategies to conserve and protect water infrastructure in order to reduce non-revenue water.

The agencies include the North Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency (NRVWDA), Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency, Eldoret Water and Sanitation Company (ELDOWAS) and Water Services Regulatory Board (WASREB). Speaking after signing the MoU at the governor's office, Wa-

ter and Sanitation Principal Secretary Dr. Paul Rono underlined the government's commitment to prioritize water issues in the country.

Rono said the Ministry intends to construct a hundred dams across the country to provide an adequate supply of water for both domestic, irrigation and industrial use. Dr. Rono, who was in EL-



Water and Sanitation PS Dr. Kiprono Rono (L) and Uasin Gishu Governor Jonathan Chelilim Bii (R) exchange the Memorandum of Understanding documents (MoU) at the Governor's office to reduce Non-Revenue Water loss in order to ensure sustainable water supply to the residents of Uasin Gishu. Photo by: Ekuam Sylvester

doret on a tour to conduct an assessment on the water needs for people of UasinGishu, decried the issue of non-revenue water (NRW), calling for strong cooperation between the national government, county government and water agencies to curb water losses through illegal connections.

The exercise is aimed at coming up with ways of upgrading the current water projects in order to provide sustainable water supply to residents.




INVITATION TO TENDER

Kenya Wildlife Service wishes to invite interested and eligible national candidates to tender for the following:

A. FRAMEWORK CONTRACTS					
No	Tender Reference No.	Tender Name	Eligibility	Bid Security	Closing Date
1.	KWS/FW/CWS/60/2023-2025	Framework contract for supply and delivery of Tyres and tubes	Open to all	1,000,000.00	21 st June 2023
2.	KWS/FW/SCM/61/2023-2025	Framework contract for supply and delivery of stationery	Reserved group	Tender declaration form	21 st June 2023
3.	KWS/FW/SCM/62/2023-2025	Framework contract for printing of Accountable documents	Open to all	300,000.00	21 st June 2023
4.	KWS/FW/SW & ORP/63/2023-2025	Framework contract for supply & delivery of perishable and non-perishable foodstuff	Reserved group	Tender declaration form	21 st June 2023
5.	KWS/FW/ADMIN/64/2023-2025	Framework contract for Servicing / maintenance of fire-fighting equipments, generators & water dispensers	Open to all	100,000.00	21 st June 2023
6.	KWS/FW/CS/65/2023 - 2025	Framework contract for events setup	Reserved for Women & Youth	Tender declaration form	21 st June 2023

B. REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS

Registration of Suppliers for Goods, works and Services for Financial Year 2023-2025.

Registration Reference No. KWS/PQ/SCM/39/2023-2025 (Eligibility Open to All)

Interested eligible suppliers are invited to apply for registration, indicating the category of goods, works or services.

Tender documents containing detailed specifications and requirements can be downloaded for free from our website; www.kws.go.ke. And at Public Procurement Information Portal; <https://www.tenders.go.ke/website>.


Communication in regard to any of the tender must be in writing through email address: hps@kws.go.ke. Bids **must** remain valid for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of tender opening.

The completed bids in plain sealed envelope marked with tender reference number and tender name, shall be deposited into the Tender Box located at the entrance of Main Reception, KWS Headquarters, Langata Road **P.O. Box 40241, Nairobi** on or before **11:00 Am** on the dates indicated for the tenders. The tenders shall be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders' representatives who wish to attend.


Further information is available at www.kws.go.ke

DIRECTOR GENERAL





THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL



KNEC is ISO 9001:2015 Certified

RECRUITMENT OF KCSE ASSESSORS FOR ORAL AND PRACTICAL PAPERS

Kenya National Examinations Council (KNEC) wishes to recruit Secondary School teachers / College tutors as assessors for KCSE oral and practical papers between 6th June and 28th July, 2023. The selected professionals will be trained on the job during assessment of the 2023 KCSE papers.

Teacher/Tutors who are already in the KNEC database of assessors need not apply.

Applications are invited from all interested and qualified teachers/tutors as follows:

1.0 KCSE ORAL AND PRACTICAL EXAMINATION PAPERS

Professionals to be recruited as KCSE assessors in the following papers:

SR/NO	PAPER NAME	PAPER CODE
1.1	Power Mechanics	447/2
1.2	Electricity	448/2
1.3	Aviation Technology	450/2
1.4	French Oral	501/3
1.5	German Oral	502/3
1.6	Arabic Oral	503/3
1.7	Kenyan sign language signing Practical	504/3
1.7	Music Practical	511/1

2.0 REQUIREMENTS

2.1 Qualifications for recruitment

- 2.1.1 Must be a practicing teacher/tutor in the relevant subjects;
- 2.1.2 Must be registered and/or employed by the Teachers Service Commission (TSC) or a recognized professional body;
- 2.1.3 Must have a Diploma (and above) in Education or in the relevant area of specialization;
- 2.1.4 For Aviation technology the applicant must have a Diploma in aeronautical engineering;
- 2.1.5 Have a minimum teaching experience of three (3) years and above;
- 2.1.6 Must be recommended by his/her Head of institution;
- 2.1.7 Must NOT be on interdiction or any other form of disciplinary action from the employer;
- 2.1.8 Must be recommended by his/her head of institution or employer;
- 2.1.9 Must be **50 years** of age and below.


3.0 APPLICATION PROCEDURE

3.1 Applicants are required to do the following:

- 3.1.1 Access the KNEC examiners' portal using the link <https://examinersapp.knec.ac.ke>;
- 3.1.2 Those with **cp2** accounts, should log into the portal using their usernames and passwords;
- 3.1.3 Those who would have forgotten their CP2 passwords, should click on reset password button and enter their mobile number in the format (**2547*******) and submit to get new passwords for logging to the system;
- 3.1.4 Those without **CP2** accounts, should click on create account and follow the instructions to acquire login credentials to access system;
- 3.1.5 Upon successful log in, complete their personal profile and save. On the dashboard, click on **apply for assessors'** vacancies and all the declared vacancies will be available for the applicants to choose.

The slots are limited and only qualified applicants who have presented all the required documents will be shortlisted for the exercise.

Chief Executive Officer
The Kenya National Examinations Council
P.O. Box 73598 -00200
NAIROBI



Kenya's Public Service Day to shine spotlight on innovations, achievements

Kenya will join the rest of Africa to mark a very important day for public servants in the continent under the auspices of the African Union (AU). As the Ministry of Public Service, Gender and Affirmative Action prepares for the African Public Service Day (APSD), the Principal Secretary for the State Department for Public Service Mr. Amos Gathecha (pictured) explains to **MyGov writer Mutiso Mbithi** what this day entails and the milestones made by the Government to modernize the Public Service to make it customer friendly through digitalization and other innovations.

Q: Please explain what the Africa Public Service Day (APSD) entails.

A: The African Public Service Day (APSD) is a special day for public servants and public service organizations which is celebrated on the 23rd June of every year across the African Continent by African Union (AU) member countries. It is meant to mark and appreciate the work being done by the Public Service and recognize their positive contribution to the socio-economic development of the African Continent. However, here in Kenya, we will mark ours on dates to be announced later this month. To mark the day, celebrations are held through annual national and biennial continental events as a strategy to boost public administration programmes, public sector performance and governance.

Q: What innovations has the Department for Public Service put in place to improve service delivery in Kenya?

A: The State Department continuously strives to come up with innovative ways to provide services to the citizens. Some of these are the Huduma Kenya one-stop-shop service delivery platforms which comprise Huduma Centres, Huduma Contact Centre; Huduma Mashinani; and Huduma Electronic and Mobile platforms.

Q: What is the government doing to improve public service delivery in Kenya?

A: We have put in place a number of strategies to improve service delivery which include: the re-engineering of service delivery processes, automation and digi-

talization of government services and providing online services to the citizens. Through Huduma Kenya programme, we have taken services closer to our people and automated 5,000 services. We have given full medical cover for public servants and enhanced their training both locally and internationally in collaboration with development partners.

Q: What attributes does a public servant require to be declared 'Public Servant of the Year?'

A: To qualify for the Public Servant of the Year Award, a public servant should demonstrate outstanding performance of service provision to the citizens, be a person of integrity and accountable for their actions at any level.

Q: How will Kenya benefit from the Africa Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA) once it is implemented? What are some of the trade areas?

A: This year, AfCFTA envisages to spur tourism, transport, business services, communication services; financial services, transport services, and tourism and travel-related services. Through AfCFTA members will progressively eliminate tariffs and non-tariff barriers to trade in goods, liberalize trade in services, cooperate on investment, intellectual property rights and competition policy. Through AfCFTA, we will re-think the



continental financial architecture to integrate youth and women as drivers of cross-border trade while stimulating and reinvigorating access and inclusion is a priority for the future.

Q: How is the government harnessing digital skills especially of the youth for transformation of service delivery to the public?

A: One of the key objectives of APSD is to recognize the innovations that have been developed by public servants and promote their replication for improved service delivery and majority of the innovations submitted have been developed. Through digitization of government services, we have opened up businesses to hitherto marginalized members of our society through Access to Government Procurement Opportunities (AGPO) which has enhanced economic inclusion in the country.

Q: Please expound on the theme of this year's APSD

A: This year's theme is 'The Future of Public Service as a Catalyst for Revitalizing the Economy and Acceleration of the Implementation of Africa Continental Free Trade Area.' It recognizes that the Public Service is operating in an era of increased uncertainty and disruption influenced by technological developments, a robust media, security challenges, geopolitics, emerging pandemics, global disasters and a youth segment under the influence of millennialism, culture, values, bulge, democratization, unemployment and urbanization. The public service workforce is surmounting numerous challenges and leveraging significant opportunities and the theme is premised on the government development agenda with a key focus on innovation to drive economic growth and improve the standard of living for all Kenyans.



TENDER NOTICE

The Kenya Electricity Transmission Company Limited (KETRACO) is a State Corporation whose mandate is to plan, design, construct, operate, own, and maintain high voltage national electricity transmission grid and regional power interconnectors.

KETRACO invites bids from all interested and eligible firms for the following:

S/no	Tender Description	Tender Reference Number	Closing Date
1.	Supply, Configuration and Deployment of Veam Backup and Disaster Recovery Platform	KETRACO-PT-020-2023	19 th June 2023 at 10:30 am EAT

KETRACO tenders run on SAP ARIBA e – procurement platform and therefore tender documents detailing the requirements may be viewed at KETRACO e – procurement portal found on the KETRACO website (www.ketraco.co.ke) beginning **Tuesday 6th June 2023**.

Tender enquiries, clarifications and/or addendums to rabdi@ketraco.co.ke, lkirui@ketraco.co.ke.

Complete bid documents should be electronically submitted through SAP ARIBA platform on or before the closing dates.

Bids will be opened electronically promptly thereafter in the presence of the Tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend in KETRACO Supply Chain Management Offices at KAWI House, South C, Nairobi

**SENIOR MANAGER, SUPPLY CHAIN
FOR: MANAGING DIRECTOR**



INVITATION TO TENDER

Kenya Power invites tenders from interested bidders for provision of the following:-

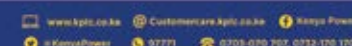
NO.	TENDER NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	TENDER COMMENCEMENT DATE	TENDER CLOSING DATE
1.	KP5/9A/3/10/OT/05/22-23	Supply of Compression Lugs for Mt. Kenya Region	Wednesday 07.06.2023	Thursday 22.06.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
2.	KP1/9A.3/OT/047/22-23	Supply of Power Transformers (Manufacturers Only)	Wednesday 07.06.2023	Thursday 22.06.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
3.	KP1/9A.3/OT/48/22-23	Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Additional 300 kVA Enclosed Generator Set at Kiunga Power Station	Thursday 08.06.2023	Thursday 22.06.2023 at 10.00 a.m.

Tender documents detailing the requirements of the above tenders may be obtained from the Kenya Power website (www.kplc.co.ke) from the dates shown above.

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KENYATTA NATIONAL HOSPITAL

FAREWELL HOME DISPOSAL SHEET JANUARY - MARCH 2023

Kenyatta National Hospital is in possession of a number of unclaimed bodies at its Farewell Home. Pursuant to Public Health Act Cap 242 [Subsidiary Legislation **PUBLIC HEALTH (PUBLIC MORTUARIES) RULES, 1991**], interested members of the public are therefore requested to identify and collect the bodies within 14 days, failure to which the hospital will seek authority from the courts to dispose them. The list of the bodies is here under indicated.

NO.	TAG NO.	NAME OF DECEASED	SEX
1	00217/23	BABY VERA ACHIENG OWINO	M
2	00254/23	GIFTON MUIGAI MUTHOMBE	M
3	00277/23	BABY ADELHIDE OCHIENG	M
4	00276/23	VIANNA MWENDWA MWAURA	F
5	00281/23	BABY CAROLINE WANJIRU GITONGA	F
6	00282/23	BABY DINAH MORAA MOMANYI	F
7	00293/23	BABY SCOLASTICAH NYAKERARIO N.	F
8	00286/23	ELIAS BARAKA MUTHAMA	M
9	00300/23	BABY EMILY RESIATO	F
10	00307/23	B WHITNEY NYAMBURA NDIGWA	F
11	00325/23	BABY NANCY NYABATE	F
12	00326/23	BABY NJAJIRI NKIMINIS	M
13	00338/23	BABY BRIGID NAFULA WAFULA	F
14	00352/23	B/O MARGARET WANJIKU	M
15	00388/23	BABY MAURINE MORAA	M
16	00387/23	BABY FRIDAH ASHIANDA MUKA	F
17	00384/23	BABY CAROLINE KANINI KALENGA	M
18	00394/23	BABY IMELDA MULIMI	F
19	00393/23	BABY EDNA KARIMI	M
20	00399/23	BABY BRIDGET KEMUNTO	M
21	00409/23	BABY MAUREEN INGANJI M.	F
22	00406/23	JOY WACEKE WANJIKU	F
23	00420/23	BRIAN GITAU MWANGI	F
24	00430/23	B/O TABITHA MWENDWA	F
25	00438/23	STEPHEN KIMANI MACHARIA	M
26	00453/23	BABY VALENTINE VULEMI	F
27	00449/23	CALEB MAHIGA	M
28	00451/23	BABY MARGARET NJERI NGURE	M
29	00480/23	BABY MAREN MAMU	M
30	00496/23	BABY ROSE WANGUI KARIUKI	M
31	00487/23	FELISTA WAIRIMU WAMBUI	F
32	00497/23	BABY SCARLET MAKUNGU LUSES	F
33	00495/23	BABY CAROLINE ACHIENG	M
34	00494/23	B/O CAROLINE ACHIENG	M
35	00493/23	ERNEST KILONZO MUEMA	M
36	00504/23	B MERCY NDUATA MWANGI	M
37	00471/23	B EUNICE WANGUI KAMANDE	M
38	00510/23	B CAROLINE MORAA AYAKO	M
39	00530/23	B CATHERINE WANJIRU	F
40	00532/23	BBY LISTER MISIOMA	M
41	00537/23	BABY JANE MUTHONI NGUNJIRI	M
42	00536/23	NELIUS WANGUI NDUNGU	F
43	00514/23	B JACINTA NDUATA	M
44	00535/23	JOY KANA NTONGAI	F
45	00544/23	GIANNA WANJA KINGORI	F
46	00582/23	BABY BETTY MWENDE MUIINDE	F
47	00571/23	BABY LAURA AKUKU WAFULA	F
48	00579/23	BABY REGINA WAMBUI MAINA	F
49	00564/23	KILONZO SAMUEL MUEMA	M
50	00596/23	BABY MARY AKUKU	F
51	01199/23	BBY JANDY ANYANGO OGADA	F
52	00130/23	RYAN MUREITHI MUTWIRI	M
53	00109/23	BABY VIVIAN WAKIO MWANGI	F
54	00096/23	BABY IRENE MAWIA	F
55	00095/23	BABY LUCIANAH KITAKWA	F
56	00012/23	BABY JOYCE ATIENO OMULAMA	F
57	00057/23	BABY JANEFILLY NASIMIYU W	F
58	00060/23	BABY MARY WAITHERA	F
59	00066/23	MALIA PIA WANJIKU	F

