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## Government to double budget for school feeding scheme in slums, ASAL counties

BY MARIITTA MAIRURA AND IAN OMONDI (PCOS)

The Ministry of Education has initiated plans to scale up the school feeding programme in the informal settlements and the 26 Arid and Semi-Arid (ASAL) counties from a budget of Sh 2.7b to 6 billion shillings.

The Principal Secretary for Basic Education Dr. Belio Kipsang disclosed that the

budgetary increase will cater for the increased number of learners, especially those from other hardship areas.

“Health and nutrition have a significant impact on the overall educational achievements of school-age children. Ensuring that children are well fed, healthy and able to learn is essential to the effectiveness of an education system,” said the PS.

DrKipsang noted that the

main goal of the school feeding programme is to support the Government’s effort towards attainment of Universal Primary Education (UPE).

“It has become a significant strategy for reaching marginalized communities, especially girls in the ASAL counties. The programme has helped to increase enrolment, prevent drop-out and stabilize attendance at assisted pre-primary and primary

school,” he said.

The PS noted that learners drawn from informal settlements and Arid and Semi-Arid (ASALs) are reported to go a day or two without a proper meal hence cannot concentrate in class and this affects their overall performance.

The PS made the remarks when he welcomed the Ethi-



Principal Secretary for Basic Education Dr. Belio Kipsang

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## National Treasury Report: Kenya’s trade volume rises sharply in one month

BY MYGOV REPORTER

The country’s volume of trade increased from Sh 261.23 billion in February 2023 to Sh 298.23 billion in March 2023.

According to the Leading Economic Indicators (LEI) monthly report for March released by the National Treasury in Nairobi, Treasury Cabinet Secretary Prof. Njuguna Ndung’u noted that the value of total exports increased from Sh 76.65 billion in February 2023 to Sh 81.74 billion.

Similarly, the CS said the value of imports increased from Sh 184.58 billion in February 2023 to Sh 216.43 billion.

“Domestic exports by Broad Economic Category (BEC) indicated that food and beverages was the main export category accounting for 43.70 per cent of the domestic exports, while



Prof. Njuguna Ndung’u, National Treasury and Economic Planning CS

non-food industrial supplies accounted for 26.65 per cent of the domestic exports,” he said.

Prof Ndung’u said the quantity of coffee exported increased from 3,877.74 Metric tonnes in February 2023 to 5,486.00 Metric tonnes in March 2023.

Additionally, the CS said that the value of coffee in-

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**250m**  
Number of trees Nakuru Governor Susan Kihika plans to have planted in the county in the next 10 years

**4,000**  
Data processors registered in the country by the Office of the Data Protection Commissioner in the last one year

**64b**  
Amount of money local oil industry requires every month to buy 740,000 metric tonnes of petroleum products.

**26**  
Number of ASAL Counties set to benefit from the Ministry of Education’s enhanced school feeding programme

## Kenya and Djibouti agree on Visa free regime to boost trade



Dr Alfred Mutua (left), Cabinet Secretary for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs and Mahmoud Ali, Djibouti Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation after signing a Memorandum of Understanding in Djibouti City, Djibouti. Photo: Courtesy.



# Gov't to increase budget for school feeding programme in slums

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opian visiting delegation at Thogoto Primary School-Kiambu County to benchmark on its resounding success.

According to the Principal Secretary, the home-grown national school meals and nutrition programme has been a success which has significantly improved learner attendance, concentration, and academic performance over time.

"We are thrilled to host our Ethiopian counterparts and share our experiences in implementing school feeding programmes in the country," said Dr. Belio.

He noted that the collaboration and experience sharing between Kenya and Ethiopia will benefit children in the two countries.

Mr. Getachew Tefera, Ethiopia's Head of the Minister's Office in the Ministry of Education observed the daily operations of the school feeding program at



Learners benefit enjoying their lunch courtesy of the school meals and Nutrition Programme Initiatives(FILE).

Thogoto Primary School and witnessed firsthand the efficient organization of meal distribution, the selection of nutritious ingredients and the engagement of teachers and volunteers in ensuring the success of the initiative.

Tefera disclosed that the Ministry of Education's officials in Kenya and Ethiopia have agreed to establish a working group dedicated to sharing best practices,

resources, and expertise in implementing school feeding programs.

School feeding programme in the country has been on gradual growth since it was started in 1980 by the Ministry of Education in partnership with development agencies to provide nutritious meals to more than 1.5 million children in the most food-insecure areas.

# National Treasury Report: Kenya's trade volume rises significantly

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creased from Sh 2,569.47 million to Sh 3,850.91 million over the same period.

"The quantity of tea exported rose from 44,328.68 MT in February 2023 to 50,831.02 MT in March 2023. Additionally, the value of exported tea rose from Sh 13,510.62 million to Sh 16,190.79 million over the same period," noted the CS.

Prof Ndung'u said the imports by BEC indicate that non-food industrial supplies were the main import category in February 2023 with a share of 37.65 per cent.

Commenting on fuel and lubricants; machinery and other capital equipment and transport equipment, the CS said that they accounted for 22.07, 9.80 and 6.64 per cent of the total value of imports, respectively whereas food and beverages accounted for 17.11 per cent of the total imports.

Further, the CS disclosed that in 2021, the overall poverty line was



Sh 7,193 in urban areas and Sh 3,947 in rural areas per individual per month.

"This implies that an individual spending KSh 7,193 in urban areas and Sh 3,947 in rural areas are considered to be poor," he said.

In 2021, the CS said that the overall poverty rate was 38.6 per cent compared to 36.1 per cent in 2015/16.

"However, this is a reduction compared to the


poverty rate of 42.9 per cent recorded in 2020. This indicates that 19.1 million individuals were poor in 2021," he said.

Commenting on power, Prof Ndung'u said that the total local electricity generation increased from 960.92 million KWh in February to 995.14 million KWh in March.

"The total number of mobile money transactions dropped from 198.31 million in January to 184.82 in February while their value decreased from Sh 589.30 billion to 578.09 billion in the same period," he said.

**19m**

Number of individuals who were considered poor in Kenya in the year 2021



## USAID AMPATH Uzima

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### TENDER NOTICE

USAID AMPATH UZIMA, a Program managed by Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital (MTRH) and funded by USAID invites sealed bids for under listed.

| OPEN NATIONAL TENDERS |                          |   |             |                            |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|-------------|----------------------------|
| No.                   | TENDER NO.               | TENDER DESCRIPTION  | ELIGIBILITY | CLOSING DATE               |
| 1                     | MTRH/AMP/T/120/2022-2023 | Supply & Delivery of Laptop, Desktop Computers, Printers, Tablets, Mobile Phones and Other ICT Related Equipment<br><i>(Framework Contract)</i> | Open        | 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2023 |
| 2.                    | MTRH/AMP/T/124/2022-2023 | Supply & Delivery of Linen, Branding and Promotional Materials<br><i>(Framework Contract)</i>   | Open        | 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2023 |
| 3                     | MTRH/AMP/T/125/2022-2023 | Supply & Delivery of Medical Equipment<br><i>(Framework Contract)</i>   | Open        | 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2023 |
| 4                     | MTRH/AMP/T/140/2022-2023 | Supply & Delivery of Tents<br><i>(Framework Contract)</i>   | Open        | 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2023 |

Complete set of Tender documents shall be obtained by interested Bidders free of charge from MTRH official website: [www.mtrh.go.ke](http://www.mtrh.go.ke) state tender portal: <https://supplier.treasury.go.ke>.

Tender bids in plain sealed envelopes bearing the Tender number (in bold) on the top right-hand corner but with no indication of the Tenderer's name should be deposited in **Tender Box "A", located at Ground Floor, Chandaria Cancer Centre** or Posted to

**The Chief Executive Officer  
Moi Teaching and Referral Hospital  
P.O. Box 3-30100 ELDORET**

So as to be received on or before **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2023, 10.30 am**. Bids will be opened publicly immediately thereafter in the presence of Bidders or their representatives who choose to attend at AMPATH Centre 1<sup>st</sup> Floor ATI Hall RM 118. Late bids will not be accepted whatsoever and shall be returned unopened.

Companies owned by Youth, Women and Persons with Disabilities are encouraged to participate.

**All queries regarding this tender should be directed to the Supply Chain Manager-USAID AMPATH Uzima**




REPUBLIC OF KENYA

## BUILDING SURVEYORS REGISTRATION BOARD

### CALL FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: - BUILDING SURVEYORS REGISTRATION DRAFT REGULATIONS

Pursuant to The Building Surveyors Act No. 19 of 2018, the Building Surveyors Registration Board has formulated draft regulations to operationalize the Act.

The board therefore invites relevant stakeholders, Members of the Public, and all interested Parties to provide suggestion(s), Views and Inputs, Justification(s) on the draft regulations, which will inform changes thereof.

The draft regulations and the template to guide the submission of Public Comments are available at the following links <https://housingandurban.go.ke/downloads/> (Acts, Bills and Regulations)

Written Submission should be forwarded to the board using the provided template not later than **14<sup>th</sup> July 2023** through our address indicated below

**TEMPLATE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS**

NAME OF ORGANIZATION/ INDIVIDUAL :

ADDRESS :

| S.no. | Section of the draft Regulation | Proposal | Justification |
|-------|---------------------------------|----------|---------------|
|       |                                 |          |               |
|       |                                 |          |               |

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# KenGen hands over Sh1.3b dividend cheque to National Treasury

BY MYGOV REPORTER



Dr. Chris Kiptoo

The Kenya Electricity Generating Company (KenGen) has paid the National Treasury Ksh1.38 billion dividends for the financial year ended June 2021.

The payout cheque was handed over to the National Treasury Principal Secretary Dr. Chris Kiptoo at a ceremony held at the National Treasury Building.

The dividends arose from the National Governments' 70 per cent shareholding in the energy producing company.

Speaking during the event, PS Dr. Kiptoo reiterated the government's commitment to support the energy sector in key strategic areas that will transform it into more profitability.

The PS said the government is undertaking portfolio review of donor-funded projects and their imple-

mentation status to ensure no stalling of projects, and added that the government will put stringent measures in place that will enable cash from loans to be absorbed on time, and projects to be completed within the stipulated time.

Present during the cheque presentation was Energy PS Alex Wachira who urged the KenGen board of management to come up with more and better business strategies that will steer the

institution to greater profitability, especially investment in geothermal power and renewable energy which will eventually bring down the cost of energy in the country.

"KenGen has the capacity to generate more power to the East Africa pool, which they can trade in to earn foreign exchange," he said.

KenGen Business Development Director Elizabeth Njenga who represented the CEO said, the dividend payment to the Treasury exemplifies the company's unwavering commitment to providing value to shareholders while creating profitable returns.

The Government owns a 70 per cent stake at KenGen, while 30 per cent is owned by private shareholders.

Present were officials from the National Treasury, KenGen Board Chairman Mr. MigosOgamba and other officials from KenGen.

# Oil industry players tipped on data-driven approach in petroleum exploration

BY JOYCE LUTOMIA (PCO)

The State Department for Petroleum is calling on oil industry players to embrace data-driven practices to optimize exploration, production and distribution of petroleum products.

The Department said accurate and timely data is a vital enabler to making informed decisions in order to mitigate risks, maximize value of existing petroleum reserves and ensure long-term energy security leading to economic prosperity.

The Principal Secretary Mr. Mohamed Liban who was speaking in Mombasa while opening the Eighth African Petroleum Data Management Conference, pointed out that the petroleum sector is characterized by complexity, uncertainty and evolving technologies noting

that the ability to capture, manage, manipulate, analyze and visualize vast amount of data is essential to unlocking its full potential.

Mr. Liban said data management is not just about sorting, organizing, digitizing and storing information but also entails converting raw data into actionable insights thereby empowering policymakers to make informed decisions that drive efficiency, innovation and sustainable growth.

"Effective data management in the petroleum sector is not confined to national boundaries. In this era of inter-connectivity and global partnerships, collaboration is paramount and by sharing data, best practices and knowledge, we can foster a culture of cooperation that transcends borders, ensuring that the benefits

of petroleum resources are equitably distributed among nations and communities," he added.

He challenged the conference participants, drawn from the African continent, to leverage invaluable expertise and experience of Norway whose petroleum industry has witnessed unprecedented growth and success over the years and has become a bastion of knowledge, innovation, and sustainable practices,

Mr. Liban added, "Though we cannot merely tread the path walked by Norway, we need to adapt and tailor their lessons to suit our unique African context. Africa's diverse energy landscape, rich natural resources, and unique challenges require a localized approach that builds on the best practices while addressing our specific needs."



## Konza Technopolis Development Authority



### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Konza Technopolis Development Authority (KoTDA) is seeking a competent, capable, ambitious, self-motivated and dynamic individual that demonstrates the appropriate expertise and experience to contribute to the development of the Konza Technopolis into a sustainable world class technology hub.

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KoTDA therefore invites qualified Interested individuals to apply for the underlisted position.

|    | POSITION                  | GRADE   | REF. NO         | NO. OF POSTS |
|----|---------------------------|---------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1. | Chief Executive Officer   | KoTDA 1 | KoTDA/HR57/2023 | 1            |
|    | <b>Total No. Of Posts</b> |         |                 | <b>1</b>     |

Candidates interested in the above positions can access the role profiles, qualifications and experience requirements detailed on our website at <https://konza.go.ke/career-opportunities/>

Successful candidates shall be required to comply with requirements of Chapter six of the constitution.

#### How to apply

Interested and qualified persons are required to make their applications online at Human Capital Business Solutions: [www.hcbkenya.com](http://www.hcbkenya.com)

All applications should be received before/on **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023**.

**KoTDA is an equal opportunity employer.**

The Authority is committed to implementing the provisions of the Constitution - Chapter 232 (1) on fair competition and merit, representation of Kenya's diverse communities and affording equal employment opportunities to men and women, members of all ethnic groups and persons with disabilities. **Therefore, qualified women, youth, the marginalized and people living with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.**  
Canvassing in any form will lead to automatic disqualification.



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|----|-----------------------------|---------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1. | Manager, Finance & Accounts | KOTDA 3 | KoTDA/HR58/2023 | 1            |
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Afrexim Managing Director Incharge of intra-Africa trade Dr Gainmore Zenawe making a presentation in Kisumu

# Africa Export and Import (Afrexim) Bank urges counties to identify development initiatives for funding

BY CHRIS MAHANDARA  
(KNA)

The Africa Export and Import (Afrexim) Bank has rolled out programmes targeting county governments as it seeks to gain a foothold in the country.

Through the initiative, the bank has developed several products through which county governments and the private sector can tap in to initiate development projects.

Afrexim Managing Director in charge of InterAfrica Trade, Dr Gainmore Zenawe said, the initiative, spearheaded by the United Cities and Local Government Authorities (UCLGA), targets to accelerate development across the counties.

The bank, he said, has introduced programmes to support agriculture, industrialization, manufacturing, maritime sector, engineering and construction, sports, music, arts and climate change.

Zenawe said the initiative targets to avail funds for projects in the identified areas for county governments and the private sector in the devolved units to



UCLGA Secretary General Jean Pierre Elong Mbassi addressing the media in Kisumu. PHOTOS: CHRIS MAHANDARA.

fast-track development. The bank through UCLGA, he said, will help county governments to identify bankable projects to be funded by the bank. "Resources are key in running county and sub-national governments. However, coming up with bankable projects remains a big challenge. What we are doing is to help county governments and the private sector to identify these projects so that they can access funds to underwrite development," he said.

Speaking in Kisumu during a presentation to govern-

nors from the Lake Region Economic Bloc, Zenawe said to unlock the funds, project identification and preparation was paramount urging the county government to take the que and focus on areas that are viable.

For the projects to be funded, he added, the county governments and contractors will have to identify a sponsor who upon verification, the bank will release funds.

"We want to work with you to identify projects that require financing and have a clear sponsor and then we

will walk you through the steps to secure funding," he said.

The Lake Region, he added, can take advantage of the bank's programmes in the maritime sector, which targets to utilize inland water bodies to promote intra-Africa trade.

Through the sector, the bank, he said, targets to support investors to open up maritime trade which is the next frontier in attracting direct foreign investment in Africa.

On engineering and construction, he said the bank has set aside funds to support local contractors to take up capital projects.

This targets to empower local contractors to undertake projects within the counties and across the continent, an area that has remained a preserve of multinational companies.

"We have so many projects in Kenya and across Africa being done by Chinese contractors because of the financial support they receive from their country. This program targets to avail funds for our local contractors to bid for the same jobs," he said.

# MoH commits to global initiatives for pandemic prevention, response

BY JUDY SHERI (PCO)

The Ministry of Health has committed to safeguard public health by engaging in global initiatives designed to enhance its pandemic prevention and response mechanisms after the recent outbreaks of Covid-19, Ebola, and Marburg virus disease.

The Principal Secretary, State Department for Public Health and Professional Standards Mary Muthoni expressed the need for a comprehensive approach by the government and society to fight outbreaks regardless of the magnitude.

Speaking during the ninth Africa regional meeting of the Collaborative Arrangement for Prevention and Management of Public Health Events in Civil Aviation (CAPSCA), the PS said the gathering



Principal Secretary Mary Muthoni, delivers a compelling address at the 9th Africa Regional Meeting for CAPSCA, emphasizing the importance of collaborative efforts in preventing and managing public health events in civil aviation.

provides countries with an invaluable platform to evaluate their pandemic preparedness and response strategies, share best practices, and tackle challenges for sustainable progress.

She acknowledged the significant loss of lives

caused by the Covid-19 pandemic, but lauded the paradigm shift it had triggered in preparedness and response mechanisms by all stakeholders.

"Going by the Covid-19 experience, we have made remarkable progress in

enhancing our functional capacities, particularly in emergency coordination, collaborative surveillance, clinical care, risk communication, and community engagement," the PS said.

She said Kenya is actively collaborating with international organizations to enhance global health security and is currently serving as vice chair and bureau member for the WHO-AFRO region on the WHO Working Group on amendments to the International Health Regulations (WGIHR) which places the country as a crucial player in shaping international health policies.

These pro-active measures exemplify the country's dedication to protecting its citizens from global health threats and contribute to global health security.



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# Nyeri introduces civic tool kit for rating its health facilities

BY MARY NDIRANGU (KNA)

Nyeri residents will now be able to rate health in government hospitals after the county government, together with the Alliance Leaders Malaria Alliance (ALMA), launched a civic tool kit which will allow members of the public to give their views about health services offered in local facilities.

Through the tool kit christened 'Community Score Card', patients visiting health facilities can now score hospitals in nine key areas among them: the time taken to receive services, availability of medicine and diagnostic services and customer satisfaction of services covered by the National Hospital Insurance Fund.

They will also grade the levels of cleanliness of the health centre, the facility's emergency responsiveness, the frequency of home visits made by community health volunteers among others areas.

Feedback collected through the kit will then be presented to the hospital's



Representatives from Nyeri county Department of Health Services and Alliance Leaders Malaria Alliance (ALMA) during the launch of Community Score Card at the White Rhino Hotel in Nyeri. The tool allows residents to rate health services in government hospitals.

management on a quarterly basis. The manage-

Health services can only improve if we listen to the issues raised by the people," - Ndieka

ment will in turn develop an action plan to address the concerns raised by the patients.

According to ALMA's Robert Ndieka, the main aim of the tool kit is to help the different cadres of public health facilities in the counties to improve the quality of their services.

He added that the initiative has already been rolled out in 10 other counties with a view to holding public officers accountable for health resources and efficient service delivery.

"The alliance is conscious of the importance of feedback in health service delivery and has facilitated the process in 10 counties.

"We believe that health services can only improve if we listen to the issues raised by the people that we are serving and improve the

quality of services that we are offering," Mr Ndieka said.

Ms Ann Nduta, the Nyeri county community health coordinator said, the initiative will focus on the Level IV and Level V facilities which attend to the bulk of patients in the county.

She said the tool will be a gateway for the county health department to identify issues of concern for patients.

She said the Community Score Card will be rolled out

in the Nyeri County Referral hospital, Mukurwe-ini Level IV Hospital, Mount Kenya Hospital in Nyeri town, Othaya Level IV Hospital and Karatina sub-county hospital in Mathira.

"We will be collecting views from five facilities. As service providers, the tool will help us to see the facilities in the eyes of our patients and expose the community's areas of complaint and therefore help the department improve the areas highlighted," she said.

**MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION AND IRRIGATION**  
WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (WSDP)

|                                |                              |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>PROJECT ID NO.: P156634</b> | <b>CREDIT NO.: IDA-60290</b> |
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**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI) FOR CONSULTING SERVICES – INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT SELECTION**

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|--------------------------|---|
| <b>ASSIGNMENT TITLE:</b> | <b>SHORT TERM INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT; PROGRAMME MANAGER FOR NATIONAL PERFORMANCE BASED FINANCING PROGRAMME</b> |
| <b>REFERENCE NO:</b>     | <b>KE-WSTF-324279-CS-INDV</b>   |

1. The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received a credit from the World Bank to implement Water and Sanitation Development Project (WSDP) aimed at improving water supply and sanitation services in selected coastal and north eastern regions in Kenya and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
2. The consulting services ("the Services") include: support the Water Sector Trust Fund in the implementation of the National Performance-Based Financing under the WSDP. The support includes the closure of the Conditional Liquidity Support Grant (CLSG) I, overseeing implementation of the Performance Based Contracting (PBC) for Non-Revenue Water (NRW) reduction Technical Assistance and implementation of Conditional Liquidity Support Grant (CLSG) II.
3. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment found at the following websites: <https://waterfund.go.ke/downloads/tenders>; <http://www.tenders.go.ke>.
4. The Water Sector Trust Fund now invites eligible Individual Consultants ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:
  - a. Qualification with at least 10 years of financial and general experience, and at least 5 years to have worked on a similar assignment with knowledge in financial modelling.
  - b. Demonstrated experience in financial analysis, data analysis, monitoring and evaluation of development programmes, policy formulation and project cycle management for at least 5 years; and
  - c. At least 5 years' experience working with World Bank financed projects or similar institutions
5. The Consultant(s) will be selected in accordance with the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, dated July, 2016 and revised in November 2017, July 2018 and November 2020 which can be found at the following website: [www.worldbank.org/procurement](http://www.worldbank.org/procurement).
6. The duration of the consultancy services is **twelve (12) months**.
7. The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" Fourth Edition November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
8. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Open Competitive Selection method of Individual Consultants as is set out in the Procurement Regulations paragraphs 7.36 and 7.37.
9. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours [**weekdays Monday to Friday 0800hrs to 1700hrs local time excluding public holidays**].
10. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (**in person, or by mail, or by e-mail below**) by **4<sup>th</sup> July 2023**.
11. Interested Consultants are required to continually check the Water Sector Trust Fund website <https://waterfund.go.ke> for any additional information or clarification that may arise before the submission date.