NO.	TAG NO.	NAME OF DECEASED	SEX
60	00853/23	SAMUEL LOYIANGI MUTHURWA	M
61	00975/23	BABY NANCY MOGINA	M
62	00136/23	BABY AGNES ATIENO	F
63	00140/23	BABY IRENE WANJIKU MUNGAI	F
64	00142/23	BBY MILKA WANJIKU	F
65	00141/23	BABY ROSALIN WAITHERA MWANGI	F
66	00146/23	BABY LINDA MIDEVA GUYONZA	F
67	001161/23	BABY AGNES ATIENO OBANGE	F
68	00188/23	BABY MARY MVUTE MUSAU	F
69	01017/23	KYLIAN KAMAU MWANGI	M
70	01037/23	BABY HANNAH NYOKIO KARIBE	F
71	01121/23	ONESMUS NJENGA NJIRU	M
72	00139/23	BABY LUCY TABU BONDE	F
73	01312/23	B/O MAUREEN BOSIBORI	F
74	01313/23	B/O MAUREEN BOSIBORI	F
75	01369/23	LINAH WANGUI	F
76	00200/23	BABY TABITHA WANJIRU KIMANI	F
77	00201/23	BABY SILVIA KNIGHT OMBIRO	F
78	00222/23	BABY HELLEN ATIENO	M
79	00225/23	BABY JULIA NYAMBURA KIMANI	F
80	00227/23	HAPPINESS SALAINI JENIFFER	F
81	06495/23	B CECILIA WANGUI MAINA	F
82	01404/23	B/O ROSE KAMAU W	M
83	00803/23	BABY ALICE KIAMBUI M	F
84	00050/23	STEPHANIE KALELEI K	F
85	00049/23	BABY ELIZABETH NAMUNYAK	F
86	00121/23	KENNEDY GITAU W	M
87	00584/23	B CAREEN ATIENO MMASI	F
88	00604/23	B SELFA FUBI MULARI	F
89	00642/23	BARAKA MAINA NELIMA	M
90	00651/23	B/O MARY	F
91	00658/23	BABY GLADYS NANJALA	F
92	00656/23	BABY EVERLYNE AKINYI	F
93	00664/23	STEPHEN MUNYAGIA KINYUA	M
94	00667/23	BABY LAVENDER OKEYO	M
95	00692/23	RYAN MSAFY KUBAI	M
96	00706/23	BABY MARY WAMBUI	M
97	00657/23	BABY JANE WAKONJE	M
98	00705/23	B/O TABITHA WAMBUI	M
99	00709/23	BABY MASELA JOAN ATEKA	M
100	00710/23	BABY MASELA JOAN ATEKA	M
101	00711/23	BABY MASELA JOAN ATEKA	M
102	00718/23	B EUNICE WAITHERA GITAU	M
103	00719/23	BABY IRENE MUMO MBOLU	F
104	00726/23	BABY CYNTHIA ACHIENG O	F
105	00765/23	SHARLEEN MUTHU M	F
106	00759/23	BABY WINJOY MAKENA	M
107	00850/23	BABY FLORENCE NDUKU M	M
108	00793/23	B/O MARY MUTHONI KAIMA	F
109	00802/23	BABY GRACE WANGARI W	F
110	00813/23	KRISTINE KANAINA MUTHURE	F
111	00814/23	BABY SPHINKAH MOGITI S	M
112	00809/23	LETICIA RUGURU WAMBUI	F
113	00803/23	BABY ALICE WAMBUI MUNGA	F
114	00823/23	BABY PHANICE KEMUNTO N	M
115	00846/23	BABY RUTH WANGARI	F
116	00842/23	JACKLINE WANJIKU NJENGA	F
117	00870/23	BABY MWENDE MUSEMBI	M
118	00865/23	EDWIN JUNIOR	M

NO.	TAG NO.	NAME OF DECEASED	SEX
119	00871/23	BABY JOYCE AOKO OTIENO	M
120	00894/23	BABY KEZIAH WANJIKU N	M
121	00887/23	MAXWELL MULI JOSEPH	M
122	00918/23	BABY MARY MWIKALI	F
123	00906/23	BABY NEEMA IVIN	M
124	00946/23	BABY SHEILA BOSIBORI OSORO	F
125	00949/23	KENNETH KAMAU NGANGA	M
126	00969/23	BABY NANCY SIMIYU	M
127	00970/23	B JOYCE ASHA MUNYUI	F
128	00976/23	BABY RAHAB WANJIKU KARANI	M
129	01002/23	EMMANUEL MUREITHI M	M
130	01025/23	B LONA NAKHUMINCHA W	F
131	01036/23	EMMANUEL MWENDA K	M
132	01034/23	PRECIOUS WANJIKU WANAINA	F
133	01038/23	B IRENE MUTHE	F
134	01035/23	BENSON KAMANDE MURIITHI	M
135	01044/23	BABY HANNAH NJERI	M
136	01040/23	B/O WAITHERA NJENGA	F
137	01062/23	BABY RUTH MBULA M	F
138	01061/23	BABY ELIZABETH WANGUI	F
139	01050/23	KYLIAN KIMANI NDONGA	M
140	01073/23	JULIUS MULI MWANIKI	M
141	01081/23	BABY MARY MUKASILI S	F
142	01101/23	BABY IRENE WAMUCII M	M
143	01102/23	BABY WINFRED MBUKI T	M
144	00452/23	BABY NDAYIPFUKAMIYE A	M
145	0143/23	BABY VICTORIA KAMENGELE	F
146	01141/23	SHEZDEK MUIRURI G	M
147	01144/23	BABY SARAH AKINYI O	M
148	01150/23	BABY ROSE WAMBUI	M
149	01159/23	BABY TERESIA WANJIRU	M
150	01174/23	BABY MILKA ALUSA O	M
151	01176/23	ETHAN MWENDA KINUTHIA	M
152	01202/23	BABY NANCY WANJIRU	M
153	01190/23	BABY SARAH AKINYI	M
154	01186/23	ANGEL WANGUI WANJUI	F
155	01250/23	BABY JUDITH WILFRIDA B	M
156	01243/23	B PURITY KAGENI NJERU	M
157	01247/23	B/O HANNAH MUSENYA	M
158	01231/23	PAULINE WANJERU M	F
159	01249/23	B AGGRIPINA MANGA W	F
160	01248/23	B ANN MUTHONI MAINA	M
161	01270/23	MALLORY NJOKE	F
162	01276/23	BABY OLIPHA KERUBO M	M
163	01296/23	B/O JOSEPHINE SEYIANOI	F
164	01295/23	BABY IRENE MBINYA M	M
165	01319/23	B/O JUDY WACEKE M	M
166	01321/23	JAEL WAMBUI	F
167	01323/23	BABY ANN WANJIKU	F
168	01324/23	BABY ORONITA NJOKI I	F
169	01330/23	PRINCE MUTUGI T	F
170	01360/23	BABY MARY WANJIRU N	F
171	01344/23	B VERONICAH WANGUI M	M
172	01361/23	B CYPRINE MORAA N	M
173	01373/23	BABY VIRGINIA WAKABA	F
174	01377/23	BABY SAIDA NAIMA JUMA	F
175	01390/23	RYAN MWENDWA M	M
176	01413/23	GEOFFREY MYLES MAKAU	M
177	01481/23	B MILKA WANJUGU N	F
178	01470/23	GIFT KAGWE MWANIKI	M
179	01479/23	BABY MARCY WANJERI K	F

NO.	TAG NO.	NAME OF DECEASED	SEX
180	01504/23	BABY LILIAN KATHURE M	M
181	01503/23	BABY ANN MUTHU M	F
182	01511/23	BABY CONSTACE MUOLA	M
183	01520/23	B/O VIVIAN NJERI KAIRU	F
184	01536/23	B PHILIPINE WANGUI	M
185	01539/23	BABY GRACE NANDIA	F
186	01527/23	KELVIN CHEGE MWAURA	M
187	01540/23	B/O MARY WAMBUI K	F
188	01541/23	BABY DANIANA KALUKI K	F
189	01559/23	BABY LUCY TSISIGA	M
190	01560/23	B MONICA WAMBUI W	M
191	01564/23	NICK OMUSINDE K	M
193	01581/23	BABY LUCY MWENDE	M
194	01603/23	BABY CAROLINE KAMENE	M
195	01588/23	PRINCESS BARAKA KIKUVI	F
196	01595/23	B EVERLYNE WANGECHI	M
197	01610/23	BABY AGNES JEPNGENO K	F
198	01607/23	EMMANUEL OTIENO O	M
199	01624/23	BABY NANCY BUYAKI M	M
200	01633/23	BABY LILIAN KERUBO N	F
201	01669/23	B JACINTA WANJIRU N	F
202	01643/23	BABY STELLA WANGUI	M
203	01654/23	BABY EDNAH KWAMBOKA	F
204	01655/23	BABY SUSAN WANGARI M	M
205	01656/23	FRDAH ANN MWIKALI	F
206	01675/23	BABY ABIGYA WAMBUI M	F
207	01674/23	B/O DOROTHY WANJIRU	M
208	01668/23	LAYLA AVIANNA WANGU	F
209	01677/23	B/O LILIAN KERUBO NYACHAE	F
210	01708/23	BABY JOYCE MUTINDI M	F
211	01707/23	BABY MARGARET NZEMBI	M
212	01673/23	BABY JASMINE SALANO	M
213	01693/23	BABY MAUREEN MUTHONI	M
214	01709/23	B RACHEAL NANJALA N	F
215	01735/23	BABY LYDIA WANJUGU M	F
216	01726/23	BABY DORCAS MONICAH	F
217	01725/23	B/O LYDIA WANJUGU M	F
218	01738/23	BELAMY NJUGUNA M	M
219	01764/23	BABY JOSEPHINE MASITA	F
220	01796/23	BABY SARAH WANJIRU M	M
221	01806/23	B MARGARET NYAKIO N	F
222	01805/23	BABY CAROLINE KALEWA	M
223	01816/23	BABY CHARITY AMUKUJE	M
224	01800/23	BABY JACKLINE MWONGEU	M
225	01826/23	BABY ELIZABETH WAMBUI	F
226	01827/23	BABY JEDIDA MUTHU D	M
227	01825/23	BABY JANE NYAMBURA K	F
228	08307/23	B MARY WANJIRU N	M
229	08315/23	BABY HANNAH NYAMBURA	F
230	08330/23	B/O SHALLI AWUOR	F
231	08345/23	BABY JANEFFER WANJIKU	F
231	08358/23	B/O ROSE MKAMI	F
232	08359/23	BABY FLORIDA KERUBO	F
233	08409/23	CALVINCE BARAKA	M
234	08425/23	BABY TALIA HONO MBEGA	F
235	01339/23	BABY VERONICAH NJAMBI KAGURU	M
236	01568/23	BABY DOREEN ACHIENG OUMA	M
237	01524/23	BABY KASILILI SUSA	F
238	02060/23	B/O JOSEPHINE MOTARAKI	M

KNH MANAGEMENT



THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL



KNEC is ISO 9001:2015 Certified

TENDER NOTICE

The Kenya National Examinations Council (KNEC) is a State Corporation established in 1980 under the Act of Parliament, Chapter 225A of (1980). The Act was repealed in 2012 and replaced with the Kenya National Examinations Council Act No. 29 of 2012. The Council is mandated to conduct national assessments and examinations at both basic and tertiary levels and certify learners.

1.0 The Kenya National Examinations Council (KNEC) now invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Tenders below:

S/No.	TENDER NUMBER	TENDER TITLE	TARGET GROUP
1.1	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/27	Provision of Electrical Maintenance Services	Youth
1.2	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/28	Servicing, Repair and Maintenance of PABX, Switch Boards and Telephones	Youth
1.3	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/29	Provision of Air Ticketing Services on a Framework Contract	Women
1.4	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/30	Servicing, Repair and Maintenance of Tally Printers and Supply of related Consumables	Open
1.5	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/31	Provision of GPA, GLA and WIBA Insurance Cover Services	Open
1.6	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/32	Servicing, Repair and Maintenance of Printing Equipment (Digital Printers)	Open
1.7	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/33	Supply, Installation and Integration, Configuration, Training and Commissioning of Provision of HPE Storeonce 5260 and VMWare Licenses Upgrade	Open
1.8	KNEC/ONT/2022-2023/34	Servicing, Repair and Maintenance of Computers	Open

2.0 Interested eligible Bidders may obtain tender documents from the following websites: www.knec.ac.ke or www.supplier.treasury.go.ke or www.tender.go.ke

3.0 The closing date for submission is on **13th June, 2023 at 10.00am**. Application is open to all interested bidders. Late bids will be rejected.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



National Mining Corporation

JOB VACANCIES

The National Mining Corporation (NMC) is a State Corporation within the State Department for Mining in the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.

The Mandate of National Mining Corporation is commercial exploitation of Kenya's mineral wealth by engaging in mineral prospecting, mining, mineral value addition, mineral marketing and to acquire interests in firms engaged in mining among other functions and activities.

In order to satisfy its mandate, the National Mining Corporation wishes to invite applications from qualified and suitable Kenyans for shortlisting and interviews leading to their recruitment in the positions specified below:-

No.	Position	Grade	Posts
1.	Principal HR Officer	NMC 4	1
2.	Principal Accountant/Finance Officer	NMC 4	1
3.	Principal Supply Chain Management Officer	NMC 4	1
4.	Principal Business Analyst	NMC 4	1
5.	Principal Geologist	NMC 4	1
6.	Principal ICT Officer	NMC 4	1
7.	Principal Internal Auditor	NMC 4	1
8.	Principal Planning Officer	NMC 4	1
9.	Principal Mineral Processing Engineer	NMC 4	1
10.	Senior Sales and Marketing Officer	NMC 5	1
11.	Senior Administration Officer	NMC 5	1
12.	Office Administrator	NMC 6	1
13.	Senior Assistant Office Administrator	NMC 7	1
14.	Driver	NMC 9	2
15.	Office Assistant	NMC 10	2

Please **NOTE THAT:** Applications should be send to <https://jobs.nmckenya.go.ke> to reach the under-signed not later than **22nd June, 2023**.

**The Managing Director
National Mining Corporation
P O Box 30009-00100
NAIROBI**

This advertisement supercedes and cancels the erroneous advertisement which appeared on MyGov on Tuesday 23rd May, 2023.



Kenya Bureau of Standards
Standards for Quality life

Tel: 0206948000 | Toll Free Line 1545 | E-Mail: procurement@kebs.org | www.kebs.org

TENDER NOTICE

The Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS) invites sealed tenders from eligible firms for the following tenders:

NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	TENDER NO.	ELIGIBILITY	CLOSING DATE
1.	Design and Development of a Web based Legal Information Management System	KEBS/T024/2022/2023	Open	Tuesday 20th June 2023
2.	Supply, Delivery & Installation of ICT Equipment	KEBS/T025/2022/2023	Open	Tuesday 20th June 2023

Tender documents detailing the requirements may be obtained from the **Procurement Office, KEBS Centre, Popo road, off Mombasa road, Nairobi** on normal working days **between 9.00 a.m. and 4.00 p.m.** upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Kes.1,000 (One thousand shillings) as indicated in the tender document. The amount is payable in cash or bankers' cheque, or tender documents can be downloaded for free from KEBS website: www.kebs.org or Public Procurement Portal <http://www.tenders.go.ke>. All payments shall be made to the Kenya Bureau of Standards, Nairobi.

Completed tender documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked 'TENDER NUMBER AND TITLE OF THE TENDER' indicated on the envelope should be addressed and delivered to:

**THE MANAGING DIRECTOR,
KENYA BUREAU OF STANDARDS,
P.O. BOX 54974 - 00200,
NAIROBI.**

Or be deposited in the Tender Box located at KEBS Centre Main Reception marked "TENDER BOX" to be received as indicated above. Tender opening will be carried out immediately thereafter at the KEBS Centre Conference Room A, Adm. Block, Ground Floor. Bid security is as stated in the tender document.