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## KISUMU WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LIMITED

### NATIONAL TENDER NOTICE

#### TENDER FOR DISPOSAL OF ASSORTED BOARDED ITEMS

The Kisumu Water and Sanitation Company Limited invites sealed bids from interested eligible tenderers to Purchase Assorted Boarded Items as listed below:

| S/No | Tender No.                      | Tender Description                 | Closing/Opening date | Opening Venue       |
|------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1.   | KWSC/DISP/35/ 001-015/2022-2023 | Disposal of Assorted Boarded Items | 27.06.2023           | KIWASCO – Boardroom |

A complete set of tender documents may be obtained electronically from KIWASCO Website [www.kiwasco.co.ke](http://www.kiwasco.co.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal's website <https://tenders.go.ke> free of charge.

Tender documents may be viewed and downloaded for free from the website [www.kiwasco.co.ke](http://www.kiwasco.co.ke) or from the Public Procurement Information Portal's website <https://tenders.go.ke>. Tenderers who download the tender documents must forward their particulars immediately to e-mail [procurement@kiwasco.co.ke](mailto:procurement@kiwasco.co.ke), to facilitate any further clarification or addendum. **Tenderers are urged to check our website from time to time for any additional information, clarifications or addendum.**

Completed tender documents enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked with the tender number and description should be deposited in the tender box provided at the entrance opposite the Managing Director's office or be addressed and posted to;

**The Managing Director  
Kisumu Water and Sanitation Company Ltd  
Nafaka House, Ground Floor, Oginga Odinga Street, Opposite Swan Center  
P.O. Box 3210 – 40100  
KISUMU**

to be received on or before **Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 12.00noon.**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter at **KIWASCO boardroom, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Nafaka House, Kisumu** in the presence of bidders or their representatives who choose to attend.

**HEAD OF SUPPLY CHAIN**



# Government to charter vessels for trans-shipments to boost revenues

BY JULIUS NDEGWA (PCO)

Plans by the Government to charter vessels to undertake local trans-shipments of cargo are at an advanced stage.

This is meant to tap revenue from freight charges that is currently going to foreign registered vessels and give jobs to graduating

seafarers.

According to the Principal Secretary for the State Department for Shipping and Maritime Affairs Mr. Shadrack Mwadime, the Government will achieve its plans of chartering sea vessels by invoking the Cabotage Laws under the Merchant Shipping Act to allow and facilitate its

planned sea borne trans-shipment plan.

“Cabotage Law has been applied in other countries with coastlines to protect their domestic shipping industry, and there is no reason why the same should not apply to Kenya,” said Mr. Mwadime.

The PS was speaking when he held youth sen-



Zuber Jabu Mzee, an unemployed Economics graduate from University of Nairobi from Kibanda Hasara in Samburu Sub-County in Kwale, asks a question during the Youth forum.

sitization forums in all the four sub-counties of LungaLunga, Msambweni, Kinango and Matuga of Kwale County.

The meetings are being organized by the State Department in conjunction with the Kwale County government to inform and empower the youth on the immense opportunities and potential available in the Blue Economy space in Kenya with special focus in the Maritime and Shipping industry.



## THE NATIONAL TREASURY AND ECONOMIC PLANNING

### VACANT POSITIONS

Applications are invited from qualified persons for the positions shown below.

| S/No | Designation  | J/G       | No. of Posts | Advert No. |
|------|--|-----------|--------------|------------|
| 1    | Principal Debt Settlement Officer                    | 'N/CSG 8' | 7            | 1/2023     |
| 2    | Principal Resource Mobilization Officer              | 'N/CSG 8' | 13           | 2/2023     |
| 3    | Principal Debt Management Officer                    | 'N/CSG 8' | 8            | 3/2023     |
| 4    | Principal Assets Management Officer                  | 'N/CSG 8' | 4            | 4/2023     |
| 5    | Principal Internal Auditor                           | 'N/CSG 8' | 204          | 5/2023     |
| 6    | Senior Internal Auditor                              | 'L/CSG 9' | 96           | 6/2023     |
| 7    | Principal Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations Officer | 'N/CSG 8' | 7            | 7/2023     |
| 8    | Senior Economic Policy Analyst I                     | 'N/CSG 8' | 12           | 8/2023     |
| 9    | Principal Finance Officer/ Principal Budget Officer  | 'N/CSG 8' | 22           | 9/2023     |
| 10   | Finance Officer/ Budget Officer I                    | 'L/CSG 9' | 41           | 10/2023    |
| 11   | Principal Pensions Assistant                         | 'N/CSG 8' | 12           | 11/2023    |

Interested and qualified candidates are requested to view the requirements for the vacant positions through the National Treasury Website: [www.treasury.go.ke](http://www.treasury.go.ke) and make their one completed application on form PSC 2 (Revised 2016) to;

**The Principal Secretary**  
National Treasury  
P. O. Box 30007-00100, NAIROBI  
3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, room 303 so as to reach the office on or before 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2023.

#### Please Note:

- Candidates should provide all the details requested for in the advertisement. It is an offence to include incorrect information in the application. Details of academic and professional certificates not obtained by closure of the advert should not be included.
- Only shortlisted and successful candidates will be contacted.
- Canvassing in any form will lead to automatic disqualification.
- The National Treasury is committed to implementing the provisions of the Constitution - Chapter 232 (1) on fair competition and merit, representation of Kenya's diverse communities and affording equal employment opportunities to men and women, members of all ethnic groups and persons with disabilities.  
**THEREFORE, PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, THE MARGINALIZED AND THE MINORITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.**
- Shortlisted candidates shall be required to produce originals of their National Identity Card, academic and professional certificates and transcripts during interviews.
- It is a criminal offence to present fake certificates/documents.
- Public Officers shall be required to produce the original letter of appointment to their current substantive post during the interview.

Applications should reach the Commission on or before 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 latest 5.00 pm (East African Time).

DR. CHRIS KIPTOO, CBS  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY/NT



### MURANG'A SOUTH WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LIMITED

#### 1. INVITATION FOR APPLICATIONS FOR A VACANT POSITION IN THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF MURANG'A SOUTH WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LIMITED

Murang'a South Water and Sanitation Company Limited (MUSWASCO) is a Water Service Provider that was incorporated on 23rd May 2008 under the Companies Act, 2015 (formerly Cap 486). The Company is responsible for the provision of Water and Sanitation services within her jurisdiction pursuant to the Water Act of 2016.

In accordance with Article 174 of the Constitution of Kenya, to ensure the public served has an opportunity to participate in decision-making in service delivery that affects them, MUSWASCO in conjunction with the Murang'a County Government through the stakeholder participation procedure is recruiting three (3) members of the Board of Directors. For eligibility, the applicants must be locals from the Company's area of service.

The Company has three (3) board vacancies for representatives of the following stakeholder groups:

- One (1) member from Women Organizations nominated by their bodies
- One (1) member from the Business community nominated by their bodies
- One (1) member from Special Interest Groups (PLWD) nominated by their bodies

For details on the application procedure, interested candidates should visit the Company's website; [www.muswasco.co.ke](http://www.muswasco.co.ke)

All applications should be sealed in a plain envelope "APPLICATION FOR DIRECTORSHIP" and addressed to the undersigned. All applications should be received no later than **Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 10:00 am at Kandara Head Office.**

**THE CHAIRPERSON, SELECTION COMMITTEE**  
MURANG'A SOUTH WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LIMITED  
P.O. BOX 87-01034, KANDARA.

#### 2. NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF MURANG'A SOUTH WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LIMITED

Notice is hereby given that the Tenth (10th) Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Murang'a South Water and Sanitation Company Limited will be held on Friday, 30th June 2023 at 10:00 am. The venue will be Golden Palm Breeze Hotel, located along the Kenol - Murang'a highway.

The agenda of the AGM is as follows:

- To read the notice convening the meeting
- To receive the Chairman's Report
- To receive the Managing Director's Report
- To adopt the Chairman's and Managing Director's Report
- To receive, consider and, if approved, adopt the Company's Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021, together with the Chairman's, Directors' and Auditors' Reports therein
- To note that the Auditor General shall continue in office as Auditors of the Company and to authorize the Directors to fix their remuneration in accordance with the provisions of Section 724 (1) of the Companies Act 2015
- Election of Directors
  - To note that Director Julius Kamande Manyeki, representing business community, retires by rotation in accordance with Articles 65, 66 and 67 of the Company's Articles of Association, and having served two terms is not eligible for re-election
  - To note that Director Mary Wangari Mwai, representing Women Organizations, retires by rotation in accordance with Articles 65, 66 and 67 of the Company's Articles of Association, and having served two terms is not eligible for re-election
  - To receive and adopt the report of the Selection Committee
  - To elect directors to fill the three (3) vacancies in the Board;
    - One (1) Director representing Business Community
    - One (1) Director representing Women Organizations
    - One (1) Director representing Special Interest Groups (PLWD)
- SPECIAL BUSINESS - CHANGE OF COMPANY STATUS**  
To resolve to change Murang'a South Water and Sanitation Company Limited from a private company limited by shares to a public company limited by shares in reference to the Water Act 2016 and Water Services Regulatory Board (WASREB) Corporate Governance Guidelines 2018
- To authorize the Board to fix the remuneration of the Directors in accordance with benchmarks and guidelines in the Water Sector
- To transact any other business of the Annual General Meeting for which written notice has been received by the Company Secretary 48 hours before the Annual General Meeting in accordance with the Companies Act 2015

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

FCS Richard K. Gikuihi  
Company Secretary





# Regional media regulators form council to enhance collaboration

BY MYGOV CORRESPONDENT

Media Councils from the East Africa region have established and formally registered an association - East African Press Council - that brings together regulators from Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, and Rwanda.

The Association plans to hold its inaugural meeting through a regional media regulation and content moderation summit in Arusha, where the East African Community (EAC) is domiciled.

The conference will bring together regulators, high-ranking government officials, policy makers, editors, and journalists to raise the issue of protection and promotion of media freedom protocols to the regional leaders.

To rope in all EAC partner states, plans to reach out to the media regulators from DRC, Ethiopia, Burundi, Somalia, and South Sudan are at an advanced stage.