Ag. MANAGING DIRECTOR

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Verify the authenticity of KEBS quality marks by use of the KEBS Official Mobile App or sending a text to 20023: SM#Permit Number/ ISM#UCR Number/ DM#Permit Number

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS) is a statutory organization of the Government of Kenya established by the Standards Act, Cap 496 of the laws of Kenya in July 1974. The mandate of KEBS is to provide standardization, metrology and conformity assessment services through promotion of standardization in commerce and industry, provision of testing and calibration facilities, control of the use of standardization marks, undertaking educational work in standardization, facilitation of the implementation and practical application of standards, maintenance and dissemination of the International System of Units (SI) of measurements.

KEBS seeks innovative and result oriented individuals to fill the following vacancies:

S/No	Position	Department	Job Group	No. of Posts
1.	Director	Human Resource and Administration	2	1
2.	Chief Manager	Internal Audit	3	1
3.	Chief Manager	National Quality Institute	3	1

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Vacancy details are to be found on the KEBS website www.kebs.org under career page. Applications shall be submitted online through the KEBS website/portal to be received on or before **27th June 2023**. All testimonials **MUST** be saved starting with applicant's National Identification Number and submitted with the application.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

- Upon successful upload and submission of application, the applicant will receive a system generated email notification that the job application details have been successfully submitted.
- KEBS **DOES NOT** charge any fee in the recruitment process.
- Persons with disability and female candidates are encouraged to apply.
- Academic qualifications of external origin **MUST** be accompanied with a recognition and equation certificate from the relevant body in Kenya.
- Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

NB: Shortlisted candidates shall be required to provide evidence of compliance with requirements of Chapter 6 of the Constitution of Kenya.

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Kenya National Highways Authority
Quality Highways, Better Connections

TENDER NOTICE

TENDER FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR WORKS SUPERVISION

The Kenya National Highways Authority (KeNHA) is a State Corporation established under the Kenya Roads Act, 2007 with the responsibility for Management, Development, Rehabilitation and Maintenance of National Roads.

The Authority hereby invites bids from eligible Individual Consultants

S/No.	Tender No.	Tender Description	Venue, Closing Date and Time
1.	KeNHA/2687/2023	Gravelling of Rhamu - Olla – Banisa and Gravelling of Banisa - Kukuba - Danaba works to be funded through the Road Maintenance Levy Fund (RMLF).	Thursday, 22nd June 2023 at 11.00 A.M. Kenya National Highways Authority Headquarters, Barabara Plaza, Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA), Nairobi, Off Mazao Road, Block C - 2 nd Floor Board Room

There shall be a Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference as specified in the detailed tender notice uploaded onto the KeNHA website.

A complete set of tender documents may be obtained by interested tenderers from the Kenya National Highways Authority website: www.kenha.co.ke or PPIP portal: www.tenders.go.ke free of charge.

Bidders are encouraged to download tender documents to minimise physical visits to the respective **KeNHA Offices**.

The tender closing date will be on **Thursday, 22nd June 2023 at 11.00 A.M.**


All interested bidders are required to continually check the Kenya National Highways Authority website: www.kenha.co.ke for any tender addenda or clarifications that may arise before submission date.


Deputy Director, Supply Chain Management
For: DIRECTOR GENERAL

For all your queries email us on: communication@kenha.co.ke, Customer Care : 0700 423 606 #Road Safety Starts With You

[Website : www.kenha.co.ke](https://www.kenha.co.ke) Kenya National Highways Authority

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The Kenyatta International Convention Centre
Africa's Premier Meeting Venue

TENDER NOTICE

The Kenyatta International Convention Centre invites sealed bids from eligible candidates to tender for the provision of the following services:

S/NO.	Tender No.	Tender Description	Eligibility
1.	KICC/21/2022-2023	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Data and Voice Installations Works for the Proposed Refurbishment of Tsavo Ballroom at KICC – RE-ADVERTISEMENT	ALL Bidders

A complete set of tender documents may be downloaded from PPIP Portal (<https://tenders.go.ke>) or the Corporation's website (www.kicc.co.ke) for free.


Duly completed tender document in **two (2) sets of copies** in plain sealed envelopes marked **"Application for Tender No.....Tender Description....."** should be addressed to the:


Chief Executive Officer
The Kenyatta International Convention Centre
P.O. Box 30746-00100
NAIROBI

OR be deposited in the tender box situated at KICC 4th floor so as to reach on or before **Thursday 15th June, 2023 at 10.00a.m. East Africa Time**

Tender documents will be opened thereafter in the presence of the tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend at KICC Taifa Hall on the Lower Ground as stated above.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
THE KENYATTA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CENTRE.





KENYA REVENUE AUTHORITY

Public Notice

Reminder on Enforcement of the Electronic Tax Invoice

Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA) would like to remind the public that **effective 1st June, 2023**, all VAT registered taxpayers are required to only accept electronic tax invoices from registered taxpayers in compliance with the VAT (Electronic Tax Invoice) Regulations, 2020 for purposes of claiming input tax and processing of VAT refunds, as communicated in our Public Notice of 9th May, 2023 titled, *"Enforcement of the Electronic Tax Invoice"*.

When filing the VAT return, VAT registered taxpayers are guided to declare the unique Control Unit invoice numbers and not the trader system invoice numbers in the sales and purchase declarations so as to minimize inconsistencies.

Enforcement measures shall be instituted against VAT registered taxpayers who will not comply by **1st June, 2023**.

KRA will continue to support and facilitate any taxpayer in the process of complying with the Regulations and takes this opportunity to thank all compliant VAT registered taxpayers.

The requirement to generate electronic tax invoices does not apply to registered non-resident suppliers of digital services. However, the non-resident digital service suppliers are required to issue invoices or receipts indicating the value of the supply and tax charged.

For further information, please call our Contact Centre on Tel: (0) 20 4 999 999, 0711 099 999 or Email: callcentre@kra.go.ke.


Commissioner for Domestic Taxes
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Disclaimer: KRA notifies taxpayers that it will not accept responsibility for payments not received, credited and validated in the relevant KRA accounts. **Corruption Reporting:** +254 (0726) 984 668, **Email:** corruptionreporting@kra.go.ke. **Short Messaging Services (SMS):** Dial (*572#) or Text to 22572. **Contact Centre:** +254 (020) 4 999 999, +254 (0711) 099 999, **Email:** callcentre@kra.go.ke. **Complaints & Information Centre Hotlines:** +254 709 017 700 / 800 **Email:** cic@kra.go.ke

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KENYA REVENUE AUTHORITY

Public Notice

Declaration of Related Party Transactions in the Income Tax Company Return

Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA) would like to notify taxpayers that the Income Tax - Company Return on the iTax platform has been enhanced to provide for declaration of related party transactions by persons with related parties and whose ascertainment of gains or profits from business is subject to the provisions of Sections 18 or 18A of the Income Tax Act, Cap 470.

When filing their returns, all taxpayers with related party transactions are required to answer, **"Yes"**, to the question, under the basic information sheet of the Income Tax Company return, on whether or not they have related parties outside Kenya or controlled transactions. The relevant details of the related party transactions should then be captured under sheet **"B2_Related_party_transaction"**.

For further information please liaise with our Contact Centre on Tel: (0) 20 4 999999, 0711 099 999 or Email: callcentre@kra.go.ke

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MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION & IRRIGATION

KENYA WATER INSTITUTE

ADDENDUM

Addendum No. 1- KEWI/TEN/AfDB/006/2022-2023

CONSTRUCTION OF GREEN TOILET SYSTEM(GTS), LOW COST PIT LATRINE (SATO) AND WORKSHOP

The Kenya Water Institute (KEWI), wish to make clarification to the above mentioned tender, advertised on **MyGov. – Issue dated 23rd May,2023** and the Tender Document uploaded at <https://www.kewi.or.ke> and the PublicProcurementInformationPortal(www.tenders.go.ke).

Kindly visit the same website for more details on the changes in this tender.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, KENYA WATER INSTITUTE.




SOUTH EASTERN KENYA UNIVERSITY
ARID TO GREEN

VACANCIES ANNOUNCEMENT

South Eastern Kenya University invites applications from suitable, qualified candidates to fill the following positions:

NO.	POSITION	GRADE
1.	SENIOR LECTURER	5A (FORMERLY GRADE 13A)
2.	LECTURERS	6A (FORMERLY GRADE 12A)
3.	TUTORIAL FELLOW	7A (FORMERLY GRADE 11A)
4.	TECHNICIAN	11 (FORMERLY GRADE 5)

NB: Please visit our website www.seku.ac.ke for more details on the above vacancies and the application procedure. The deadline for submitting application is **16th June, 2023**. Applications received after this date **will not** be considered. Duly shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

SEKU is an equal opportunity employer and female candidates and persons living with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

ARID TO GREEN TRANSFORMING LIVES




INVITATION FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION/ CALL FOR MEMORANDA


The Kenya Space Agency is a state corporation established under the Ministry of Defence with the mandate to promote, coordinate and regulate space-related activities in the country. The Agency is currently developing a Policy and Bill to guide the Space Sector in order to realize the benefits of space science and technology while adhering to international Space Law and promoting global best practices.

The Constitution of Kenya 2010 requires the Government to involve the public in the process of formulating policies and legal instruments through requesting and receiving views and opinions from the public.

The Kenya Space Agency hereby invites the public to participate in this process through submission of views and/or comments on the draft National Kenya Space Policy. The document can be accessed through the Agency's website at <https://ksa.go.ke>

Written representations and memoranda may be submitted by email to secretariat@ksa.go.ke addressed to the attention of The Director-General, Kenya Space Agency to be received by **Friday 20th June 2023 at 5:00 p.m.** or sent to:

**The Director-General
Kenya Space Agency
P.O. Box 7046-00200
Nairobi**

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND RENEWABLE ENERGY CORPORATION

INVITATION TO TENDER

- PROCURING ENTITY:** Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation P.O Box 34585 – 00100 Nairobi
- CONTRACT NAME AND DESCRIPTION** as follows;

Tender No.	Tender Description	Tender Security (Ksh)	Tender Opening/ Closing
100000944	Supply of Automotive Fuel, Lubricant, LPG Gas and Related Products	As described in the Tender Document	21/06/2023 at 10.00am
100000947	Supply and Delivery of Orthopaedic Chairs (Reserved for AGPO Category)	None	16/06/2023 at 10.00am
100000948	Supply and Delivery of bottled drinking water with disposable cups and dispensers frame tender for 2023-2025 period (Retender)	As described in the Tender Document	28/06/2023 at 10.00am
100000949	Supply and Delivery of Geospatial Tools and Equipment's	600,000.00	21/06/2023 at 10.00am
100000950	Proposed Construction of Boundary wall at Bumula Energy Centre	420,000	12/07/2023 at 10.00am



- Tendering will be conducted under National open competitive method using a standardized tender document. Tendering is open to all qualified and interested Tenderers.
- Qualified interested tenderers may obtain further information during office 8.00am-12.45pm to 1.45pm-4.00pm Monday to Friday at the address given below.
- A complete set of tender documents may be viewed and downloaded by interested tenderers free of charge electronically from the Website www.rerec.co.ke under tender documents or through the e-procurement portal using <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal>
- Tenderers who are not yet registered with REREC must register their companies in order to participate in the tender using link below that can be found from the website www.rerec.co.ke Procurement-Supplier registration: [https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44200/supportal\(bd1lbiZjPTUwMCZkPW1pbg==\)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW_ANCHOR-ROS_TOP](https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44200/supportal(bd1lbiZjPTUwMCZkPW1pbg==)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW_ANCHOR-ROS_TOP)
- All Tenders must be accompanied by a tender Security specified above and in Tender Document
- The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender document submitted.
- Completed tenders must be delivered to the address below on or before dates indicated above at 10.00am.
- Only Electronic Tenders will be permitted. Late tenders will not be submitted. Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified above or any dead line date and time specified later. Tenders will be publicly opened in the presence of the Tenderers' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below and the results relayed electronically.
- The addresses referred to above are:

Address for obtaining further information on tender documents: for hand Courier bid security Delivery to an office or Tender Box (**Kawi Complex, Ground floor**). Contact Manager, Supply chain management, telephone number: 0709193000 and e-mail address: tenders@rerec.co.ke

Address for Submission of Tenders: Online Through <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal>

Address for Opening of Tenders. **SAP-SRM e-procurement**

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
RURAL ELECTRIFICATION & RENEWABLE ENERGY CORPORATION**

Tender Notice

Kenya Revenue Authority invites bids from eligible candidates for the following tenders:

DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	PREBID DATE, TIME AND VENUE	CLOSING/OPENING DATE, TIME AND VENUE
KRA/HQS/NCB-097/2022-2023: Lease of Warehouse Space for Kenya Revenue Authority at Kisumu Town, Kisumu County for a period of Six (6) Years	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER
KRA/HQS/NCB-098/2022-2023: Lease of Warehouse Space for Kenya Revenue Authority at Thika Town, Kiambu County for a period of Six (6) Years	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER
KRA/HQS/NCB-099/2022-2023: Lease of Office Space for Kenya Revenue Authority at Eldama Ravine Town, Baringo County for a period of Six(6) Years	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER
KRA/HQS/NCB-100/2022-2023: Lease of Office Space for Kenya Revenue Authority at Marsabit Town, Marsabit County for a period of Six (6) Years	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER
KRA/HQS/NCB-101/2022-2023: Lease of Office Space for Kenya Revenue Authority at Isiolo Town, Isiolo County for a period of Six (6) Years	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER
KRA/HQS/NCB-102/2022-2023: Lease of Office Space for Kenya Revenue Authority at Eastleigh Area, Nairobi County for a period of Six (6) Years	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER
KRA/HQS/NCB-103/2022-2023: Lease Out of Canteen Space by Kenya Revenue Authority at Mandera Border Post, Mandera County for a period of Six (6) Years (Re-Advertisement)	OPEN	9 th June 2023 10.00am VIRTUAL	15 th June , 2023 11.00 AM TIMES TOWER

Tender documents detailing the requirements of the above tender may be obtained from the Kenya Revenue Authority website; www.kra.go.ke


Deputy Commissioner - Supply Chain Management
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Tel. +254709 012353
Nairobi, Kenya.
website: www.kra.go.ke
Email : eprocurement@kra.go.ke

Any canvassing or giving of false information will lead to automatic disqualification.


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P O Box 103 – 40404,
RONGO, KENYA

OFFICE OF THE VICE CHANCELLOR

INVITATION TO TENDER

Rongo University invites eligible and interested bidders to participate in the following tenders:

S.No.	Tender No.	Tender Description	Tender security (Kshs.)	Eligibility	Closing Date
1.	RU/MV/07/2022-2023	Supply and delivery of motor vehicles	300,000.00	Open	14/06/2023

Tender document with detailed information and instruction may be viewed and downloaded from the University's website www.rongovarsity.ac.ke or Public Procurement Information Portal <https://tenders.go.ke> free of charge.

The Vice Chancellor
Rongo University
P. o. Box 103-40404
RONGO



SALARIES AND REMUNERATION COMMISSION



ADVERTISEMENT OF VACANT POSITIONS

Salaries and Remuneration Commission is an independent Commission established under Article 230 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, with the mandate to set and regularly review the Remuneration and Benefits of all State Officers and to advise the National and County Governments on the Remuneration and Benefits of all other Public Officers. In carrying out its mandate, the Commission has to take into account the principles of; fiscal sustainability of the public compensation bill, attraction and retention of requisite skills for service delivery, productivity and performance, transparency, fairness and equity.

The Commission seeks to recruit qualified and competent staff to fill the following vacant positions.

NO.	POSITION	JOB GRADE
1)	Senior Officer Secretarial Services	RL-5
2)	Senior Officer Job Evaluation and Salary Structures	RL-5

APPLICATION PROCESS

Interested and qualified persons are requested to submit their applications indicating their current salary together with detailed Curriculum vitae, Copy of national ID, copies of academic and professional certificates and testimonials. **Details of the positions are in the Commission website.**

Upon being successful and granted an offer of employment, the successful candidate **MUST** present clearances and satisfy the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 by providing copies of the following documents;

- A valid tax Compliance Certificate from the Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA);
- A valid Certificate of Good Conduct from the Directorate of Criminal Investigation (DCI);
- A valid Clearance Certificate from the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB);
- A valid Clearance Certificate from an approved Credit Reference Bureau (CRB) (Must provide certificate or report); and
- A Valid Clearance form from the Ethics and Anti-corruption Commission (EACC)

Application to be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked at the top "**Application for the position of.....**" and mailed **OR** delivered to:

The Commission Secretary
Salaries and Remuneration Commission
Williamson House 6th Floor
4th Ngong Avenue
P.O. Box 43126 – 00100
NAIROBI

To be received on or before **21st June, 2023.**

Salaries and Remuneration Commission is an equal opportunity employer. Persons with disabilities, marginalized and minority groups who meet the job specifications are encouraged to apply. Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification. **Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.**



National Police Service Commission



VACANCIES ANNOUNCEMENT

Pursuant to Article 246(3) of the Constitution of Kenya as read together with section 124(1)(e) of the NPS Act 2011, the National Police Service Commission is mandated to recruit and appoint persons to act or hold offices at the National Police Service.

Subsequently, the Commission invites applications from qualified persons to fill the following positions at the National Police Service;

S/No	Vacancy	Reference	Job Group	No. of Posts
1.	Secretary Administration	V/No. 1/2023	T	1
2.	Chief Finance Officer	V/No. 2/2023	R	1
3.	Chief Economist	V/No. 3/2023	R	1
4.	Deputy Chief Legal Officer	V/No. 4/2023	R	1
5.	Senior Medical Officer	V/No. 5/2023	N	2
6.	Senior Pharmacists	V/No. 6/2023	N	4
7.	Principal Public Communication Officer	V/No. 7/2023	N	1
8.	Clinical Officer I	V/No. 8/2023	K	2
9.	Clinical Officer III	V/No. 9/2023	H	8
10.	Nursing Officer II	V/No. 10/2023	J	2
11.	Registered Nurse III	V/No. 11/2023	H	8
12.	Lab Technologist III	V/No. 12/2023	H	10
13.	Record Management Officer II	V/No. 13/2023	J	20
14.	Records Management Officer III	V/No. 14/2023	H	80
15.	Accountant II	V/No. 15/2023	J	60
16.	Information Communication Technology Officer II	V/No. 16/2023	J	10
17.	Information Communication Technology Officer III	V/No. 17/2023	H	40
18.	Supply Chain Management Officer II	V/No. 18/2023	J	20
19.	Supply Chain Management Assistant III	V/No. 19/2023	H	40
20.	Human Resource Management Officer II	V/No. 20/2023	J	40
21.	Human Resource Management Assistant III	V/No. 21/2023	H	20
22.	Counsellor II	V/No. 22/2023	J	47
23.	Hospitality Officer II	V/No. 23/2023	J	10
24.	Assistant Chef	V/No. 24/2023	H	15
25.	Waiter Assistant III	V/No. 25/2023	E	25
26.	Cook III	V/No. 26/2023	E	70
27.	Housekeeping Assistant III	V/No. 27/2023	E	20
28.	Assistant Office Administrator III	V/No. 28/2023	H	130
29.	Clerical Officer II	V/No. 29/2023	F	146
30.	Senior Support Staff	V/No. 30/2023	D	100
31.	Mortuary Attendant(2b)	V/No. 31/2023	E	2
32.	Driver II	V/No. 32/2023	E	20
33.	Artisan III (Electrical Technician)	V/No. 33/2023	E	20
34.	Artisan III(Carpentry)	V/No. 34/2023	E	10
35.	Artisan III(Mason)	V/No. 35/2023	E	20
36.	Artisan III (Plumber)	V/No. 36/2023	E	10
37.	Artisan III (Mechanics)	V/No. 37/2023	E	44
38.	Boiler Assistant III	V/No. 38/2023	E	10
Total				1,070

Mode of Application

- Interested and qualified persons are requested to make their applications **ONLINE** through jobs portal: <https://services.npsc.go.ke/recruitment>
- Detailed Job descriptions to be obtained at the Commission website www.npsc.go.ke

Other Requirements

- Shortlisted candidates will be expected to bring the original certificates for verification during the interview.
- Shortlisted candidates for the positions at job Group 'R' and above will be required to satisfy the requirement of Chapter Six (6) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010.

Applications should be addressed to:

The Commission Secretary/ Chief Executive Officer
National Police Service Commission
Sky Park building, Westlands
P.O. Box 47363 - 00100 NAIROBI

So as to reach the Commission by the close of business on or before **20th June 2023 at 5.00 pm. East African Time (EAT).**

NB: *National Police Service Commission is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity and gender equality. Persons with disabilities and from disadvantaged groups are encouraged to apply. Only qualified candidates shall be contacted.*

Any form of canvassing shall lead to automatic disqualification



EAC partner states align 2023/24 budgets to accelerate economic recovery



Treasury CS Prof. Njuguna Ndung'u (Center), EAC Affairs CS Mrs Rebecca Miano (Right) and National Treasury PS Dr. Chris Kiptoo (Left) at the EAC finance ministers meeting in Arusha.

BY MYGOV REPORTER

East African Community (EAC) partner states have agreed to anchor their 2023/2024 budgets on a common theme.

The decision was made during a EAC Finance and Economic Planning ministers' meeting for the Sectoral Council on Finance and Economic Affairs at the EAC headquarters in Arusha, Tanzania, attended by the National Treasury and Economic Cabinet Secretary Prof NjugunaNdung'u.

The ministers agreed to anchor their 2023/24 budgets on a common theme of "Accelerating Economic Recovery, Climate Change mitigation and Enhancing Productive Sectors for Improved Livelihood".

In his remarks, EAC Deputy Secretary General

Steven Mloti lauded the ministers for implementing progressive macroeconomic policies which have helped to sustain positive economic growth in the EAC region and urged for more appropriate policy responses to help EAC economies contain the effects of economic shocks.

The Sectoral Council on Finance and Economic Affairs which consists of Ministers of Finance from the EAC region also recommended and agreed on enhanced revenue mobilization and expenditure rationalization.

Further, the ministers agreed on the implementation of EAC macroeconomic convergence criteria, to direct partner states to continue with prudent macroeconomic policies.

INVITATION TO TENDER



INVITATION TO TENDER

NO	TENDER NO.	DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	TENDER CLOSING DATE
1	KGND-GDD-080-2023	Tender For Supply Of Assorted Bearings, Oil Seals & Belts For Wellhead Power Plants	PWD Enterprises	21 st June 2023 at 10.00 a.m
2	KGND-PROC-03- 2023	Tender For Provision of Container Freight Station Services in Nairobi and Mombasa for Kenya Electricity Generating Company	Open National	21 st June 2023 at 10.00 a.m
3	KGND-SID- 13-2023	Tender for Design, Editing, Typsetting and Printing of the KenGen History Book	Citizen Contractors	21 st June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
4	KGND-IT-16-2023	Tender For Renewal of VMWare Software Licenses and Support - (Re-tender)	Citizen Contractors	21 st June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
5	KGND-GDD-081-2023	Tender For Supply Of Pneumatic Hoses, pneumatic tools and power tools for wellheads power station	Youth Enterprises	22 nd June 2023 at 10.00 a.m
6	KGND-GDD-082-2023	Tender For Supply Of Furniture For Guest Houses	PWD Enterprises	22 nd June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
7	KGND-HYD-025-2023	Tender for Supply, Installation & Commissioning of SCADA Wide Area Network & Backup Control Centre Hardware for KenGen Hydroelectric Power Plant There shall be a Mandatory site visit as listed in the tender document	Citizen Contractors	29 th June 2023 at 10.00a.m
8	KGND-GDD-083-2023	Tender for Supply Of Upgrade And License Renewal For Various Reservoir Engineering Software - (Re-tender)	Citizen Contractors	27 th June 2023 at 10.00 a.m
9	KGND-IT-18-2023	Tender for SAP Enhancement	Open International	27 th June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
10	KGND-ADM-09-2023	Tender for Provision of Sanitary Bins Services at KenGen Premises and Power Stations for Two Years (2023-2025).	Women Enterprise	27 th June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
11	KGND-KIP-19-2023	Tender for Fuel Tanks Cleaning, Repairs, Painting and Modification of HFO Line to and from Tank 901 There shall be a Mandatory Site Visit on 14th June, 2023 at Kipevu III Power Station, starting at 10.00 a.m	Citizen Contractors	28 th June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
12	KGND-HYD-19-2023	Tender for Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 110VDC Rectifier for Kamburu & Masinga Power Stations There shall be a Mandatory Site Visit on 15th June, 2023 at Masinga and Kamburu Power Station, starting at 10.00 a.m	Citizen Contractors	28 th June 2023 at 10.00a.m
13	KGND-NGONG-11 -2023	Tender For Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Ngong SCADA ICT Equipment There shall be a Mandatory Site Visit on 20th June, 2023 at Ngong Power Station, starting at 10.00 a.m	Open International	28 th June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
14	KGND-IT-17-2023	Tender for Renewal of Adobe Electronic Signature Licenses	Open International	28 th June 2023 at 2.00 p.m
15	KGND-SONDU-15-2023	Tender for Robotic Underwater Tunnels, Waterways Inspections at Turkwel and Sondu Power Stations There shall be a Mandatory Site Visit on 15th June, 2023 at Sondu Power Station, starting at 10.00 a.m	Open International	29 th June 2023 at 10.00 a.m

Interested firms may obtain further information from the office of the General Manager, Supply Chain, Tel: (254) (020) 3666230, Email: tenders@kengen.co.ke on normal working days beginning on the date of advert. The tender documents may be collected upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **KShs.1,000.00** paid in cash or through a banker's cheque at any KenGen finance office.

The document can also be viewed and downloaded from the website www.kengen.co.ke, [ppip\(tenders.go.ke\)](http://ppip(tenders.go.ke)) and on E-procurement <https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal>

Bidders are advised to refer to the website and on e-procurement regularly for any additional information /clarifications/ addenda. Downloaded copies are FREE.

SUBMISSION OF TENDERS:

- Tender documents must be submitted online through KenGen E-Procurement web portal found on the KenGen website (www.kengen.co.ke)
- Bidders who are interested in this tender MUST ensure that they are registered in the E-Procurement Portal. Please ensure compliance to the following:
 - For suppliers registering for the first time ensure the "Public Procurement" checkbox is ticked so that the login details are sent to suppliers automatically.
 - All documents must be uploaded to the SRM System through the <https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal> found at www.kengen.co.ke
 - Prices to be entered under item of the RFx shall be similar to be prices in the price schedule.

Note: Bidder who have submitted their bids and wish to amend them further should not click on **WITHDRAW** but click on **EDIT** to enable them amend their bid response and make appropriate changes.

Bidders who require any form of assistance on how to bid via the system are advised to download a manual from the website or may contact eprocurement@kengen.co.ke

Tender Original Security where applicable in the form and amount specified and must be delivered in plain sealed envelope clearly labelled with the **tender number** and **tender description** before the closing date to the following address:

**General Manager, Supply Chain,
Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC,
9th Floor, KenGen Pension Plaza II,
Kolobot Road, Parklands,
P.O. Box 47936, 00100 NAIROBI.**

Tenders will be opened **online** soon after the closing time in the presence of the candidates' representatives who choose to attend at KenGen Pension Plaza II, Tender opening room, 6th floor.

N/B: KenGen adheres to high standards of integrity in its business operations.

Report any unethical behavior immediately to the provided anonymous hotline service.

- Call Toll Free: 0800722626
- Free Fax: 00800 007788
- Email: kengen@tip-offs.com
- Website: www.tip-offs.com

GENERAL MANAGER, SUPPLY CHAIN



Kenya Copyright Board
Ministry of Youth Affairs, Sports & The Arts
P.O Box 34670 – 00100, NAIROBI, KENYA
Email: hr@copyright.go.ke

JOB ADVERTISEMENT

The Kenya Copyright Board is a State Corporation under the Ministry of Youth Affairs, Sports & the Arts whose mandate is to enforce and administer copyright and related rights. The Board seeks to recruit a suitably qualified and experienced candidate to fill the following vacant position:

S/ NO	JOB REF:	DESIGNATION	JOB GRADE	NO. OF POSTS
1	KECOBO/EXT/2023	Chief Communications Officer	KECOBO 4	1

Detailed job description as well as qualifications can be viewed on our website: www.copyright.go.ke

Suitably qualified candidates are invited to submit their applications including CV, application for employment form, three (3) references, and copies of relevant certificates and testimonials to:

**The Executive Director,
Kenya Copyright Board;
P.O Box 34670-00100, Nairobi.
Or deliver at:
NHIF Building, 5th floor (KECOBO Reception)**

Closing date for applications is **20th June 2023**
Shortlisted candidates only shall be contacted.

Qualified persons with disabilities and those from marginalized/ minority communities are encouraged to apply.



Kilifi County implements menstrual health policy to support teenage girls

BY JACKSON MSANZU AND EMMANUEL MWENDWA(KNA)

The County Government of Kilifi has developed a policy with the ultimate aim of helping teenage girls go through menstrual cycles comfortably and reduce the stigma associated to the monthly biological process by an un-informed society.

World Menstrual Health celebration at Bamba, Deputy Governor Ms Flora Chibule revealed that Kilifi leaders have developed the Menstrual Health and Hygiene (MHH) Policy which gives the county government an obligation to provide menstrual hygiene for girls free of charge.

MsChibule noted that among the commitments that the county government

will have in the proposed policy include, ensuring that all girls and women have access to safe, affordable, and effective menstrual hygiene products. "This policy is a critical step towards breaking the stigma surrounding menstruation and promoting gender equality in our county," Chibule said.


Apart from developing policies, MsChibule added the county will go out of

its way to eliminate "period poverty" through a free pads distribution initiatives to ensure every girl has an access to the resources they need to manage their periods with dignity and comfort. "I am pleased to report that the Kilifi County government together with our able partners has distributed over 60,000 sanitary towels to vulnerable girls in our county," she said.



Young girls' mentors demonstrating how to use sanitary pads during World Menstrual health day celebration at Bamba, Kilifi

"We recognize that access to menstrual hygiene products is a basic human right, and we are committed to ensuring that every girl and woman in our county has access to these products," she added.



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INVITATION FOR OPEN TENDER AND CONTINUOUS REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS

Nyandarua National Polytechnic invites applications from interested, eligible and competent firms for supply and delivery of GOODS, WORKS and SERVICES in the Open Tenders and Registration of suppliers for the Financial Years 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 Pursuant to section 57 and 71 of the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act 2015.

In order to be considered for procurement opportunities, interested firms are required to submit registration application documents for the specified category/ies. Registration and Open Tender documents can be downloaded **FREE of charge** from Polytechnic's website: www.nyandaruanationalpoly.ac.ke or from the Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP): www.tenders.go.ke or obtained from **Nyandarua National Polytechnic** upon payment of a **non-refundable fee of kshs 1,000** at Accounts Office within working hours.



Completed tender documents enclosed in a plain sealed envelopes, clearly indicating:- "**TENDER NUMBER**" and "**NAME**" be deposited in the TENDER BOX situated at **ADMINISTRATION BLOCK** addressed to :-

**THE CHIEF PRINCIPAL
 NYANDARUA NATIONAL POLYTECHNIC
 P.O BOX 2033-20300
 NYAHURURU**

To be received on or before **10:00 AM** on **TUESDAY 20TH JUNE 2023**.

NOTE: LATE BIDS SHALL NOT BE ACCEPTED.



RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND RENEWABLE ENERGY CORPORATION

ADDENDUM 001


The Rural Electrification Authority Renewable Energy Corporation wishes to inform all firms interested in participating in Tenders whose details appear below and was advertised in the local dailies on 16th May, 2023 that the Corporation wishes to make the following amendments to the tender documents:



- Opening dates have been changed as follows;

No.	Contract number	Contract name and Description	Tender Closing, Opening date & time	
			(old date)	(New date)
1	1000000922	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of grid connected street lighting of public places in Narok County	08.06.2023 @10.00am.	20.06.2023 @10.00am.
2	1000000923	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of grid connected street lighting in Kabete Constituency, Kiambu County.	08.06.2023 @10.00am.	20.06.2023 @10.00am.

- All other terms in the Tender including the Tender description remain unchanged.
- Bidders who have submitted their bid should **NOT CLICK ON WITHDRAW** but click on Edit to amend their bid and make appropriate changes if they wish to do so.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER.



YOUR NATIONAL BROADCASTER

TENDER NOTICE

The Kenya Broadcasting Corporation invites interested and eligible tenderers to participate in the following tender:

TENDER NUMBER	TENDER DESCRIPTION
24/KBC/2022-2023	PROVISION OF INSURANCE COVER FOR KBC MOTOR VEHICLE AND MOTOR CYCLE

A complete set of tender documents may be downloaded by interested candidates from the Corporation website, www.kbc.co.ke, tenders.go.ke(PIIP) or obtain hard copy from Procurement Manager's Office at Broadcasting House Harry Thuku Road. Interested candidates will be required to register by paying non refundable fees of **Ksh 1,000** in cash or bankers Cheque payable to Kenya Broadcasting Corporation cashier situated on Harry Thuku Road before the deadline of returning the completed document. (**Kshs.1000/= not applicable to youth, women and PWD**), Bidders downloading the tender document from the website are not required to pay but immediately forward their particulars for records and for the purposes of receiving any further tender clarifications and/or addendums to KBC Procurement Office or procurement@kbc.co.ke.


Completed tender documents must be submitted in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked with respective tender numbers and addressed to:-

**Managing Director,
 Kenya Broadcasting Corporation,
 P.O. Box 30456-00100,
 NAIROBI**

OR

Be deposited in the tender box at the Main Gate Broadcasting House on or before **20TH June 2023 at 10.00am**. Submitted bids will be opened immediately thereafter at the KBC Matanganzo office in the presence of bidders or representatives who wish to attend.

MANAGING DIRECTOR






COMPETITION AUTHORITY OF KENYA
 Creating efficient markets for consumers

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The Competition Authority of Kenya (the Authority) is a Statutory Agency established under the Competition Act No.12 of 2010. The Authority's mandate is to promote and safeguard competition and also protect consumers from unfair and misleading market conduct.

The Authority invites applications from suitably qualified and experienced persons to fill the following vacant position:

Designation	Department	No. of Positions	Job Reference
Driver	Human Resource and Administration	1	CAK/01.06/2023

Interested candidates may access detailed job descriptions, specifications and experience required for the position from the Authority's website www.cak.go.ke and those meeting the requirements are advised to submit their applications through: Email: recruitment@cak.go.ke

The Competition Authority of Kenya is "An ALL Inclusive Employer"

**Canvassing of any form will lead to automatic disqualification.
 Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.**



NIA plans new pump to reopen cut-off blocks in Kano Scheme

BY CHRIS MAHANDARA(KNA)

The National Irrigation Authority (NIA) has requisitioned a modern electric pump for installation at the West Kano Irrigation Scheme in Kisumu County to boost rice production.

NIA Acting Deputy General Manager in charge of Operations and Irrigation Management Services Joel Tanui said, the agency has allocated funds for the initiative in the 2023-2024 financial year's budget.

He said this was set to maximise pumping efficiency and open up more land for irrigation in the 5,000-acre scheme to scale up rice production.

Located in the Kano plains, the scheme which was established in 1974 serves over 900 farmers and produces over 7,900 metric tonnes annually.

The scheme's irrigation water is abstracted by pumping from Lake Victoria with the water drainage also pumped back into the lake.

Tanui said the pump, which used to serve the scheme was moved to Ahero



A section of the Ahero Irrigation Scheme Pump station.

Irrigation Scheme in 2006 to stabilise water supply.

The decision to install a new pump at the scheme follows a public outcry with farmers petitioning the NIA to return the pump to open up blocks of the vast scheme which have been cut off following the recent floods experienced in the area.

Appearing before the National Assembly Public Petitions Committee sitting at the scheme, Tanui said the move to relocate the pump to Ahero was arrived at to save a crop worth millions of shillings.

"At that time, we were experiencing a big challenge

at Ahero Irrigation Scheme which threatened to destroy rice worth Sh600 million. That is why we decided to move the pump," he said.

The NIA, he said, was aware of the plight of farmers in Kano adding that the procurement process for the new pump is set to begin in July to ensure that it is fitted before the end of the year.

"The pumps are not available locally. We source them from South Africa and Germany which takes three to four months," he said.

Returning the old pump to the scheme, he said, was untenable since it was set to be decommissioned.

KURA invites bids for the Nairobi Intelligent Transport System, Junction Improvement Project

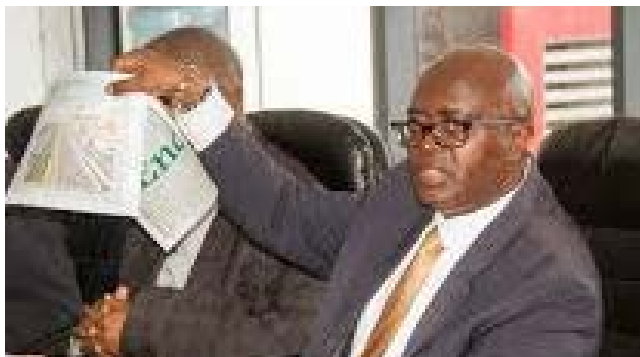
BY MYGOV REPORTER.

The Kenya Urban Roads Authority (KURA) is inviting bids for the open International Tender for the Nairobi Intelligent Transport System (ITS) Establishment and Junction Improvement Project [Phase I].

The new project, according to a notice signed by Mr. John Cheboi for the Director General Eng. Silas Kinoti (pictured) is estimated to cost Sh8.5 billion and is funded by the Korea Exim Bank.

The new project will see the installation of intelligent transport management systems at 25 critical junctions in Nairobi and the construction of an ultra-modern Traffic Management Center.

The systems will include traffic signal controllers, traffic signals/lights, CCTV surveillance cameras, traffic sensors/vehicle detection system, Electronic Police Cameras, and vehicle enforcement systems (check point) which will be used to monitor traffic flow and



optimize traffic signals control.

The project also involves the installation of a communication network as well as capacity building and skills transfer during the maintenance and operation period. The project is expected to commence in January 2024 and be complete by June 2026.

"The Nairobi Intelligent Transport System is a key project in our efforts to improve traffic flow and make Nairobi a more liveable city," said Eng. Kinoti.

"We are grateful to the Government of Kenya and the Government of Korea through the Korea Exim Bank for their support of

this important project," Kinoti added.

Bidding will be conducted through Competitive Bidding (CB) procedures specified in the Guideline for Procurement under EDCF Loans and is open to all eligible bidders that meet the minimum qualification criteria.

The bidding process will close on 29th August 2023 and this project will see the expansion and modification of the existing junctions in Nairobi including Moi Avenue/Kenyatta Avenue, Koinange/Kenyatta Avenue, Mbagathi Way/Langata Road, and Limuru Road/Muthaiga Road just to mention a few.



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VACANT POSITION - C.E.O./DIRECTOR

Kenya Institute of Mass Communication (KIMC) is a State Corporation established by Legal Notice No. 197 of 2011 (Amended 2012) to offer training in Communication, Infotainment and Cinematic Arts. The Institute wishes to recruit the Director and is therefore inviting applications from qualified candidates.

I. Job purpose

The Director, who is the Chief Executive Officer, will be responsible for day-to-day management of the Institute's affairs and answerable to the KIMC Council.

II. Responsibilities

The responsibilities of this position include:

- i. Co-ordinating, planning and implementing training programmes for both sectoral and national needs in line with the Constitution, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), Bottom-up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA) and Vision 2030;
- ii. Initiating, developing and implementing curricula that will facilitate teaching, training and research in the Institute;
- iii. Initiating, coordinating and implementing training policies;
- iv. Being responsible for the execution of communication of the Council's strategies, decisions and policies;
- v. Developing and recommending to the Council the annual business plans for the Institute;
- vi. Providing regular, thorough and prompt communication to the Council on key technical, financial and administrative matters;
- vii. Ensuring prudent utilisation, effective and efficient reporting of human, financial and material resources in the Institute including annual budget and audited accounts;
- viii. Coordinating the planning and implementation of the Institute's development projects;
- ix. Establishing collaboration and linkages with other institutions and stakeholders for academic and financial development;
- x. Providing leadership and motivation to both staff and students at the Institute;
- xi. Ensuring effective interpretation and implementation of relevant government policies; and
- xii. Serving as the link between the Council and the Management.

III. Qualifications

Applicants to this position should have the following qualifications:

- i. At least fifteen (15) years professional experience, five (5) of which should be in senior management level in a similar institution in either public service or private sector;
- ii. Demonstrated strong management leadership skills with a high degree of accountability;
- iii. A masters degree in any of the following disciplines: Mass Communications, Communication Studies, Broadcast Production, Media Studies, Information Science, Arts or Education, Sociology/Philosophy, Economics or Business Studies, Theatre Arts/Performing Arts, Music, Electrical/Electronic or Telecommunication Engineering, Computer Science or its equivalent qualification from a recognised institution;
- iv. Certificate in Training of Trainers (ToT) course from a recognised institution;
- v. Certificate in Corporate Governance or Strategic Leadership Development Programme lasting not less than six (6) weeks from a recognised institution;
- vi. Knowledge of national goals, policies and programmes in media training;
- vii. Demonstrated ability to lead a similar State Corporation; and
- viii. Meet the requirements of Chapter Six (6) of the Constitution of Kenya.

IV. Skills and Competencies

- i. Good understanding of the mandate of KIMC and its role in the realisation of the national development agenda;
- ii. Ability to work in a tertiary institution;
- iii. Good interpersonal Skills;
- iv. Strong analytical and leadership skills;
- v. Ability to mobilise resources;
- vi. Effective problem solving and mediation skills; and
- vii. Negotiation skills.

V. Terms of Service

- i. The appointment to this position is on contract term of three (3) years, renewable once subject to satisfactory performance.
- ii. Salary and allowances will be paid as per government policies and guidelines issued by the Salaries and Remuneration Commission.
- iii. Medical cover and other benefits will be as approved by KIMC Council

VI. How to apply

- i. Each application should be accompanied by copies of academic and professional certificates and testimonials, curriculum vitae including details of functional phone and email contacts, current remuneration, contacts of three referees and notice period required to take up appointment.
- ii. All applications should be marked "**Application for the position of Director**" and addressed to
**The Chairperson,
Kenya Institute of Mass Communication Council,
Uhoho Road-South B,
P.O Box 42422-00100, Nairobi**
- iii. Hand delivered applications should be delivered to the Kenya Institute of Mass Communication offices, Uhoho Road-South B, during working hours.
- iv. Online applications should be submitted to chairkimc@kimc.ac.ke in PDF format.

VII. Closing Date

All applications should be received on or before **July 6, 2023 at 5.00pm.**

VIII. Additional Information

- i. Shortlisted candidates will be required to present originals of the following documents during the interviews:
 - National Identity Card
 - Academic and professional certificates and transcripts
 - Any other supporting documents and testimonials
- ii. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted using phone, postal and/or email addresses provided. Any canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification
- iii. Successful candidates shall be required to submit the following documents in compliance with chapter 6 of the Constitution (2010):
 - Valid certificate of good conduct issued by Directorate of Criminal Investigation (DCI);
 - Self-Declaration form duly executed by the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC);
 - Clearance Certificate from Higher Education Loans Board (HELB);
 - A Tax Compliance Certificate from Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA); and
 - Clearance Certificate from an approved Credit Reference Bureau (CRB).
- iv. Kenya Institute of Mass Communication is an equal opportunity employer. Women, marginalised and people living with disability are encouraged to apply.

State launches costs handbook for construction works

BY PARIN WANJIRU
(PCO)

The State Department for Public Works has launched the Costs Handbook for Construction Works to provide builders with a basis for estimating the costs of building and civil engineering projects.

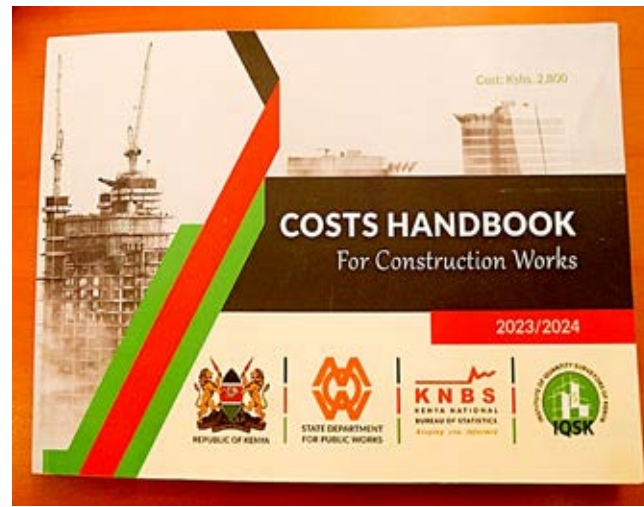
Speaking during the official launch of the Handbook at a Nairobi hotel, the

Principal Secretary for the State Department for Public Works Mr. Joel Arumonyang revealed that the rates provided in the handbook will reflect the average market prices for building materials and serve as a guide in estimating for both public and private sectors building projects countrywide.

The PS said the book was developed through col-

laboration between the State Department for Public Works, the Institute of Quantity Surveyors Kenya (IQSK) and the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS).

Arumonyang said it covers topics like construction works under the categories of builder's works, electrical works, mechanical works, landscaping and civil works



and it is available at the Institute of Quantity Surveyors of Kenya Secretariat.

During the ceremony, the PS also opened the IQSK Symposium themed, "Digital Transformation in the Built Environment" which brought together quantity surveyors, architects and other professionals in the construction industry who deliberated and showcased the milestones that have been achieved in a bid to digitize operations in the industry.



RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND RENEWABLE ENERGY CORPORATION

EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

The Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation, (formerly, the Rural Electrification Authority) a State Corporation established under the Energy Act, 2019, is mandated to enhance provision of electricity in the rural areas of the country as well as develop, manage and promote the use of renewable energy in Kenya. Through its mandate, the Corporation seeks to improve the socio-economic well-being of Kenyans living in rural areas as well as develop cheap alternatives to sources of energy through the promotion of renewable energy.

The Corporation is looking for highly experienced, motivated and results oriented individuals to fill the vacancies in the organization. The applicants must be self-driven individuals who are focused and committed to driving the Corporation towards achieving its mandate. They will work with the departmental teams in spearheading/embracing innovation, work ethics and must possess high level of integrity.