During the Arusha meeting, Media Council of Tanzania (MCT) Executive Secretary Mr Kajubi Mukajanga, who is the chair of the association, the Media Council of Kenya (MCK) CEO Mr David Omwoyo, the association Secretary and the Secretary General of East Africa Community Dr Peter Mathuki, noted that the spirit behind the establishment of the EAPC was



Media Council of Kenya CEO Mr David Omwoyo (right), Secretary General of East African Community Dr Peter Mathuki and Media Council of Tanzania Executive Secretary Mr Kajubi Mukajanga (left) when they met in Arusha for talks on the launch of the East African Press Council (EAPC).

informed by the similar nature of the media regulation systems, media consumption patterns, media development and press freedom concerns among the countries. The meeting took place at the East Africa Community headquarters based in Arusha, Tanzania in preparation for the inauguration of the East Africa Press Council (EAPC).

MCT Executive Secretary Mr Mukajanga presented a short background on the formation and registration of the East Africa Press Council noting that it was aimed at promoting media regulation within the region.

"The Regional Press Council will aim to promote me-

dia regulation development and address issues on press freedom among journalists in the region", said Mr Mukajanga.

Mr Omwoyo highlighted the focus areas of the EAPC noting its benefits for the media industry and the potential for improved collaboration and standardisation across the region.

"The EAPC will provide a platform focused on promoting regional press freedom, monetisation of digital platforms to raise sustainable income for media houses, and capacity building for media workers", stated Mr Omwoyo.

Dr Mathuki welcomed the formation of the association

and expressed his support for the initiative, emphasizing its importance in coordinating the media in the region under one umbrella.

"We work closely with such institutions because they are cross border and they cut across. Once you are fully established, we can give you an observer status to legally enable you attend meetings of the summit and various councils", remarked Dr Mathuki.

"The observer status will accord the media the advantage of their views and ideas mainstreamed into policy through direct communication with the heads of states during the summits", he said.

# Makueni to provide 24-hour health services in all wards



Malili dispensary Nurse in charge Eunice Andrew dispayin an award during the Doctors annual awards ceremony on Tuesday at Makueni Mother and Child Hospital, Wote.

BY LAVENDER MUTUKU AND SAMSON MAKAU (KNA)

Residents of Makueni will soon access 24-hour health services at the selected health centers across the 30 wards in the county.

According to Deputy Governor Lucy Mulili, the devolved unit targets to operationalize at least one health facility per ward to enable the population access medical services on a 24-hour basis.

"In the next financial year, the county government will improve at least one health facility per ward to enable the population easily access service," said Mulili during Doctors Annual Awards

Ceremony at the Makueni Mother and Child Hospital in Wote.

The DG said the county is committed to ensuring the residents get the best services at all health facilities by ensuring working health systems.

"We are very committed to ensure our populations get the best service at clinics, dispensary, sub county and level three and four hospitals, with enough personnels and health commodities," added Mulili.

During the ceremony, Malili dispensary in Kilome sub county emerged the best dispensary while Kibwezi sub county Hospital was crowned the best overall hospital in the county.



## Kenya Film Classification Board



### INVITATION TO TENDER

The Kenya Film Classification Board is a State Corporation established by the Films and Stage Plays Act Cap 222 Laws of Kenya to regulate the creation, broadcast, possession, distribution and exhibition of film and broadcast content in the country.

The Board invites interested firms to submit their bids:

| No. | Tender Number      | Tender Name                    | Closing Date                       |
|-----|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1.  | KFCB /09/2022/2023 | PROVISION OF SECURITY SERVICES | FRIDAY, 23 <sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2023 |

Interested eligible bidders may obtain the detailed tender advert, respective tender document and further information from KFCB website: <https://kfcg.go.ke/tenders/> or visit the Supply Chain Office, on 15<sup>th</sup> Floor, Uchumi House during normal office working hours or reach us through [kfcgprocurement@kfcg.go.ke](mailto:kfcgprocurement@kfcg.go.ke).

Tenders will be opened immediately after the closing date and time at the KFCB 14<sup>th</sup>-floor boardroom in the presence of the tenderers or their representatives.

Ag. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,  
KENYA FILM CLASSIFICATION BOARD



### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY'S DRAFT STRATEGIC PLAN FOR THE PERIOD 2023/2024 – 2027/2028

The Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (the Authority) is established under Section 8 of the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act, 2015 (the Act). The Authority is charged with the mandate of monitoring, assessing, and reporting on the overall functioning of the public procurement and asset disposal system in accordance with Article 227 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010.

The Authority has developed a draft Strategic Plan for the period 2023/2024 – 2027/2028. The Strategic Plan has taken into account the requirements of the Kenya Vision 2030, the Fourth Medium Term Sector reports, the Bottom-UP Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA), the mandate as outlined under Section 9 of the Act, and those in attendant Regulations, 2020.

In line with Article 10 and 47 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, among other legal provisions, the Authority is requesting for comments and views from stakeholders on the draft Strategic Plan for the 2023/24 – 2027/28 period. The draft Strategic Plan can be accessed from the Authority's website ([www.ppra.go.ke](http://www.ppra.go.ke)) using the following link: <https://ppra.go.ke/Draft-Strategic-Plan-2023-2028>.

We hereby request for your written views and comments on the draft strategic plan, and we suggest that the comments be captured in the Views and Comments Submission Form, available alongside the draft strategic plan and sent through email address, [info@ppra.go.ke](mailto:info@ppra.go.ke), and/or as hard copy and mailed to the undersigned.

All submissions should reach the Authority by close of business on or before 19<sup>th</sup> June 2023.

The Director General  
Public Procurement Regulatory Authority  
KISM Towers, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, along Ngong Road.  
P.O. Box 58535-00200  
NAIROBI





## THE SACCO SOCIETIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY (SASRA)

### OPEN INTERNATIONAL TENDER NOTICE

The Sacco Societies Regulatory Authority (SASRA) invites sealed bids from eligible firms for **Supply, Installation, Configuration, Customization, Testing, Commissioning and Maintenance of a Risk-Based Supervision System, BI Tools and API Gateway; Tender No. SASRA/OIT/056/2022-2023.**

Interested eligible firms may download the tender documents or obtain further information from the Procuring Entity SASRA website <https://www.sasra.go.ke/tenders/> and Public Procurement Information Portal [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)

Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to [procurement@sasra.go.ke](mailto:procurement@sasra.go.ke) to facilitate any further clarification or addendum.

A Mandatory site pre-tender conference shall be held at Sacco Societies Regulatory Authority, 18<sup>th</sup> Floor, Board Room, UAP Old Mutual Tower, Upperhill Road, Upperhill Nairobi on **27<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 10 AM EAT.**

Completed documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked with the tender Name and number and should be addressed to Chief Executive Officer, Sacco Societies Regulatory Authority, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor, UAP/Old Mutual Tower, Upper Hill Road, P.O Box 25089-00100, Nairobi, and be dropped in the tender box on 19<sup>th</sup> Floor, UAP/Old Mutual Tower, Upper hill Road, so as to be received on or before **18<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 10 AM EAT.**

Any addendums and/or clarifications in respect to the tender will be available in the SASRA website [www.sasra.go.ke](http://www.sasra.go.ke) and on the Public Procurement Information Portal [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke).

All bidders are advised to regularly check the website during the bidding period.

For enquiries, interested bidders can contact the Procurement Office through **tel: +254 (020) 2935101, EMAIL: [procurement@sasra.go.ke](mailto:procurement@sasra.go.ke)**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of candidates or their representatives who choose to attend the event at SASRA's 19<sup>th</sup> - floor boardroom.

**Chief Executive Officer**



## TENDER NOTICE

The Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS) is a Semi-Autonomous Government Agency established under the Statistics Act, 2006 to collect, compile, analyze, and disseminate socio-economic statistics needed for planning and policy formulation in Kenya. KNBS invites sealed open National tenders as below: -

| NO. | TENDER NO.            | ITEM /SERVICE DESCRIPTION                                     | TENDER SECURITY IN KSHS. | CLOSING DATES              | TARGETED GROUPS |
|-----|-----------------------|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| 1   | KNBS/OIT/10/2022-2023 | Provision of Security Services for KNBS office in Embu County | 10,000.00                | 27th June 2023 at 10:00 am | Open            |

Eligible Tenderers may obtain further information and download the Tender Document free of charge from the Integrated Financial Management Information System (IFMIS) supplier portal (<https://supplier.treasury.go.ke>) and /or Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS) website; [www.knbs.or.ke](http://www.knbs.or.ke) under "Tenders" portal. Those who download the document must immediately forward their particulars (i.e. Name & Contacts of Applicant) to email; [procurement@knbs.or.ke](mailto:procurement@knbs.or.ke) for purposes of registration.

Original Tender document should be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes marked with tender reference number and be deposited in the Tender Box on 13<sup>th</sup> Floor, Real Towers addressed to: -

**Director General  
Kenya National Bureau of Statistics  
P. O. Box 30266-00100,  
NAIROBI.**

**so as to be received on or before 27th June 2023 at 10:00am**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the Candidates or their representatives who choose to attend at the KNBS Board Room- Real Towers, 13<sup>th</sup> Floor. **KNBS will strictly adhere to Government Guidelines in response to the spread of COVID - 19 during opening of tenders.**

Any canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification. Late tenders will not be accepted.

**DIRECTOR GENERAL  
KENYA NATIONAL BUREAU OF STATISTICS**



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Towards Ending Drought Emergencies



## National Drought Management Authority (NDMA)

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NOTICE FOR CONSULTANCY ON CLIMATE CHANGE RISK AND VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT (VIA STUDY) FOR TWENDE PROJECT

The National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) is a public body established by the National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) Act, 2016. The Act gives the NDMA the mandate to exercise overall coordination over all matters relating to drought risk management and to establish mechanisms, either on its own or with stakeholders, that will end drought emergencies in Kenya.

The National Drought Management Authority now invites applications for proposals from interested and eligible consulting firms for the below Request for Proposal (RFP).

| RFP Number            | RFP Description  |
|-----------------------|--|
| NDMA/RFP/07/2022-2023 | Consultancy on Climate Change Risk and Vulnerability Assessment (Via Study) for TWENDE Project |

Interested eligible firms may inspect, view and download the full terms of reference **free of charge** from the National Drought Management Authority Website [www.ndma.go.ke](http://www.ndma.go.ke) and the Public Procurement Information Portal [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)

Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in in plain sealed envelopes and clearly marked "**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NAME** and **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NUMBER**" should be addressed to:

**Chief Executive Officer  
National Drought Management Authority  
Lonrho House, Standard Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
P.O. Box 53547 – 00200, NAIROBI**

and deposited in the tender box situated at the **NDMA Reception, Lonrho House, Standard Street 8<sup>th</sup> Floor** so as to be received on or before **27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 10:30 am.**

RFP Documents will be opened immediately thereafter in the **Boardroom on 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Lonrho House, Standard Street, Nairobi** in the presence of Tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend.

**Chief Executive Officer**



## National Drought Management Authority (NDMA)

### OPEN TENDER NOTICE (RE-ADVERTISEMENT)

The National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) is a public body established by the National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) Act, 2016. The Act gives the NDMA the mandate to exercise overall coordination over all matters relating to drought risk management and to establish mechanisms, either on its own or with stakeholders, that will end drought emergencies in Kenya.

The National Drought Management Authority now invites applications for tenders from interested and eligible service providers for the below tender:

| Tender Number     | Tender Description                                  | Category | Tender Security |
|-------------------|---|----------|-----------------|
| NDMA/11/2022-2023 | Provision of Motor Vehicle Insurance (Underwriters) | Open     | KES 150,000     |

Interested eligible firms may inspect, view and download the tender document free of charge from the National Drought Management Authority Website [www.ndma.go.ke](http://www.ndma.go.ke) and the Public Procurement Information Portal [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)

Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in in plain sealed envelopes and clearly marked "**TENDER NUMBER** and **TENDER NAME**" should be addressed to:

**Chief Executive Officer  
National Drought Management Authority  
Lonrho House, Standard Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
P.O. Box 53547 – 00200, NAIROBI**

and deposited in the tender box situated at the **NDMA Reception, Lonrho House, Standard Street 8<sup>th</sup> Floor** so as to be received on or before **Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 10:30am.**

Tender Documents will be opened immediately thereafter in the **Boardroom on 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Lonrho House, Standard Street, Nairobi** in the presence of Tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend. Covid-19 prevention protocols will be applied.

**Chief Executive Officer**







## EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

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 now invites tenders from interested and eligible firms to bid for Expression of Interest for Provision of External Audit Services.

| S/no | Tender Description  | Tender Reference Number | Closing Date                               |
|------|---|-------------------------|--|
| 1.   | Expression of Interest for Provision of External Audit Services | KETRACO-PT-016-2023     | 28 <sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 10:30 am EAT |

**KETRACO** tenders run on SAP ARIBA e-procurement platform and therefore the tender document detailing the requirements may be viewed by clicking on the link provided in **KETRACO** website ([www.ketraco.co.ke](http://www.ketraco.co.ke)) beginning **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2023**.

All enquiries on this tender should be channelled through [prnjehia@ketraco.co.ke](mailto:prnjehia@ketraco.co.ke); [skoskei@ketraco.co.ke](mailto:skoskei@ketraco.co.ke); [jkioko@ketraco.co.ke](mailto:jkioko@ketraco.co.ke); [jgachara@ketraco.co.ke](mailto:jgachara@ketraco.co.ke); or through message board in SAP Ariba.

Complete tender documents shall be electronically submitted through SAP ARIBA platform on or before the dates as indicated in the table above for specific tenders.

Tenders will be opened electronically promptly thereafter in the presence of the tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend in **KETRACO** Procurement Office at Kawi Complex, Block B, Second Floor.

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



## NORTH RIFT VALLEY WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY



### VACANCIES

**North Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency (NRVWDA)** was established by the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation vide Gazette Notice No. 4 of 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 pursuant to the Water Act 2016. The Agency was established to undertake the development, maintenance and management of the National Public Water Works within its area of jurisdiction which include; Uasin Gishu, West Pokot, Elgeyo Marakwet and Turkana Counties. The Agency now invites qualified and experienced persons to fill the following positions to be deployed at the North Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency Headquarters in Eldoret.

| S/ No. | Description                                  | Grade | Terms of Service        | Job Reference    | No. of Posts |
|--------|--|-------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 1.     | General Manager, Infrastructure Development. | NRV 2 | Contract                | NRV/GMID/01/2023 | One (1)      |
| 2.     | Manager, Human Resource and Administration   | NRV 3 | Contract                | NRV/MHRA/02/2023 | One (1)      |
| 3.     | Manager, Supply Chain Management             | NRV 3 | Contract                | NRV/MSCM/03/2023 | One (1)      |
| 4.     | Principal Accountant                         | NRV 4 | Permanent & Pensionable | NRV/PA/04/2023   | One (1)      |
| 5.     | Principal Internal Auditor                   | NRV 4 | Permanent & Pensionable | NRV/PIA/05/2023  | One (1)      |
| 6.     | Driver                                       | NRV 9 | Permanent & Pensionable | NRV/DRV/06/2023  | One (1)      |

Visit Our Website at <https://www.nrvwda.go.ke/careers/> for more information.

If you possess the attributes for the above positions, please submit your Application Letter and ensure you enclose a detailed Curriculum Vitae, Copies of Academic and Professional Certificates and indicate both day and evening telephone contacts.

While applying candidates should quote the reference number of the job applied on top of the envelop (**or as the subject for those sending via email**) to reach the undersigned on or before **12<sup>th</sup> July, 2023** by the close of business.

All applications should be addressed to:

**Chief Executive Officer,  
North Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency,  
Office of the Auditor General Building, (2nd Floor), Furfural Road,  
P.O. BOX 1012-30100,  
Eldoret - Kenya.**

OR

Emailed to  
[applications@nrvwda.go.ke](mailto:applications@nrvwda.go.ke)

**NRVWDA is an equal opportunity employer: Persons with disability, women and minority groups are encouraged to apply. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Any form of canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification of the applicant.**



## AGRICULTURE AND FOOD AUTHORITY

### INVITATION TO TENDER

Agriculture and Food Authority invites sealed tenders from interested and eligible bidders in the Tender listed below;

| No. | Tender Ref No.             | Tender Name   | Eligibility | Closing Date           |
|-----|----------------------------|---|-------------|------------------------|
| 1.  | AFA/DISPOSAL/001/2022-2023 | Disposal of Motor vehicles, Motor bikes unserviceable, equipment's and other scrap items. | Open Tender | 27/06/2023 at 11.00 am |

Tender documents with detailed information and instructions can be down loaded from the following website: [www.afa.go.ke](http://www.afa.go.ke) or [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) free of charge.

Enquiries can be made via Email address [tenders@afa.go.ke](mailto:tenders@afa.go.ke).

Completed tender documents shall be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked with the Tender number and name and be deposited in the Tender Box located at the reception of the Tea House or Addressed to:

**The Director General  
Agriculture and Food Authority  
Tea House, Naivasha Road, off Ngong Road  
P. O. Box 37962 - 00100  
NAIROBI**

To be received on or before **Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June 2023** at **11.00 a.m. Local Time**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the candidate's representatives who choose to attend at the **Agriculture and Food Authority Tea House Ground Floor Conference Hall**.

Bidders are advised to regularly visit AFA website. All addenda/ additional information on the tender shall be posted on AFA website as they become available.

**AG. DIRECTOR GENERAL.**



## COMMUNICATIONS AUTHORITY OF KENYA

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON MINIMUM TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR DIGITAL SOUND BROADCASTING RECEIVERS

The Communications Authority of Kenya (CA) is the regulatory Authority for the ICT industry in Kenya with responsibilities in telecommunication, 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.

The Authority is finalizing the development of a framework for introduction of digital sound broadcasting in Kenya. This initiative is intended to ensure efficient utilization of the scarce broadcasting spectrum and an effort to satisfy the growing demand for radio broadcasting services that have outstripped the existing FM radio frequencies. As part of the said framework, the Authority has developed draft minimum technical specifications for digital radio receivers that shall be used for reception of digital radio broadcasting services.

The Authority therefore invites stakeholders and the public to provide inputs/comments on the technical specifications with justification of the same.

The said technical specification for DAB+ receivers is available on the Authority's website at <https://www.ca.go.ke/consumers/public-consultations/open-consultations/>

The Authority will appreciate your comments not later than **27<sup>th</sup> June 2023**. Written submissions can be forwarded to the Authority through [DSB-Receiver@ca.go.ke](mailto:DSB-Receiver@ca.go.ke) or the address below on or before the stated deadline.

**The Director General  
Communications Authority of Kenya  
CA Center, Waiyaki Way  
P.O. Box 14448  
Nairobi-00800  
Website: [www.ca.go.ke](http://www.ca.go.ke)  
Tel: +254 204242000  
Mobile: +254 703042000**

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| <b>Head Office</b><br>CA Centre<br>P.O.Box 14448<br>Nairobi 00800<br>Mobile: : 0703042000<br>Email: <a href="mailto:info@ca.go.ke">info@ca.go.ke</a> | <b>Western Regional Office</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Floor KVDA Plaza<br>P.O.Box 2346<br>Eldoret 30100<br>Mobile: 0703042105<br>Email: <a href="mailto:wro@ca.go.ke">wro@ca.go.ke</a> | <b>Coast Regional Office</b><br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor, NSSF Building<br>P.O.Box 8041<br>Mombasa 80100<br>Mobile:0703042152<br>Email: <a href="mailto:cro@ca.go.ke">cro@ca.go.ke</a> | <b>Central Regional Office</b><br>Ground Floor, Advocates Plaza<br>P.O Box 134 Nyeri 10100<br>Mobile : 0703042181<br>Email : <a href="mailto:cero@ca.go.ke">cero@ca.go.ke</a> | <b>Nyanza Regional Office</b><br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Lake Basin Mall,<br>P.O Box 2016<br>Kisumu 40100<br>Mobile: 0703042130<br>Email: <a href="mailto:nro@ca.go.ke">nro@ca.go.ke</a> |
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## State executes raft of measures to boost country's forex reserves

BY JANE NGUGI AND DENNIS RASTO (KNA)

The Government has unveiled a raft of measures aimed at easing pressure on the country's foreign exchange (Forex) reserve and ensuring dollar availability.

Energy and Petroleum Cabinet Secretary Davis Chirchir said, the government to government fuel importation deal that the State has entered into with three international oil firms will ease the dollar shortage that has been crippling the economy for the last one year. Chirchir noted that petroleum products account for about 35 per cent of the total forex requirements adding that under the deal, firms will nominate local oil marketers that will oversee the importation and collec-

tion of money that will then be paid after the expiry of a six-month credit period.

He added that the credit period, in addition to oil marketers paying for products using the shilling as opposed to dollars as has been the case, are expected to reduce demand for the US dollar and reduce pressure on the foreign exchange reserves that are at their lowest levels in over a decade.

The CS explained that a key objective of the arrangement is to reduce the demand for the US dollar driven by petroleum imports by extending the time required to source for dollars from five days to 180 days.

"Importers are usually paid over a short period of time, which is five days every month when the petroleum cargoes arrive in Mombasa. This puts a strain on the local

foreign exchange reserves. It also has the effect of significantly increasing demand for the dollar, which in turn tends to weaken the shilling," said Chirchir.

The CS noted that the credit period was reducing pressure on the shilling and ensuring dollars are available for the rest of the market.

"Dollar unavailability has been a big challenge aggravated by devaluation and sliding of the Kenya shilling," added the Cabinet Secretary Chirchir spoke when he commissioned a new loading system at Kenya Pipeline Company depot in Nakuru.

He said the tightening of the monetary policy by the US government due to post-Covid 19 inflation that hit an all high nine per cent had contributed to the dollar shortage.

## NASCOP, NGO launches program to boost acceptability and usability of HIV self-testing among youth

BY ROBERT OJWANG AND WYCLIFFE ANANDA (KNA)

Population Services Kenya (PS Kenya), an NGO operating in the country in partnership with the National AIDS and STIs Control Program (NASCOP) has launched a campaign which seeks to empower youths to embrace self-care practices to manage their sexual and reproductive health.

The drive dubbed Self-Care Dialogue Mtaani seeks to address the high rate of new HIV infections among the youth by advancing the HIV Self-Testing (HIVST) kits adoption as part of the virus prevention measure.