Applications are invited from professionals who meet **ALL** the minimum qualifications for the following positions:

S/ No.	Position	Grade	No. of Vacancies	Terms of Service
1.	Principal Engineer, Construction	REREC 4	1	Permanent and Pensionable
2.	Principal Engineer, Operations and Maintenance	REREC 4	1	Permanent and Pensionable
3.	Senior Engineer, Construction	REREC 5	1	Permanent and Pensionable
4.	Senior Engineer (Civil), Alternative Energy	REREC 5	1	Permanent and Pensionable
5.	Senior Business Development Officer	REREC 5	1	Permanent and Pensionable
6.	Senior Office Administrator	REREC 5	1	Permanent and Pensionable
7.	Engineer (Construction)	REREC 6	1	Permanent and Pensionable
8.	Engineer (Operations And Maintenance)	REREC 6	1	Permanent and Pensionable
9.	Cartographer	REREC 6	1	Permanent and Pensionable
10.	Wayleaves Officer	REREC 6	1	Permanent and Pensionable
11.	Security Officer	REREC 6	2	Permanent and Pensionable
12.	Senior Technician (Construction)	REREC 7	2	Permanent and Pensionable
13.	Technician (Renewable Energy)	REREC 8	3	Permanent and Pensionable
14.	Human Resource Assistant	REREC 8	2	Permanent and Pensionable
15.	Supply Chain Management Assistant (Procurement And Disposal)	REREC 8	1	Permanent and Pensionable
16.	Supply Chain Management Assistant (Inventory Management And Logistics)	REREC 8	2	Permanent and Pensionable
17.	Driver	REREC 9	2	Permanent and Pensionable
18.	Office Assistant	REREC 10	1	Permanent and Pensionable

Application Procedure:

- Interested candidates are requested to make their applications through a standard one-page cover letter, attaching a detailed CV, copies of academic certificates, a copy of ID/passport and any other relevant supporting documents.
- All applicants **MUST** complete the **BIO DATA** Form which should be obtained in the Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation website and send the same in **EXCEL** to the Chief Executive Officer on **jobs@rea.co.ke**. **PDF** and **SCANNED** bio data will be rejected.
- Only the candidates offered employment shall be required to present the following clearance certificates:
 - Tax Compliance certificate from Kenya Revenue Corporation (KRA);
 - Clearance Certificates from Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC);
 - Clearance Certificates from Higher Education Loans Board (HELB);
 - A Valid Certificate of Good Conduct from the Directorate of Criminal Investigations (DCI); and
 - A current report from an approved Credit Reference Bureau (CRB).
- Interested and qualified candidates are requested to submit **HARD COPIES** of their applications together with their updated Curriculum Vitae, **CERTIFIED** copies of academic and professional certificates on or before the closing dates.
- Qualified persons including physically challenged, youth, minority groups and female candidates are encouraged to apply.
- Only the shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Applications should be sent to:

The Chief Executive Officer,
Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation,
Kawi House, Block C/South C-Bellevue,
P.O Box 34585-00100,
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So as to reach on/or before **Monday, 26th of June, 2023.**



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JKUAT 40TH & PAUSTI 9TH JOINT GRADUATION CEREMONY

This is to inform all candidates who qualified for the conferment of degrees and the award of diplomas and certificates of **Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology** and **Pan African University Institute for Basic Sciences and Innovation (PAUSTI)** during the 2022/2023 academic year that there will be a Graduation Ceremony on **Friday, 23rd June 2023** from **8.00. am** at the **Graduation Square, at the Main Campus, Juja**. The information regarding preparations for the ceremony is detailed below:

(i.) Examination Results

The results of examinations sat in the **2022/2023 academic year** will be available from the offices of the respective Deans/Directors of Schools/Campuses/Institutes during working hours. **Qualified candidates should confirm the inclusion of their names in the graduation list with their respective Deans/Directors, latest Monday, 5th June 2023.**

(ii.) Confirmation of the order of names

The list of graduands for the Graduation Ceremony will be available on the website www.jkuat.ac.ke. To avoid any penalties, all candidates should confirm the order and correctness of spelling of their names as they should appear on their certificates from **Monday, 5th June 2023**. This confirmation will be done through filling in the relevant form which is maintained in the respective Schools. After this, any changes to the details in the certificate requested after graduation will attract a fee of **KShs. 3,000**.

(iii.) Rehearsal

Graduands wishing to participate in the ceremony **MUST** attend in person the rehearsals at the **Graduation Square on Thursday, 22nd June 2023 at 10.00 a.m.** Graduands attending the rehearsal must be seated by the stated hour and be in complete graduation attire. Vital information will be communicated during the rehearsal. Please note that graduation attire will not be issued on the rehearsal day.

(iv.) Graduation Fees

A mandatory non-refundable fee as stated below must be paid **NOT** later than **Friday 2nd June 2023**. Payments will be made to the University bank accounts at any of the branches of the banks listed below:

ABSA A/c No. 077-5001216
Cooperative Bank of Kenya, A/c No. 01129098952900
National Bank of Kenya, A/c No. 01003059580600
Equity Bank A/c No. 0090291251426

In addition, graduands must have cleared any fees arrears and all other dues owed to the University by the said date, failure to which will lead to disqualification from the ceremony.

The following are mandatory graduation charges for the various categories of graduands, which must be paid not later than **Friday 2nd June 2023**

S/No	Award	Graduation Fees	Academic Dress	Alumni	Total Payable
1	Ph.D.	KShs. 5,500	KShs. 1000	KShs. 1,100	KShs. 7,600
2	Masters	KShs. 5,000	KShs. 700	KShs. 1,100	KShs. 6,800
3	Post-Graduate Diplomas	KShs. 4,500	KShs. 600	KShs. 1,100	KShs. 6,200
4	Undergraduate Degree/Diploma	KShs. 3,500	KShs. 600	KShs. 1,100	KShs. 5,200
5.	Certificate	KShs. 2,000	KShs. 600	KShs. 1,100	KShs. 3,700

**Please note that none of the fees paid above will be refundable.*

(v) Academic Dress

During the ceremony, only graduands in full academic attire will be allowed entry into the Graduation Square. Graduands who wish to hire gowns are required to apply and pay as stated above. The forms can be downloaded from the University website, www.jkuat.ac.ke. Gowns will be issued from **Monday, 12th June, 2023** up to **Wednesday, 21st June, 2023** during working hours. Graduation attire must be returned by **Friday, 7th July 2023** latest; after which a penalty of **KShs. 500 (Kenya shillings five hundred only) will be charged per day**.

(vi) Electronic Cards

Electronic cards will be sent to the graduands' email addresses. Every graduand will be required to print one (1) invitation e-card and be accompanied by his/her two (2) guests. In addition, graduands will be issued with a car pass when picking their gowns at the respective school.

(vii) Punctuality

On the graduation day, graduands and their guests will be expected to have taken their seats by **7.30 a.m.** Those arriving late will not be allowed into the Graduation Square.

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KFCB to promote digital literacy among parents to avert child exploitation

BY ANNE MWALE (KNA)

The Kenya Film Classification Board (KFCB) has launched a campaign of promoting digital literacy among parents and caregivers over online safety of children and families.

This is meant to prevent, address and respond to online cyber bullying, sexual exploitation and abuse of children in the country.

KFCB's Acting Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Mr Christopher Wambua said with the increased awareness among parents about modern smart technologies linked to the internet, the campaign will give them the skills to keep children and youth safe from online harm. Mr Wambua stated that through collecting data from its classification and regulatory duties, the Board realized that there was a major information gap among parents.

"We realized that children themselves know more than the parents when it comes to digital literacy as they are



Kenya Films and Classification Board (KFCB) acting Chief Executive Officer Mr Christopher Wambua. Pictures by Dennis Rasto/KNA

tech savvy," he said.

Mr Wambua noted that this becomes a big problem when it comes to protecting children when they are online. "A study by the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) indicates that two-thirds of children online have not been taught or guided on how to consume online content appropriately. It is parents' and teachers' responsibility to protect them from online harm, especially as the people who are engaged the most with their children," he added.

He disclosed that the UNICEF study had established that 17 per cent of children aged 18 years had been exposed to online pornography, while 30 per cent had interacted with strangers.

Speaking at Deliverance Church in Nakuru where KFCB took its Digital Parental Digital Literacy Programme (PaDiL), the acting CEO observed that the migration to digital space for learning, working and digital business had exposed many children and adolescents to cyber bullies.

Tomato farmers in Nakuru in heavy losses as they battle destructive pest

BY WILLIAM INGANGA (KNA)

Tomato farmers in Subukia, Nakuru county have been fighting with a pest that has mostly been destroying their crops, especially the leaves with the resultant effect being a drop in the quality of tomatoes.

The pest, Tutaabsoluta, which crept into the country at around 2016 has previously been exclusively tackled by chemical pesticides but a shift in this trend is being sought through an Integrated Pest Management (IPM) approach that hugely incorporates biological control coupled with minimal chemical pesticide application.

Mr. Josiah Ngumi inherited from his parents a passion for farming and has been a farmer for about 10 years. He transformed his hobby into agribusiness and grew tomatoes on a two-acre



A scientist at Kenya Biologics Ltd, Velma Wekesa on a tomato farm with the triangular delta trap, in Josiah Ngumi's tomato farm.

piece of land. In addition, he grows red cabbage, spinach, capsicum, and other vegetables.

"However, the major challenge for tomatoes has been Tutaabsoluta. This is a very destructive pest; it can wipe out all your harvest. But now we have found a solution to the problem," he said.

The Centre for Behaviour Change and Communication Partnerships Director and Technical Lead, Dr.

Catherine Lengewa, says, "tomatoes are considered lucrative crops to grow since they mature fast and have a good return once harvested and sold."

She adds, "Despite these advantages, tomatoes are known to be vulnerable to pests and diseases including early and late blight and Tuta absoluta, making it a high-risk crop to grow and consequently prone to heavy pesticide use during its production."

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Gender officers to champion affirmative gender actions in counties

BY ERASTUS GICHOHI(KNA)

The Principal Secretary for Gender and Affirmative Action Ms Veronica Nduva has tasked county gender officers to champion the implementation of policies on gender equality and women empowerment.

Ms Nduva said the government is committed to strengthening key policies and programs at the grassroots level that address discrimination and violence against women in the country.

She said the officers will take a proactive role in collaboration with the County Gender Sector Working Groups to implement the two-thirds gender rule that seeks to address gaps in achieving gender equality.

The PS disclosed that the government has already initiated a multi-agency team that comprises state and



Gender and Affirmative Action Principal Secretary Veronica Nduva addressing participants during the opening of County Gender Officers Conference in Naivasha.

non-state actors which will inform steps towards realizing the gender rule by the end of the year.

She said gender officers will implement programmes and policies that promote gender-responsive budgeting and planning, participation of women in political leadership and decision-making and integrate gender perspective into all sectors of

development.

The PS said the government has initiated digitization of women empowerment programs such as Women Fund, Youth Fund, Affirmative Action Fund that will enable beneficiaries access services and funding through digital platforms.

Speaking during the opening of a county gender officers workshop in Naivasha, the PS said the government has prioritized key point agendas for women to promote and bridge the gender equality gap in the country.

She said the government will roll out economic empowerment programs, include women in leadership, address gender-based violence and female genital mutilation and enhance social welfare for women in diaspora.

In addition, she said, the government will also address women's health issues, provide a clean and safe environment, implement the free sanitary towels programme and address women and girls' land rights.

According to the Kenya Demographic and Health Survey 2022 Report, women in the lowest wealth bracket are more likely to get pregnant, with the marginalized counties being the most af-

ected.

The data indicates women in Samburu County are likely to experience teenage pregnancy at 50 per cent, West Pokot 36 per cent, Marsabit 29 per cent and Narok at 28 per cent.

On land ownership rights, the data indicates that only three per cent of women own agricultural land with 62 per cent of them lacking a title deed for the land as compared to men, at 22 per cent.

The survey also indicates that women bear the burden of gender-based violence with those who have experienced physical violence since age 15 highest in Bungoma (62 per cent) and lowest in Mandera (nine per cent).

The survey also indicates that women are the most prone to sexual violence with the data showing that 13 per cent of women have reported to have experienced sexual violence at some point in their lives.



**COMMUNICATIONS
AUTHORITY OF KENYA**

TENDER NOTICE AND EXTENSION OF TENDER CLOSING DATE

The Communications Authority of Kenya (CA) is the regulatory authority for the ICT industry in Kenya with responsibilities in telecommunications, cybersecurity, e-commerce, broadcasting, and postal/courier services. CA is also responsible for managing the country's numbering and frequency spectrum resources, administering the Universal Service Fund (USF) as well as protecting the interests of users of ICT services

CA notifies prospective bidders on the closing date of tenders as follows:-

OPEN NATIONAL TENDER			
Tender Reference	Description of tender	Closing date and time	Eligibility
CA/PROC/OT/72/2022-2023	Open National Re-Tender for Provision of Upgrades, Maintenance And Support Services of CA's Quality of Service Monitoring System (QoSMS)	16 th June 2023 at 10:30 am	Open to all

EXTENSION OF TENDER CLOSING DATE				
No.	Tender Reference	Description of tender	Old Closing date and time	New Closing date and time
1.	CA/SCM/RFP/16/2022-2023	Re-Tender on Request for Proposal for Provision of Consultancy Services for a Spectrum Pricing Study	14 th June 2023 at 10.30 am	21 st June 2023 at 10.30am

The tender document can be accessed and downloaded from the Public Procurement Information Portal <http://www.tenders.go.ke> and the Authority's website: <http://ca.go.ke/about-us/do-business-with-s/open-tenders/> free of charge.

The link for the pre-bidder conference will be shared with the bidders who will have expressed interest and the same will be uploaded on the Public Procurement Information Portal <http://www.tenders.go.ke> and the Authority's website: <http://ca.go.ke/about-us/do-business-with-s/open-tenders/>

Further, firms who download the tender documents must arrange to forward their particulars/ contacts to the Head of Procurement, Communications Authority of Kenya, through the email address tenders@ca.go.ke before the closing date for records and for purposes of receiving clarifications and or addendums, if any. Any addendum, which will be issued, will be uploaded in the CA Website

Eligible bidders may also inspect and obtain detailed hard copy of the tender documents from the Supply Chain Department in 2nd floor Wing A at CA Centre along Waiyaki Way, Nairobi, between 9am to 4pm, Monday to Friday excluding Public Holidays at a non-refundable fee of Kshs 1,000.00

Tender documents may be obtained electronically from the Website www.ca.go.ke <https://ca.go.ke/about-us/do-business-with-us/open-tenders> or Public Procurement Information Portal (PIPP) supplier portal (<http://www.tenders.go.ke/website/tenders/index..>) Tender documents obtained electronically will be free of charge.

Prices quoted should be inclusive of all taxes, **MUST** be expressed in Kenya shillings.

Duly completed tender documents should be enclosed in a plain, sealed envelope clearly marked with the tender name and reference number and should be deposited in the tender box on the ground floor of the CA Centre, so as to reach on or before the closing date and time indicated above.

**Director General/CEO
Communications Authority of Kenya (CA)
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Bids shall be opened immediately thereafter at CA Centre ground floor, Atrium in the presence of the bidders' representative(s) who choose to attend.

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PUBLIC SERVICE SUPERANNUATION SCHEME

HYBRID AGM

NOTICE OF THE 1ST ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Public Service Superannuation Scheme for the year ended **30th June 2022** will take place both physically and virtually on **Friday, 30th June 2023 at 10.00 a.m.** The business to be transacted is as follows:

1. Opening Prayers
2. Reading of the notice convening of the meeting
3. Introductions
4. Presentation of the Chairman's Report
5. Remarks by the Sponsor
6. Presentation of the Financial Statements of the Scheme for the year ended **30th June 2022**
7. Presentation of the Auditor's Report
8. To receive the Fund Management report
9. Presentation of Custodian reports
10. Presentation of the Administration Report
11. Presentation of the Secretariat Report
12. Remarks by the Retirement Benefits Authority (RBA)
13. Presentation of the report on remuneration of trustees
14. Question and Answer Session
15. Vote of Thanks
16. Closing Prayer

Members of the scheme are invited to register and participate virtually on Zoom via the link: https://us02web.zoom.us/join/register/WN_3T-SnL0KSNmXxDzJz9t0w

The AGM will also be streamed live on one of the local TV stations and other online channels (**YouTube, Facebook, Instagram and Twitter**)

Members with questions and/or comments can send them to agm2023@psss.go.ke or psssagm@cpf.or.ke

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Gvt embarks on youth sensitisation campaign on Maritime and Shipping Sector and blue economy

BY JULIUS NDEGWA (PCO)

The State Department for Shipping and Maritime Affairs has launched a country wide youth sensitisation campaign on the available job and business opportunities in the maritime and shipping sector in order to empower them to tap into and exploit the hitherto unexploited opportunities in the blue economy field.

The Principal Secretary in the State Department Mr. Shadrack Mwandime said his team is determined to aggressively pursue continuous engagement with the youth nationwide to sensitize, educate and empower them on the potential and possibilities available in the blue growth sector.