To implement this, PS Kenya has partnered with local pharmacies and clinics in Kisumu and Nairobi



Wendy Adamba (center), learning advisor with Population Service International flanked by Jackline ODHAMBO (left), Sub-County Health Reproductive Officer Kisumu West and Dorothy Oketch (right), from MOH office Kisumu during a session on self care dialogue.

counties where the program is being piloted to expand the coverage for HIVST and enable customers to access timely and requisite care following their test results.

Through the partnership,

pharmacists will dispense and offer advice on HIV products like antiretroviral drugs, Post-Exposure Prophylaxis (PEP), Pre-Ex-

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### PYRETHRUM PROCESSING COMPANY OF KENYA LIMITED

#### TENDER NOTICE

Pyrethrum Processing Company of Kenya Limited invites Sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the following tender;

| S/ NO | Tender reference            | Tender Descriptions  | Eligibility | Deadline               |
|-------|-----------------------------|--|-------------|------------------------|
| 001   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1208/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF CHEMICALS, REAGENTS AND OTHER LABORATORY CONSUMABLES   | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 002   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1209/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF HEXANE, METHANOL, SHELL SOLT, B.H.T (FOOD GRADE), ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL AND OTHER INDUSTRIAL SOLVENTS  | OPEN        | 27/06/2023             |
| 003   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1210/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF MOTOR VEHICLES, TRACTORS AND MOTOR BIKES  | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 004   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1211/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR PROVISION OF INSURANCE SERVICES FOR MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTOR BIKES  | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 005   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1212/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR REPAIR, SERVICING AND MAINTENANCE OF LABORATORY EQUIPMENT AT MUGUGA, MOLO AND HEAD OFFICE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR. | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 006   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1213/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF FIREWOOD LOGS AND DRY SAWDUST   | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 007   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1214/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF PYRETHRUM SEEDLINGS  | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 008   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1215/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF AEROSOL REFILLING  | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 009   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1216/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR PROVISION OF CLEARING AND FORWARDING SERVICES   | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |
| 010   | PPCK/PROC/OT/1217/2022-2023 | TENDER FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF INDUSTRIAL GASES   | OPEN        | 27/06/2023 at 11:00 am |

Interested bidders can obtain copies of tender documents at the Procurement Office upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Kshs.1,000.00**. Interested bidders are required to submit hard copies of their completed tender document plus all the attachments in a plain sealed envelope with the tender reference number and description clearly marked in the envelope and addressed to:

**Ag. Chief Executive Officer**  
Pyrethrum Processing Company of Kenya Limited  
P.O.BOX 420 - 20100, Nakuru  
Email: [md@pyrethrum.co.ke](mailto:md@pyrethrum.co.ke) [procurement@pyrethrum.co.ke](mailto:procurement@pyrethrum.co.ke)

And be placed in the tender box located at the PPCK Main Office reception, ground floor, along General Mathenge Road, Industrial Area-Nakuru. Submitted tender documents shall be opened soon after the deadline in the PPCK Board room in the presence of tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend. Late bids shall not be accepted.

**Ag. Chief Executive Officer.**



#### TENDER FOR THE PROVISION OF STAFF MEDICAL COVER

The Kenya Industrial Property Institute invites sealed tenders for the Provision of Staff Medical Cover for the Kenya Industrial Property Institute, Nairobi.

Tendering will be conducted under the open competitive method national using a standardized tender document. Tendering is open to all qualified and interested tenderers.

Qualified and interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the tender documents during office hours **[8:00am-1:00pm, 2:00pm-5:00pm]** at the address given below.

A complete set of tender documents may be purchased or obtained by interested tenders upon payment of a non-refundable fees of **(Kshs.1,000)** in Banker's Cheque and payable to the Managing Director Kenya Industrial Property Institute. Tender documents may be obtained electronically from the Institute's Website, [www.kipi.go.ke/](http://www.kipi.go.ke/) or from the Public Procurement Information Portal [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke). Tender documents obtained electronically will be **free of charge**.

Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to (**procurement@kipi.go.ke, 020-6002210/11, P.O Box 51648-00200; Nairobi.**) to facilitate any further clarification or addendum.

All tenders must be accompanied by a bid security of 2% of the bid amount.

The tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted.

Completed tenders must be delivered to the address below on or before **27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 10:00 am**. Electronic tenders will not be permitted.

Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified above. Tenders will be publicly opened in the presence of the tenderers' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below.

Late tenders will be rejected.

The addresses referred to above are:

##### A. Address for obtaining further information and for purchasing tender documents

**Kenya Industrial Property Institute.**  
**KIPI Centre,**  
**Kabarsiran Avenue; Off Waiyaki Way**  
**51648-00200; Nairobi.**  
**Supply Chain Office, 020-6002210/11, [procurement@kipi.go.ke](mailto:procurement@kipi.go.ke)**




##### B. Address for Submission of Tenders.

**Should be dropped in the Tender Box at the entrance of the Main Office Kenya Industrial Property Institute**  
**PO Box 51648-00200; Nairobi.**  
**KIPI Centre; Kabarsiran Avenue; Off Waiyaki Way, Nairobi.**

##### C. Address for Opening of Tenders.

**Kenya Industrial Property Institute**  
**KIPI Centre, Kabarsiran Avenue; Off Waiyaki Way; Nairobi.**  
**Training Room**



## KENYA MEDICAL SUPPLIES AUTHORITY (KEMSA)



Tel No: 254 20 3922000, Fax No: 254 20 3922400  
www.kemsa.co.ke Email: info@kemsa.co.ke  
Commercial Street, Industrial Area  
P.O. Box 47715-00100 GPO Nairobi, Kenya

### INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT) NOTICE

The Kenya Medical Supplies Authority (KEMSA) on behalf of the Government of Kenya, Ministry of Health herewith invites sealed tender (s) as follows:

| No.                                 | Tender No.                           | Tender Description                                 | Tender Closing Date                   |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| <b>GLOBAL FUND-KEN-M-TNT</b>        |                                      |  |                                       |
| 1                                   | GF ATM MAL NFM-2022/2023- OIT 04     | Supply of Malaria Rapid Diagnostic Tests (RDTs) II | 4 <sup>th</sup> July, 2023 at 10:00am |
| <b>COUNTERPART FUNDING- MALARIA</b> |                                      |  |                                       |
| 2                                   | KEMSA/GOK-CPF/MAL -2022/2023 -OIT 07 | Supply of Malaria Rapid Diagnostic Tests (RDTs) II | 4 <sup>th</sup> July, 2023 at 10:00am |

Tender documents detailing the requirements of the above tenders may be obtained from KEMSA Website: <http://www.kemsa.co.ke/tenders> and PPIP Portal: [tenders.go.ke](http://tenders.go.ke).

## Kenya National Highways Authority

Quality Highways, Better Connections

### TENDER NOTICE GREENPARK TERMINUS PEDESTRIAN UNDERPASS NETWORK

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 Government of the Republic of Kenya (GoK) through its implementing agency, Kenya National Highways Authority, has set aside funds under the Road Maintenance Levy Fund (RMLF) to engage a contractor and consulting firm to undertake the Works and Consultancy Services.

The Authority, therefore, invites eligible Contractors and Consulting Firms to submit sealed bids for the tenders indicated in the table below.

| S/NO. | TENDER No.      | TENDER DESCRIPTION   | TENDER CLOSING/OPENING DATE/TIME/VENUE   |
|-------|-----------------|--|--|
| 1.    | KeNHA/2690/2023 | Construction of the Greenpark Terminus Pedestrian Underpass Network (EPC/Turnkey Contract)               | Friday, 14th July 2023 at 11:00 AM Kenya National Highways Authority Headquarters, Barabara Plaza, Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA), Nairobi, Off Mazao Road, Block C - 2nd Floor Board Room   |
| 2.    | KeNHA/2691/2023 | Consultancy Services for Construction Supervision of the Greenpark Terminus Pedestrian Underpass Network | Thursday, 13th July 2023 at 11:00 AM Kenya National Highways Authority Headquarters, Barabara Plaza, Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA), Nairobi, Off Mazao Road, Block C - 2nd Floor Board Room |


The complete set of tender documents may be obtained by interested consultants and contractors free of charge by downloading from KeNHA website: [www.kenha.co.ke](http://www.kenha.co.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP): [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) or from KeNHA Headquarters Office, Barabara Plaza, 2nd Floor Block C Supply Chain Department during normal working hours upon payment of non-refundable fee of Kshs, 1,000.00 (One thousands shillings only) in form of a banker's cheque payable to Kenya National Highways Authority.

There shall be a **mandatory Pre-Tender Site Visit on Tuesday 20th June, 2023, at 11:00 AM at Haile Selassie Roundabout/ Greenpark Bus Terminus side** followed by a mandatory **Pre-Bid Conference** session at **Barabara Plaza Auditorium at 2:30 PM** as specified in the detailed tender notice uploaded onto the KeNHA website.

Bidders are encouraged to download the tender documents from above websites to minimise physical visits to the KeNHA offices.


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

**Deputy Director, Supply Chain Management  
For: DIRECTOR GENERAL**



## ATHI WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

(CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)



### REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

|                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| <b>COUNTRY:</b>          | Kenya   |
| <b>Project Name:</b>     | NAIROBI RIVERS REHABILITATION AND RESTORATION PROGRAM: SEWERAGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT PHASE II (NARSIP II)  |
| <b>Assignment Title:</b> | CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY REVIEW, PRELIMINARY DESIGN AND TENDER DOCUMENTATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF WASTEWATER ENERGY RECOVERY AND SLUDGE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES AT DANDORA ESTATE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT |
| <b>REOI No.</b>          | AWWDA/NARSIP II/CS/07/2023  |

The Government of Kenya (GoK) on behalf of Athi Water Works Development Agency (AWWDA) has received financing from the African Development Bank (AfDB) towards the cost of the Nairobi Rivers Rehabilitation and Restoration Program: Sewerage Improvement Project Phase II (NARSIP II) and intends to apply part of the amount to payment under the contract for consultancy services for feasibility study review, preliminary design and tender documentation for construction of wastewater energy recovery and sludge management facilities at Dandora Estate Wastewater Treatment Plant (DEWWTP).

The objective of this consultancy is to engage a consulting firm to undertake feasibility study review, preliminary design and tender documentation for construction of wastewater energy recovery and sludge management facilities at Dandora Estate Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The specific objective of the assignment includes but not limited to

- To review the proposed energy recovery interventions in the feasibility study report and update to the most appropriate intervention in regards to the current situation of the DEWWTP.
- To conduct a comprehensive assessment of the current status of the DEWWTP, including the status of the civil infrastructure, anaerobic ponds and other components, in order to identify areas that require improvement.
- To prepare conceptual designs, technical specifications, evaluation criteria, performance criteria, and any other relevant project-specific information.
- To provide detailed cost estimates for the project, including capital costs, operating costs, and revenue projections.
- To prepare tender documentation for the proposed energy recovery and sludge management facility, including construction of the energy recovery facility, and the effluent reuse options.
- To conduct an environmental and social impact assessment in accordance with national and international regulations and standards.
- To undertake Project Financial and Economic models for proposed project activities, including examination of different business models for implementation, operation and maintenance costs, and project risk assessment.
- To prepare and assist AWWDA submit at least three comprehensive proposals for securing financing for the project from climate action funds.