Kwale Governor Fatma Achani, PS Shadrack Mwandime (centre) and KMA Chairman Hamisi Mwanguya.

Speaking when he led a team of officers from his department during a courtesy call on Kwale Governor Ms Fatuma Achani, Mr. Mwandime said the burgeoning youth population in

the country should not be viewed as a liability but rather as an asset that can be harnessed to propel the country to higher economic growth.

Mwandime who was

accompanied by the Chairman of the Kenya Maritime Authority, Mr. Hamisi Mwanguya noted that the youth is a depository potential resource which if well utilized can be a factor of economic growth and a main contributor to the development of the country.

Among other issues, the PS and the Governor discussed partnerships between the National and County Governments on effective ways of mobilizing the youth to take up Maritime careers for eventual absorption in the local and international maritime job market.

Already, Mwandime noted, the department has commenced the process by engaging the youth in Taita

Taveta County. and by next week, the department has organized sensitization forums in all the Sub-Counties of Kinango, Lunga Lunga, Matuga and Msambweni of Kwale county.

"Our target as a country is to have 5,000 youth employed annually in this sector. The proximity to the ocean puts us at an advantage position to secure these jobs which are up for grabs to every Kenyan youth." the PS said.

The Government, Mwandime revealed, has through the Higher Education Loans Board, set aside Sh.20million this year as a loan facility strictly for students pursuing maritime courses at the Bandari Maritime Academy,

further indicating that the kitty will be enhanced to Sh 25m in the next financial year, "as a way of ensuring no youth interested joining the maritime field is left behind".

He further said that the National Youth Fund has ring fenced an additional Sh 300,000 for the same cause.

Governor Achani promised that her devolved government will set an unspecified amount of money to sponsor students from the county for maritime related courses at the Bandari Maritime Academy.

"We are going to take this campaign right to the ward and village levels", said the governor who also thanked the National government for working with the counties in the sensitization programmes.



MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION AND IRRIGATION

CENTRAL RIFT VALLEY WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

INVITATION TO TENDER

The Central Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency (CRVWDA) invites sealed tenders for the following projects:

Tender No	Project Name	Category and class of registration	County	Scope Summary	Eligibility	Closing Date and time	Bid Security amount (Kes)
CRVWDA/BAR/W/KABORO/5/2022-2023	Construction Of Kaboro Water Project (Mondui-Kaptiomwo Water Supply)	NCA 7 and above for water/civil works	Baringo	(i) Extension of the pipeline from Kasok to Mondui Primary school. (ii) Construction of 50m ³ masonry tank, water kiosk (iii) Drilling, Equipping and Civil Works of 1 No Borehole at Kaptiomwo Primary School	Special (Youth, Women, PWD)	20 th June, 2023, 12.00pm	N/A
CRVWDA/BAR/W/KAPTUMO/6/2022-2023	Construction Of Kaptumo Water Project (Kaptumo-Sogon Water Supply)	NCA 7 and above for water/civil works	Baringo	(i) Extension of pipeline from Chepkabomo Masonry sump to Sogon Tank (ii) Construction of 1 No Water Kiosk (iii) Solarization of Kasau Reservoir pumping system & Talai BH (iv) Construction of 4m high steel tower	Open	20 th June, 2023, 12.00pm	150,000

Tender documents may be viewed and downloaded for free from the www.crvwda.go.ke or at PPIP portal www.tenders.go.ke. Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to procurement@crvwda.go.ke to facilitate any further clarification or addendum.

Pre-bid meeting

There shall be a pre-tender site visit for both projects on **Monday 12th June, 2023**. Meeting shall be at **Central Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency at 10:00am**.

Submission

Complete tender document marked the tender No. must be delivered to the tender box situated at the address below by **Tuesday 20th June, 2023 at 12:00 Noon**. Tender must be accompanied by a tender security as stated above in form of a bank guarantee. The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted. **Late tenders will be rejected.**

The bids will be opened at 1205 hours local time on **Tuesday 20th June, 2023** in the presence of the bidders who choose to attend, bidders' representatives who chose to attend must submit written authorization from the firms they are representing.

The address referred to above is:

Chief Executive Officer
Central Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency
Maji Plaza, Prisons Road
P.O. Box 2451-20100 Nakuru, Kenya
Mobile No. 0725999000
E-mail: info@crvwda.go.ke



PPB cracks down illegal distribution outlets

BY JUDY SHERI (PCO)

In a resolute move to protect public health and maintain regulatory integrity, the Pharmacy and Poisons Board (PPB) of Kenya, the country's Drug Regulatory Authority, has launched a targeted crackdown on illegal distribution outlets operating within the Nyanza and Nairobi regions.

The operation which commenced last month aims to combat the presence of illegal chemists, herbal medicine stores, and cosmetic shops that unlawfully stock medicament-containing preparations disguised as cosmetics.

Mr. Julius Kaluai, the Head of Good Distribution Practices at PPB, emphasized the importance of the crackdown, stating, "our primary goal is to ensure a safe healthcare environment for all Kenyans and by taking decisive action against these illegal outlets, we are protecting consumers from potentially harmful products."

Working in collaboration with various government agencies, including the Judiciary, Kenya Police service, Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (ODPP), and the Police, the PPB's concerted efforts have yielded significant results and multiple arrests have been made with a total of seventy individuals apprehended and are now facing prosecution in courts within the Nyanza



Regulatory Authority takes action: closure notices posted as illegal distribution outlets face consequences

and Nairobi regions. Kaluai highlighted the dedication and collaboration of these entities, stating, "We greatly appreciate the unwavering partnership of the judiciary, Kenya Police service, ODPP, and the Police. Together, we have taken a strong stance against offenders, ensuring that justice is served and public health is protected."

In addition to the arrests, the PPB's regulatory inspectors have conducted over 200 inspections to enforce strict compliance with regulations. Kaluai emphasized the importance of these inspections, saying, "through rigorous inspections, we will leave no stone unturned in our mission to create a transparent and accountable healthcare system. Our aim is to foster a culture of compliance and safeguard public

health."

The successful outcome of the crackdown has been attributed to the collaborative efforts of all involved stakeholders. Kaluai added, "The achievements we have made in this operation reflect our collective commitment to upholding the law and creating a safe healthcare environment. By working together, we send a strong message that illegal practices will not be tolerated."

The PPB cautions individuals against tampering with closure notices, as it is an offense under investigation that will result in regulatory sanctions. Kaluai emphasized the importance of lawfulness, stating, "Upholding the principles of law is crucial in establishing a transparent and accountable healthcare system that prioritizes the well-being of every individual." the country.

Furthermore, the PPB urges public and private healthcare facilities, as well as those responsible for handling pharmaceuticals, to make use of its online services for proper disposal of pharmaceutical waste. Kaluai stated, "We encourage all healthcare facilities and pharmaceutical handlers to utilize our online services for the responsible disposal of pharmaceutical waste. By doing so, we contribute to a sustainable and environmentally conscious healthcare system."

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The case for a digital ID — CS Owalo

Minister says a digital ID will reduce citizens' burden of walking around with over 25 different identity documents to prove who they are

BY AGENDA KENYA WRITER

The need to grow e-commerce, have safe access to digitised services, curb online fraud, ease identification burden for citizens and help the nation in development planning is making the government develop a digital identity.

The Cabinet Secretary for Information, Communications and the Digital Economy, Mr Eliud Owalo, said Kenyans currently have a huge burden of walking around with over 25 different identity documents to prove who they are before they access various services.

Some of the identity documents Kenyans have to carry around are the National ID card, NSSF and NHIF cards, employers' ID, passport, birth and marriage certificates, driving licence, academic certificates, private health insurance card, ATM card, disability card and passport photos.

Almost every new critical service requires a new set of data from the government, leading to issuance of an additional special purpose ID, noted Mr Owalo.

For example, when the Inua Jamii programme was introduced in 2004, the government came up with a new bank ID and token, to enable beneficiaries access their benefits. Anticipated future services portend a rise in

the number of IDs per citizen.

"The solution lies in collapsing all available authenticated foundational ID data about the individual into a single digital ID that provides biometric authentication," he said.

Kenyans are expected to have the new digital ID by February next year, according to the government.

Mr Owalo said the analogue ID has lost trust as photo, and document manipulation applications rise, giving fraudsters an easy time to come up with fake ones.

"This is worrisome in an increasingly sophisticated digital economy, where M-pesa alone moved Sh8.8 trillion digitally in 2022, and in the process undertaking billions of ID authentications in an eco-system where there is a manifold increase in financial crimes and identity thefts," said the CS.

An increase in identity theft and other forms of cybercrimes, Mr Owalo noted, have slowed down the growth of e-commerce.

"The digital ID will be a great enabler of e-commerce. It will help create digital trust by facilitating the authentication of an actor's identity in e-commerce, through a connection between the identity attributes in the digital world and the real-world legal identity," he said.



IDENTITY



Mr Eliud Owalo, the ICT & Digital Economy Cabinet Secretary.

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"The solution lies in collapsing all available authenticated foundational ID data about the individual into a single digital ID that provides biometric authentication," — ICT CS Eliud Owalo

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New KYEB chairman roots for digital transformation



Mr Kelvin Lunani (right), the newly appointed chairman of the Kenya Yearbook Editorial Board (KYEB), has called on the organisation to adopt

digital technology to enhance its business growth. During his first visit to KYEB, Mr Lunani assured the institution of his support. **MORE ON PAGE 2**

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"Exports rose to Sh98.8 billion at the end of March, from Sh80.1bn in same period in 2022" — CBK.



ICT CS Eliud Owalo during the 7th Identification for Africa Conference (ID4Africa) held in Nairobi last week.

will want to open a bank account, the bank will not necessarily require you to produce a physical ID. They will authenticate you via your biometrics and get all the pertinent information from the single source of truth and proceed to serve you, including when you apply for a loan, or wish to withdraw funds, thereby avoiding the risk of a fraudulent impersonator presenting a fake or photo-altered ID," he said.

The digital ID, noted the CS, will promote inclusive access to education, healthcare, and labour markets as it will safe migration and also contribute to greater levels of civic participation.

"For example, in Estonia, over 30 per cent of individuals vote online, of whom 20 per cent say they would not vote at a physical polling place. The envisaged benefits are immense. Digital ID is indeed paramount to increasing the adoption of formal financial services and identifying specific policy interventions."

According to him, the transition from the analogue to the digital ID is key in Kenya's digital transformation agenda as it incorporates citizens in the journey.

The government is currently working on making Kenya a digital economy through initiatives that include taking over 5,000 services online, setting up of 1,450 digital village hubs, installing 25,000 hotspots and 100,000km of fibre optic cable.

"Digitisation of our systems, processes, services and re-engineering how we do business will be incomplete unless the citizens can participate digitally. It is estimated that this transformation has the potential to unlock economic value equivalent to between 3 and 13 per cent of the gross domestic product by 2030 from the implementation of digital ID programmes," said Mr Owalo.

So what details will the digital ID encompass? Mr Owalo said it will be a body of verified information about an individual sourced from the Integrated Population Registry Service (IPRS), National Integrated Identity Management System (NIIMS) and the National Registration Bureau (NRB).

This information will be digitally linked to aggregated data from various official and trusted sources (functional ID data) such as the National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF), National Social Security Fund (NSSF) and the National Education Management Information System (NEMIS). Some people have dismissed the digital ID project as another Huduma Namba, which collapsed during President Uhuru Kenyatta's regime.

Mr Owalo differs, noting that in Huduma Namba, there was issuance of a physical ID card. "There would be no physical ID card with the digital ID. It will, instead, be an instrument for enabling citizens to be part of the new digital transformation in the world. The digital ID will be very instrumental in helping us to remain socially, economically and technologically relevant in the new world order. It has been utilised effectively in India, Pakistan, Estonia, Belgium and many other parts of the world. Kenya as a country cannot be left behind in the new world order," he said. ■

TECHNOLOGY

Why Kenya must transition to using a digital ID

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He added that e-commerce activities depend on digital trust to process transactions.

"The prerequisite for e-commerce transactions is the establishment of a digital trust relationship between a vendor and a buyer, so that both parties know who they are transacting with. The private sector - including e-commerce platforms, digital banking, payment processing, and logistics - provides key services that enable e-commerce and enhance digital trust," he said.

President William Ruto last week said that the new ID would help to digitise the civil registration and vital statistics system.

"The government will set up a new civil

registration and vital statistics system that meets the imperatives of a new digital era. The system must be able to assign unique personal identification numbers at birth to all persons born in Kenya," said President Ruto at the 7th Identification for Africa Conference (ID4Africa) held in Nairobi.

He added that a digital ID would assist the government to have a passenger information solution to monitor movement in and out of the country.

Another benefit of a digital ID is that a biometric match between one's physical and stored details will authenticate a person in a foolproof manner, based on the principle that they are unique. "The effect is that when you

INFOBOX

Pakistan's digital ID journey

Pakistan computerised its National ID in 2001, a process that was done by a newly formed National Database and Registration Authority (NADRA).

The agency transformed the digital ID landscape by including new markers of identity, such as biometrics, within a digital citizen database.

Their digital ID has the bearer's full name, date of birth, and addresses, a unique 13-digit ID number that encompasses an individual's domicile, followed by a family number that forms each individual's family tree, after which an odd or even number is assigned denoting the individual's sex. But this national identity system, according

to critics, has failed to cater for the needs of marginalised communities, and is a potential threat to citizens' right to privacy since details are centralised under a single authority. The origin of Kenya's national identification can be traced back to colonial times. An ordinance signed by Sir Henry Conway, the Colonial Governor in 1912-1917 made it mandatory for all adult males aged 16 and above to have official identity documents.

Identification was largely for the purposes of controlling the movement of natives. It also facilitated payment of hut tax and recruitment into colonial labour. This colonial ID, referred to as kipande, was designed to be a tool of exploitation. Africans hated it. They saw it as a symbol of oppression and imposed servitude.

BRIEFS

New KYEB chair pledges support, roots for digital transformation

Mr Kelvin Lunani (right), the newly appointed chairman of the Kenya Yearbook Editorial Board (KYEB), has called on the organisation to adopt digital technology to enhance its business growth. During his first visit to KYEB last week, where he was hosted by the CEO, Mr Edward Mwasi (left), Mr Lunani assured the institution of his support and stressed the importance of its contribution to the government's Bottom-up Economic Transformation Agenda. The pillars of this agenda



encompass agriculture, the MSME economy, housing and settlement, healthcare, as well as the digital and creative economy.

Recognising KYEB's valuable publications such as the Cabinet series, "Trailblazers," biographies, "Agenda Kenya," "InfoByte," and the "Yearbook," Mr Lunani commended the board for showcasing government development activities, agenda, and programmes. Furthermore, Mr Lunani expressed his appreciation for KYEB's efforts to diversify its offerings beyond

its flagship product, "The Yearbook." He highlighted how these publications, alongside "MyGov Weekly," also published by KYEB, have effectively informed Kenyans about government opportunities and initiatives.

The appointment of Mr Lunani signifies a new chapter for KYEB. With his leadership and guidance, KYEB is set to embrace innovation, expand its range of publications, and play an even bigger role in preserving the nation's history. ■

Kenya's exports to African nations surge 23pc in Q1

Kenya's exports to various African countries increased by 23.3 per cent in quarter one as the government enhanced bilateral ties with nations

like Tanzania, Uganda, Egypt and Rwanda. New data from the Central Bank of Kenya (CBK) showed that the exports rose to Sh98.8 billion at the end of March, a rise from Sh80.1 billion in a similar period in 2022. Most of the exports went to Uganda, Tanzania, Rwanda and Egypt, with the DR Congo emerging as the other leading destination of goods from Kenya.