The consultancy services will be carried out over a period of **12 (Twelve) months** which will cover feasibility study review, situation analysis, preliminary design and tender documentation.

The Athi Water Works Development Agency now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services. The shortlisting criteria are:

- Experience in similar assignments
- Experience in similar conditions.
- Availability of appropriate skills amongst staff e.g., Water Engineers, Sanitary/sewerage experts, electro-mechanical engineers, Surveyors, CAD experts, Environmentalists, Sociologists.
- Demonstration of knowledge in working modalities of climate action funds.


Eligibility criteria, establishment of the short-list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with Guidelines for recruitment of consultants under the "Procurement Policy for Bank Group Funded Operations" dated October 2015, which is available on the Bank's website at <http://www.afdb.org>.

Consultants will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours **0800 to 1700 Hours** from Monday to Friday excluding lunch hour (**1300 to 1400Hrs**) and public holidays.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) to the address below by **29th June, 2023 at 12.00 noon** East African time and metion Expression of interest for Consultancy Services for feasibility study review, preliminary design and tender documentation for construction of wastewater energy recovery and sludge management facilities at Dandora Estate Wastewater Treatment Plant.

**The Chief Executive Officer**  
Athi Water Works Development Agency (AWWDA),  
Athi Water Plaza, Muthaiga North Road, Off Kiambu Road, Nairobi,  
P.O Box 45283-00100, Nairobi.  
**Tel: 254 020 2724292/3**  
**Fax: 254 020 2724295**  
**Email: info@awwda.go.ke**







**JOB ADVERTISEMENT**

| No. | POSITION TITLE          | REFERENCE NUMBER  |
|-----|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 1   | CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER | NACADA/06/2023/01 |

The National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse (NACADA) is a State Corporation established by an Act of Parliament in July 2012 to coordinate multi-sectoral efforts aimed at preventing, controlling and mitigating the impact of alcohol and drug abuse in Kenya. Towards achieving this mandate, NACADA wishes to competitively recruit a dynamic, result-oriented and self-driven **Kenyan** citizen for the position of Chief Executive Officer.

The Authority therefore invites qualified and interested candidates to submit their applications for the position of Chief Executive Officer.

The Chief Executive Officer shall be responsible to the Board for providing strategic leadership and direction to the Authority and the staff in the running of the day to day activities in order to achieve the Authority's mandate in accordance with the National Authority for the Campaign against Alcohol and Drug Abuse (NACADA), 2012. Appointment to this position is on a contract term of five (5) years and may be renewed for a final term subject to satisfactory performance.

Interested candidates are invited to visit NACADA website [www.nacada.go.ke/vacancies](http://www.nacada.go.ke/vacancies) for the detailed job profile.

Qualified candidates should apply in confidence indicating the Job Ref. No. on both the application and envelope enclosing current detailed Curriculum Vitae indicating email address, telephone contacts and three (3) professional referees; copies of academic and professional certificates, relevant testimonials and the National Identity Card to the address below:

**The Board Chairman,  
National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse,  
NSSF Building, Block A, Eastern Wing, 18<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
P.O. Box 10774-00100 GPO,  
NAIROBI.**

**MODE OF APPLICATION**

Applications may be submitted through **post, courier, hand-delivery** or emailed to: [careers@nacada.go.ke](mailto:careers@nacada.go.ke) so as to reach the above addressee on or before **4<sup>th</sup> July 2023**.

**ONLY SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES** shall be contacted and any form of canvassing shall lead to automatic disqualification.

Successful Candidates shall be required to comply with requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution of Kenya.

*NACADA is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity and gender equality  
Need someone to talk to on alcohol & drugs? Call our toll free helpline number 1192.*



**MINISTRY OF INVESTMENTS, TRADE AND INDUSTRY**

State Department for Industry

**TENDER ADVERTISEMENT**

**TENDER FOR DISPOSAL OF UNSERVICEABLE MOTOR VEHICLES**

The State Department for Industry invites all interested bidders to **purchase unserviceable motor vehicles**. The tender particulars are as follows.

Interested tenderers may inspect the vehicles to be sold during office hours [8.00am to 4.00 pm] at the address given below.

A complete set of tender documents may be obtained by interested bidders upon payment of non-refundable Fees of **Kshs.1000** in cash or banker's cheque payable to the **Principal Secretary, State Department for Industry, P.O. Box 30418-00100, Nairobi** or it can be downloaded from our website: <http://www.industrialization.go.ke> **free of any charges**.

Prices quoted should be net, must be in Kenya Shillings and shall remain valid for the period to be determined by the Procuring Entity from the closing date of the tender. Tenderers will be required to pay a refundable deposit as indicated in the Appendix to Instructions to Tenderers.

The complete tender documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked tender number and title of tender indicated on top of the envelope should be addressed and delivered to: -

**The Principal Secretary,  
State Department for Industry,  
P.O. Box 30547-00100,  
NAIROBI.**

or deposited into the tender box at the **16<sup>th</sup> Floor, NSSF Building** so as to reach on or before **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2023 at 10.00 a.m.**

Tender opening will take place at the **Conference Room situated at the 23<sup>rd</sup> Floor, NSSF Building** immediately after the above stated date and time in the presence of tenderers or representatives who choose to attend.

**Principal Secretary  
State Department for Industry**



**PUBLIC NOTICE**

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

**DRAFT NATIONAL RETIREMENT BENEFITS POLICY**

Retirement Benefits Authority was established under the Retirement Benefits Act, Cap 197 No. 3 of 1997 to regulate and supervise establishment and management of retirement benefits schemes; protect the interest of members and sponsors of retirement benefits schemes; approve trustees' remuneration approved by members during the annual general meeting after every three years; promote development of the retirement benefits sector; and, advise the Cabinet Secretary of The National Treasury and Economic Planning on the national policy to be followed with regard to the retirement benefits sector.

Pursuant to the Statutory Instruments Act No. 23 of 2013, the Authority hereby invites stakeholders, Trustees and members of retirement benefits schemes, service providers to the pension industry and members of the public to a public participation forum on the draft national retirement benefits Policy which is available on our website [www.rba.go.ke](http://www.rba.go.ke).

to be held on **June 20, 2023**, at:

- Crowne Plaza/Mercure Hotel - Upper hill, Nairobi (9:00am - 5:00pm)**
- Voyager Beach Resort, Mombasa (9:00am - 5:00pm)**
- The Vic Hotel, Kisumu (9:00am - 5:00pm)**

Kindly visit the above venues to provide your views or submit a written memorandum in hardcopy addressed to the Chief Executive Officer using the postal address provided here below or softcopy emailed to [research@rba.go.ke](mailto:research@rba.go.ke) on or before **20<sup>th</sup> June 2023**.

**RETIREMENT BENEFITS AUTHORITY**  
Rahimtulla Tower, 13<sup>th</sup> Floor, Upper Hill Road, P.O. Box 57733-00200 Nairobi  
Tel: 2809000 Mobile: 0726600001-5 or 0735339132 Fax: 2710330  
Email: [info@rba.go.ke](mailto:info@rba.go.ke) Website: [www.rba.go.ke](http://www.rba.go.ke)

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- Email: [info@rba.go.ke](mailto:info@rba.go.ke)
- Website: [www.rba.go.ke](http://www.rba.go.ke)

**Retirement Benefits Authority (RBA) is ISO 9001:2015 Certified**



**TENDER NOTICE**

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

KeNHA invites sealed bids from eligible Service Providers for the following tender.

| No. | Tender No.      | Tender Description   | Date/Time/Venue for Tender Closing/Opening   |
|-----|-----------------|--|--|
| 1   | KeNHA/2693/2023 | Supply, Delivery and Installation of Architecture Engineering and Construction Collection Suite and License Subscription for the Period of One Year. | <b>Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2023</b><br><br>KeNHA Headquarters, Barabara Plaza, Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA), Nairobi, Off Mazao Road, Block C - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Board Room. |

A complete set of tender document may be obtained by interested Bidders **free of charge** by downloading from KeNHA website: [www.kenha.co.ke](http://www.kenha.co.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal (PPIP): [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) or from **KeNHA Office JKIA BaraBara Plaza Block C, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Supply Chain Office** during normal working hours upon payment of non-refundable fee of **Ksh, 1,000.00** (One thousands shillings only) in form of a banker cheque payable to Kenya National Highways Authority.

Bidders are encouraged to download the Tender document from the above websites to minimize physical visits to the **KeNHA Office**.

All interested bidders are required to continually check the Kenya National Highways Authority website: [www.kenha.co.ke](http://www.kenha.co.ke) and Public Procurement Information Portal (PPIP) for any other tender addenda or clarifications that may arise before the submission date.

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# Gov't signs historic deal with Trace TV to empower local artists

BY CHRIS MAHANDARA

The Government has opened negotiations with the American Grammys to nurture and support local talent in the country. Once finalized, the move will see young talented Kenyans secure training and recording opportunities with the world's prestigious music awards organizers to polish and monetize their content.

Youth Affairs Sports and the Arts Cabinet Secretary (CS) Ababu Namwamba said, the government has a successful signing of a Memorandum of Understanding with Trace TV to promote local talent. The two agreements, he said, were a milestone in the government's plan to support local creatives to earn a decent living from their content. Through partnership with the county

governments, he said, an elaborate programme is being structured to identify and nurture talent to benefit from the programs. The initiative, which is under the government's Talanta Hela programme, is set to unlock opportunities for youths across the country. A competition dubbed 'Who's Kenya's next big star?' he said, has been planned and will be imple-

mented in the counties to scout for local talent. "The competition is being structured and will be announced officially in the coming weeks," he said. Each county, he added, will organize competitions at the grassroots with the best of the best meeting at the nationals to select winners to benefit from the Trace TV and Grammys scholarships.



Kisumu Governor Prof. Anyang' Nyongo (Left) with Youths, Sports and Arts Cabinet Secretary Ababu Namwamba during the inaugural Kisumu Arts and Culture Festival.



## National Environment Management Authority

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### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC TO SUBMIT COMMENTS ON AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDY REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED LPG IMPORT, STORAGE, AND HANDLING FACILITY LOCATED ON PLOT L.R NO. 12223 CHANGAMWE, MOMBASA COUNTY

Pursuant to Regulation 21 of the Environmental Management and Coordination (Impact Assessment and Audit) Regulations, 2003, the National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) has received an Environmental Impact Assessment Study Report for the above proposed project.

The Proponent, Kenya Pipeline Company Limited, proposes to install a new LPG handling and storage facility with a capacity of 30,000 MT. the facility will primarily receive LPG from pressurized LPG ships berthed at the newly constructed Kipevu Oil Terminal (KOT-2) Jetty, using a pipeline being constructed from Common User Manifold (CUM) located next to KPC. The proposed project will be located on plot L.R No. 12223 Changamwe, Mombasa County.