Kenya exported goods worth Sh30.9 billion to Uganda, to Tanzania Sh14 billion and Rwanda Sh9.3 billion, according to the CBK. Other top destinations of exports were Egypt, South Africa, Zambia, Zimbabwe and Somalia. President William Ruto has in the past months held bilateral talks with various African Heads of State, including of South Africa, Egypt, Eritrea, Djibouti and Tanzania in bid



to increase trade with Kenya. The talks have culminated into removal or relaxation of visa rules for citizens of both countries to enhance movement of people and goods. And last week, President Ruto announced plans to remove visa requirements for African nationals travelling to Kenya for business to further boost trade under the African Continental Free Trade Area. Kenya exports to African nations are mainly tea, coffee, oil (re-exports), animal, vegetable fats and oils, and manufactured goods. ■

JUSTICE

Judiciary in bid to aid citizens solve disputes out of court



Gatundu South MP Gabriel Kagombe (left), Court Annexed Mediation (CAM) Deputy Registrar Caroline Kendagor and a judicial officer during a CAM forum held last week in the area. PHOTO | KNA

Institution moves to work with Nyumba Kumi officials, village elders and accredited Judiciary mediators to reduce case backlog in courts

BY AK WRITER AND KNA

The Judiciary has embarked on a nationwide programme to sensitise citizens on using alternative dispute resolution (ADR) mechanisms to reduce the number of cases in courts as judicial officials struggle with a backlog.

Court Annexed Mediation (CAM) deputy registrar Caroline Kendagor said the institution would start using Nyumba Kumi, village elders and trained Judiciary-accredited mediators to facilitate negotiation among warring parties.

She noted that most disputes, especially civil ones, can be solved through mediation,

thus, if the method is adopted, wheels of justice would grind faster as judicial officials will have few cases to handle.

"There is public outcry over delayed resolution of cases in almost all the courts, possibly due to a high number of petty cases finding their way there," she said in Gatundu South sub-county during a sensitisation forum.

According to her, mediation is cheaper, faster and enhances quick resolution of matters.

In Kakamega, Principal Judge Byram Ongaya of the Employment and Labour Relations Court (ELRC) said the Judiciary has turned to Article 159 of the constitution, which permits the use of ADR mechanisms.

Justice Ongaya, who was speaking during the Employment and Labour Relations Annual symposium, said the Judiciary, together with stakeholders, is developing a curriculum for the Kenya Judiciary Academy that aims to train conciliators.

"We are working with consultants, the

courts, and the Ministry of Labour to develop a curriculum to train conciliators. A conciliator, also called an Administrator Judge, will act as neutral entity between warring parties and work to ensure they settle disputes without turning for court trial," he said.

He observed that with the measures taken, they anticipate reduced cases in courts, adding that no case should go to court without passing through all the stages of ADR.

Justice Jemimah Keli, a principal judge in Kakamega, requested Chief Justice Martha Koome to establish a labour court in Likuyani sub-county, noting that residents are forced to travel for hours to seek justice in Kakamega town. The court has jurisdiction to hear and determine disputes relating to employment and labour relations.

Kakamega is one of the counties where the Employment and Labour Relations Court has been established. Others are Nairobi, Mombasa, Kisumu, Nakuru, Nyeri and Eldoret. ■

INFOBOX

Benefits of ADR

- ADR gives warring parties a chance to work through disputed issues with the help of a neutral party.
- It is a faster and less expensive method than going to court, where one needs to file case and hire a lawyer, all which attract charges.
- ADR saves time by allowing resolution of a matter in weeks or months, compared to court, which can take years.
- The pillars of ADR are negotiation, mediation (or third party intervention) and adjudication.
- Article 159 of the constitution mandates the Judiciary to use Alternative Dispute Resolution mechanisms including mediation.

HUDUMA CORNER

Huduma Kenya gets new CEO as centre marks 7 years of service

A new chief executive officer has taken over at the Huduma Kenya Secretariat months after the former boss was appointed a principal secretary.

Mr Benjamin Kai Chilumo assumed office last week after being introduced to staff by Mr Mwachala Munyembo, the Secretary of Administration at the State Department for Public Service.

Mr Chilumo brings to the secretariat a wealth of experience spanning over 20 years from both public and private sectors.

He takes over from Mr James Muhati, who was last year appointed by President William Ruto the Principal Secretary, State



The new Huduma Kenya CEO Mr Benjamin Kai Chilumo (right) with Mr Mugambi Njeru, the Director Service Delivery, at Huduma Kenya Secretariat in Nairobi. Inset: Huduma Kenya and NGO Board officials during a meeting in Nairobi.



Department for Economic Planning.

Mr Mugambi Njeru, the Director Service Delivery, had been the acting chief executive.

Meanwhile, the Meru Huduma Centre will soon start offering NGO Board services following a meeting between officials of the two institutions.

The centre will serve the Mt Kenya region in line with the government's agenda of devolving services.

And in Kirinyaga, the county's Huduma Centre commemorated seven years of excellent services to locals. The centre was opened in 2016.

Mr Daniel Ndege, the Deputy County Commissioner, Kirinyaga Central, attended an event to celebrate the milestones alongside a representative from the office of the County Assembly Speaker, Ms Leah Ireri, and Ms Beth Gachamio, the Assistant County Commissioner 1, Kirinyaga Central.

The event celebrated outstanding service delivery to the region, community and residents by the dedicated Huduma Centre staff. ■

Quick infobytes

Your love story with dogs goes back far...

Yes, as far as 1976 actually when I was a small boy living in Nyahururu. A priest at Nyahururu Catholic Church known as Fr Lewis noticed the interest I had in dogs and gave me a German shepherd puppy. That ignited my passion.

How many dogs do you have?

There are 42 mature dogs currently at my home. They were more but I have sold some and leased out others.

Describe your typical day...

My day starts at 5am with an inspection to confirm that all the dogs are well. Then I prepare a schedule for the day, including their meals and walks in the neighbourhood. The schedule guides my two workers on what to do. The workers are trained on first aid so that they attend to emergencies in case they arise. Most of the time I leave my home at gam to train dogs at people's homes or institutions.

How much does one need to start such a business?

With Sh20,000, one is good to go but it's good to have some knowledge about the business and have passion for it.

Tell us about dog breeding...

In breeding dogs, you work with what is known as "working line". These are dogs with stronger qualities such as powerful muscles and are purposely selected for breeding. This means the breeder should know their animals well.

Some people say it's hard knowing when a female dog (bitch) is on heat...

It can be if one does not know how to detect the heat signs. The obvious sign is bleeding from the vulva and others licking the back end more than usual or being over friendly to other dogs. I mate the dogs once I detect blood. Three to six mating sessions are enough to make the female pregnant.

How does a quality working line look like?

In the case of German shepherds, a good quality working line will have medium-sized animals, with good quality fur, temperament and body structure. These are the ones I use for breeding purposes. To avoid inbreeding, I change males every two years.

So, do pregnant dogs need special care?

Yes, they need good feeding and housing. A dog's gestation period is about 60 days and one can get up to 14 puppies in a single birth. But a dog will eat her puppies if left to starve. I have a maternity wing for the mother and its puppies once it gives birth. During this time, I feed them on meat and eggs.

Tell us more about feeding your dogs

While dogs are carnivores, they need the other nutrients namely carbohydrates and vitamins. I normally buy broken rice, which I cook as well as concentrates from shops that I offer them alongside meat.

Where do you source the meat?

I have several sources of meat remains but the main ones are abattoirs in Kiambu and Nairobi where I buy a 90kg bag at Sh4,000. I also buy livestock blood for the dogs from the abattoirs. All this must be cooked well otherwise the dogs will diarrhoea. I cook the entire week's meal once. For the concentrates, one should check the expiry date to avoid buying food contaminated with aflatoxin, which kills dogs in days.

AGENDA KENYA

PICTURESPEAK



President William Ruto during the 60th Madaraka Day celebrations at Moi Stadium in Embu County last week. He launched the second product of the Financial Inclusion Fund, known as the Hustler Group Loans for chamas. PHOTO: PCS



President William Ruto in Bujumbura, Burundi, for the 21st Extra-Ordinary Summit of the East African Community Heads of State. President Ruto thanked the regional leaders for stepping in to resolve the conflict in Eastern DRC, what "has borne fruit". In particular, he lauded DRC President Félix Tshisekedi for facilitating the deployment of troops to stop killings. PHOTO: PCS



Sports CS Ababu Namwamba (centre) among other officials during the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Athletics Kenya and Housing Finance Group, that will see the bank support athletes to acquire houses.



Officials from the State Department of Forestry led by Senior Deputy Secretary Charles Begi at the launch of a tree growing campaign dubbed 'Adopt-a-Forest' in Moiben. Mr Begi asked the Moiben community to take up tree growing in support of the government's efforts to plant 15 billion trees.



Attendees read "AgendaKenya" newspaper published by the Kenya Yearbook Editorial Board during the Madaraka Day celebrations in Embu. KYEB: HILLARY KAIMENYI

Gov't promises to transition tobacco farmers to safer crops for good health

BY GEORGEAGIMBA(KNA)

Health Cabinet Secretary (CS) Susan Wafula has expressed the government's commitment to immigrate tobacco farmers in Migori county to production of safer crops for the sake of good health and economic prosperity.

MsWafula noted that people in counties like Migori where the crop is produced in large quantities have for a long period suffered serious ailments related to the crop and should be migrated from the unnecessary health hazard and deaths.

Speaking while marking this year's World Tobacco Day at Sibuaoche market in Uriri Constituency within Migori County, MsWafula said it is time for tobacco farmers to embrace crops like the now popular nyota beans, sweet potato, sorghum, maize, sunflower and sugarcane among others, to raise their incomes and health.

The CS noted that it is a pity that the prevalence rate of tobacco use among the adults in Kenya stands at 11.6 per cent while that of the youth is 9.9 per cent.



Health Cabinet Secretary Ms Susan Nakhumincha Wafula while addressing farmers and other officials during the marking of World free tobacco day at sibuaoche market in Uriri sub county. Photo by Polycarp Ochieng.

This, she added, triggered the number of tobacco-related deaths in the country to over 6,000 annually against the global rate of eight million people within the same period.

The CS said the Ministry of Health, in

It is worrying that more farmers are still stuck in the production of tobacco—CS Wafula

conjunction with tobacco control bodies and partners like the World Health Organization (WHO) will double efforts in persuading the over 20,000 tobacco farmers in Migori alone and the 36,000 of them countrywide to switch to safer crops.

The ministry had also made arrangements with the Ministry of Education to introduce a syllabus on tobacco use in the curriculum.

Kenya is also a signatory to the global treaty on tobacco

control and has so far earned ten awards for the good work of fighting the crop and will ensure that it protects the Ozone layer from the impact of tobacco, the CS added.

She said for Migori, she would take it upon herself to talk to her counterpart in agriculture to see that the Sony Sugar is made vibrant to promote sugarcane growing to be the people's economic mainstay in future.

"Currently, it is worrying that more farmers are still stuck in the production of tobacco despite the many diseases like cancer that the crop exposes them to," she lamented.

Migori Governor Dr. OchiloAyacko, who also graced the event said his government will ensure the production of tobacco reduces drastically in the area but called for support from the national government and partners to assist in the promotion of alternative cash crops that have a ready market locally and globally.

The forum was also attended by WHO officials among them Dr Adriana Blanco who assured of their support to fight tobacco in the country.

BRIEFS

Kenya assumes chairmanship of continental bank board

Kenya has taken over the chairmanship of the Board of Governors of the African Development Bank (AfDB).

Prof NjugunaNdung'u, the Treasury Cabinet Secretary, succeeded Egyptian Governor Hassan Abdalla as the chairman of the continental bank after a week-long annual AfDB meeting.

The chairmanship rotates between member states who are members of AfDB. The board constitutes a governor and an alternate governor appointed by each member country who exercise voting powers proportional to the shareholding of their country.

As such, Kenya will host the AfDB 2024 annual meetings, in Nairobi. In his acceptance speech, CS Ndung'u reaffirmed the Government of Kenya's commitment to ensure successful meetings.

The CS underscored the role of multilateral development institutions as crucial in pooling and mobilizing the required resources for mitigating the adverse effects of the geopolitical tensions, Covid-19 pandemic, food security and climate change.

He said the AfDB has a wide range of instruments that African countries can capitalize on to achieve the strategic African integration.

"The Bank's initiatives, pro-

grams, policies, strategies and operations are expected to further mobilize affordable development financing that is key for resilience in the upcoming period," Prof. Ndung'u said.

The CS said the Bank has the capacity for African economies to pursue development as well as pave the road to achieve the 2063 Agenda goals.

The CS applauded AfDB efforts for being at the forefront of global development and for playing a lead development partner in all African Nations.

"The current debate now is how multilateral development banks should provide support to development and resolving emergencies in a quick, flexible and comprehensive way. I hereby reaffirm my support to her work and vision as we deliver together for the betterment of our people," the CS said.

The President of the Bank, AkinwumiAdesina, called on leaders from the Africa region to focus on areas of comparative advantage, saying African challenges require collaborations and partnerships in execution and implementation of development and resource mobilization.

The meeting was held at Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt.
 By MyGov Reporter

Makueni County to establish a neurosurgical center in Wote town

BY RONALD RONO (KNA)

Makueni Governor Mutula Kilonzo Jnr has promised to commit a parcel of land to establish a neurosurgical center in Wote in an effort to provide medical services to the region.

He added that plans are underway to enhance the neurosurgical camp to a regular program.

He was speaking during a three-day free medical camp aimed at treating and creating awareness to patients suffering from tumors on their heads at the Makueni Referral Hospital, Mother and Child wing in Wote.

Hundreds of Makueni residents benefited from the free neurosurgical medical camp organized by the county government in partnership



Ongoing surgery operation at the hospital theatre carried out by a team of medical doctors

with the Brain Tumour Association of Kenya (BTAK) and the University of Nairobi (UON).

The camp also brought together a team of specialized surgeons from BTAK and Makueni doctors including

50 medical students from UON who will learn how to conduct complex surgeries.

"So far, everything has gone on well, and today we intend to operate four patients, already the surgeries have started and two

patients are at the theatre," said Dr. Christopher Musau a consultant neurosurgeon and the Patron of BTAK.

"On the first day, we were able to attend to 100 patients and identified 6 persons who needed the neurosurgical services," added Musau.

The patients were identified by a team of medical practitioners who offered free medical screening that took place at the sub county hospitals.

Governor Kilonzo Jnr lauded the team for availing the rare medical services to the residents of Makueni and neighboring counties.

"We have also agreed that if they find it necessary, to cascade the treatment to Nairobi where the affected patients will access the medical service free," he said.

Company spends Sh 250m on projects in remote Laisamis

Life has been difficult for thousands of learners in the remote Laisamis Constituency where water is a luxury, and education a distant dream.

Bogged down by uncertainties of the weather, outdated cultural practices and poor infrastructure, students and pupils find themselves between a rock and a hard place especially when they cannot get something to eat.

It has been a norm for both girls and boys to be pulled out of school to attend to domestic chores including herding livestock. The girls are sometimes forced to start families at an early age, after undergoing Female Genital Mutilation, effectively leaving school, forever.

But winds of change have finally begun to blow towards the children and the general population of Laisamis. The Government, and her development partners is striving to address the constraints in a bid to transform their lives, most of who are pastoralists.

The Lake Turkana Wind Power (LTPW) Project has come to the aid of these Kenyans. The project has helped to improve

schools and has developed the local road network.

Through the "Winds of Change (WoC) Foundation", the company has spent Sh250 million in the last one year on its Corporate Social Responsibility activities that include building of dormitories and classrooms, rehabilitation and sinking of boreholes and assisting the residents to cope with the vagaries of drought and famine.

At the Titus Ngoyoni Memorial and Loiyangalani Primary Schools in Loiyangalani sub-county, LTPW has sponsored the construction of a 96-bed capacity dormitory for girls in each of the schools to boost enrolment and improve academic performance.

At the Layeni Primary School in the same sub-county, two modern classrooms with a capacity of 40 pupils each have also been funded by the firm.

The WoC Foundation Director Felix Rottman said during the handing over of the facilities to the communities that the gesture was aimed at creating a safe and an enabling learning environment for the girls.

By Sebastian Miriti(KNA)