The following are the anticipated impacts and proposed mitigation measures:

| Negative Impact                                       | Mitigation Measure   |
|---|--|
| Landscape visual impact                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Design of infrastructure that conforms with the project site features (topography and aesthetics)</li> </ul>  |
| Soil and water contamination                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Design appropriate containments for oils/other construction chemicals and sanitary waste;</li> <li>Excavated soil is to be used for backfilling excavated areas while excess soil is disposed of off-site;</li> <li>Construct a paved containment for storage of oils and other liquid chemicals being used in the construction site;</li> <li>Engage a NEMA Registered Firm for the collection, transportation and appropriate disposal of used oil;</li> <li>Use of waste bins/proper waste management;</li> <li>Pave parking area for trucks and direct drainage to containment;</li> <li>Analysis of water at the site area 2 times a year</li> <li>Ensure solid waste is collected and appropriately disposed of;</li> <li>Ensure that used oil from trucks are not released to the ground.</li> </ul> |
| Removal of existing Vegetation                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Design of appropriate construction that provides for incorporation of existing vegetation cover at the alternative site;</li> <li>Construction of effective drainages and culverts;</li> <li>Plant soil binding grasses and other native plants</li> <li>Important species such as rare, endemic or endangered should be moved to safe grounds which are not likely to be affected by the project activities.</li> </ul>  |
| Potential lack of support from project area community | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Timely dissemination of project facts to community and stakeholders;</li> <li>Convening of meetings with Community and Stakeholders to carry out sensitization and disseminate project facts;</li> <li>Awareness creation amongst the Community on project facts;</li> <li>Community issues to be responded to promptly;</li> <li>Project progress reports and monitoring reports to be prepared and recommendations implemented;</li> <li>Conduct Information Education and Communication; (IEC) amongst the community and the project staff;</li> <li>Have regular police patrols at the beginning of project development.</li> </ul>   |
| Solid Waste   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collect together all generated waste from site clearing;</li> <li>Transport and dispose all waste away from site;</li> <li>Liaise with the County government on suitable dumping site for spoils.</li> <li>Provide communal solid waste collection containers (skip) for the collection and storage prior to appropriate disposal;</li> <li>County Government/NEMA to provide waste dumping site;</li> <li>Engage a NEMA Registered Waste Collection Firm;</li> <li>Excavation activities to be done during the dry season to avoid soil erosion and siltation of streams;</li> <li>Site soil to be used to backfill excavated sites.</li> </ul>  |
| Noise pollution (excess noise and vibration)          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use of noise reduction/ hearing protection devices when working with noisy equipment;</li> <li>Instruct machinery operators to avoid raving of engines;</li> <li>Carry out site preparation activities during the day.</li> <li>Use of serviceable equipment with low noise level;</li> <li>Instruction to truck/machinery operators to avoid raving engines.</li> </ul>  |

| Negative Impact                                | Mitigation Measure   |
|--|--|
| Sanitary and other Domestic Waste              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide site clearing workers with solid waste bins for their use;</li> <li>Ensure site has toilet facilities;</li> <li>Sensitize workers on site cleanliness and hygiene;</li> <li>Installation of appropriate sanitary facilities.</li> </ul>   |
| Air Pollution (dust, fuel and smoke emissions) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Control speed of vehicles and Prohibit idling;</li> <li>Spray water during construction and demolition;</li> <li>Provision of dust masks for use in dusty conditions;</li> <li>Use serviceable vehicles/machinery to reduce smoke;</li> <li>Regular maintenance of vehicles and equipment.</li> </ul>   |
| Risk of fire                                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide firefighting equipment at the construction site area;</li> <li>Sensitize staff on firefighting equipment use;</li> <li>No burning of materials is to be permitted at the site;</li> <li>Sensitization of Workers on Fire Safety Risks.</li> </ul>   |
| Occupational Health and Safety                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use of construction site barrier tapes to isolate the site(working) area to bar intruders from accessing the area in case of a dropping object;</li> <li>Use of appropriate head, hand and feet protection (PPE);</li> <li>Adopting ergonomic work flow designs that fit physical tasks to employees and not vice versa while maintaining a balance with productivity;</li> <li>Provide first aid facilities at the site.</li> <li>Testing of structures for integrity prior to undertaking work;</li> <li>Implementation of fall protection including induction on climbing techniques and use of fall protection measures;</li> <li>Provision of harnesses and scaffolds for working at heights;</li> <li>Inspection, maintenance, and replacement of fall protection equipment.</li> </ul> |
| Risks of spread of diseases                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sensitize workers and community on sexually transmitted diseases especially STIs and HIV/AIDS which is spread through socialization and unprotected sex;</li> <li>Sensitize workers on use of protection facilities like mosquito nets appropriate gear when working in waterlogged areas to avoid Bilharzia;</li> <li>Provide workers and community with condoms;</li> <li>Facilitate the development of a Health facility at the project area together with Ministry of Health and interested Donor Agencies;</li> <li>Encourage Workers, Truck Drivers and Community to go for HIV Testing and Counselling in order to live a productive life.</li> </ul>  |

The full report of the proposed project is available for inspection during working hours at:

- Principal Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, NHIF Building, 12th Floor, Ragati Road, Upper Hill, P.O.BOX: 30126-00100, NAIROBI**
- Director General, NEMA Popo Road, off Mombasa Road, P.O. BOX 67839-00200, NAIROBI**
- County Director of Environment MOMBASA COUNTY**

A copy of the EIA report can be downloaded at [www.nema.go.ke](http://www.nema.go.ke)

NEMA invites members of the public to submit oral or written comments within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice to the Director General, NEMA to assist the Authority in the decision making process for this project. Kindly quote ref. No. **NEMA/EIA/5/2/2023**.

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# THE NATIONAL TREASURY AND ECONOMIC PLANNING

## COUNTY CLIMATE FUNDS FLOW TO STRENGTHEN LOCALLY – LED APPROACHES.

### Introduction

Climate change has cost the Africa continent nearly \$70 billion over the last five decades. Due to the prolonged drought this year, Kenya has suffered a loss of over \$1.5 billion that has forced the government to divert resources for health and education to protect lives, livelihoods and wildlife from the devastation wreaking havoc in the country.

Kenya though only responsible for < 0.1 % ,has been at the forefront of fighting the negative impact of climate change having ratified the Paris accord in 2016.It has developed numerous strategies including the National Climate Change Action Plan, 2012 (NCCAP 2013-2017), (NCCAP 2018-2022), National Adaptation Plan 2015-2030 National Adaptation Plan and the Climate Change Response strategy. The Government of Kenya is implementing the development plans and strategies through the Financing Locally-Led Climate Action (FLLoCA) Program as a measure to address the climate change challenge across the Country and in essence within the 47 County Governments. The objective of the (FLLoCA) program is to deliver locally led climate resilience actions and strengthen the National and County Governments' capacity to manage climate risks. It is a five-year period program that commenced on 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2022 and is expected to run until 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2027.

### FLLoCA/County Climate Funds Interventions

The FLLoCA program is centered on capitalizing the National and County Climate Change Funds; building county level capacity for planning, budgeting, reporting and implementation of local climate actions in partnership with communities; and strengthening of national level capacity for coordination, monitoring and reporting. It has strategically pooled partners and undertaken to coordinate and support climate action at the local level. The program posts funds from bilateral sources including the Government of Sweden (Sida) and Government of Denmark (DANIDA) reporting an increase of Kshs 2.5 billion (\$21.4 million) enhancing the Kenya - World Bank partnership to operationalize social resilience principles of devolved climate finance and participatory climate risk management by means of financial investment and geographic coverage.

His Excellency, Dr. William S Ruto, the President of Kenya on 12th December 2022 assented to law the County Governments Additional Allocations Bill 2022 that unlocked Kshs 22.4 billion disbursement to County Governments including Sh1 billion earmarked for climate change resilience at the grassroots level. The legislation, provides the legal framework for the allocation of funds either as National Government revenue allocations or proceeds of loans or grants from development partners. Further, it provides that Treasury releases Kshs 7.537 billion conditional allocation from the National Government and Sh17.1 billion loans and grants from development partners be disbursed through the FLLoCA Program.

The World Bank has committed Sh18 Billion (\$150 million) to the ten-year Government Financing Locally-led Climate Action Program that was launched in June, 2020 to create a platform to manage concerted efforts by the development partners, county governments, private sector and local communities to generate climate interventions and mobilize much needed finance. The Commitment provide for an initial disbursement of Kshs 1.034B through the FLLoCA Program to the 47 counties where each will receive Kshs 22 Million during financial year ending June 30, 2022.

The Program is funded through a hybrid of the Investment Project Financing (IPF) and Program for Results (PforR) instruments. The program funds are provided through Disbursement Linked Indicators (DLIs) aligned with the expenditure areas as per the program components. The IPF instrument supports the financing, governance, national & local coordination and capacity building aspects of the national program. The PforR instrument supports the Counties through two distinct grants, defined as conditional intergovernmental fiscal transfers: The County Climate Institutional Support (CCIS) Grant and the County Climate Resilience Investment (CCRI) Grant. To actualize grant release during a financial year, the County Government should meet binary conditions of the Minimum Conditions. These are commonly referred to as the 'Minimum Access Conditions' (MACs) for the CCIS Grant, and 'Minimum Performance Conditions' (MPCs) for the CCRI Grant.

During the 1st year of Program implementation, Counties were required under the CCIS to have: (i) signed a FLLoCA Participation Agreement ;(ii) opened a special purpose account to receive funds from both the CCIS and the CCRI Grants; (iii) the County Governor appoint a CECM in Charge of Climate Change and; (iv) the County Governor approve the work plan and budget for use of the CCIS Grant for the subsequent FY.

The Inter-Agency Climate Finance Technical Advisory Committee (ITAC), a technical arm of the FLLoCA program, verified and recommended to the Program Steering Committee (PSC), Thirty-Eight (38) out of Forty-Seven (47) County Governments that met all Four Minimum Access Conditions (MACs) as stipulated in Schedule 4 of the Financing Agreement. The (PSC) endorsed the same and the World Bank accepted the evidence furnished in fulfilment of the withdrawal condition set out in Schedule 2, Section IV, B.1 of the Financing Agreement. Consequently, the Bank confirmed partial achievement of the Disbursement Linked Results (DLRs) amounting to USD 3.8 Million for the County Climate Institutional Support (CCIS) Grant available for withdrawal at an amount of USD 100,000 per County. Accordingly, on 31st March, 2023, the FLLoCA Program released Kshs. 418 Million to the thirty-eight (38) County Governments that met the Minimum Access Conditions (MACs) on County Climate Institutional Support (CCIS) Grant at the level of KSh. 11M per county as per the initial exchange rate. Principally, the access conditions for receiving the subsequent allocations that is expected before the closure of the current financial year have already been prescribed and the County Governments are required to comply. In the next assessment, Counties are expected to submit timely reports to National Treasury - Program Implementation Unit (NTPIU) on activities and use of funds for the period of 12 months ending 31st March demonstrating proper use of the CCIS Grant, i.e., within the eligible set of activities and for the intended purposes as per the work plan. Additionally, to actualize the counties shall (i) share a copy of the quarterly County Budget implementation monitoring report and (ii) inform Internal Audit Department of National Treasury of any complaints or grievances related to use of the Grant clearly enumerating the department these complaints were referred to for action.

The National Treasury through the FLLoCA program has disbursed climate funds through established County Climate Change Funds (CCCFs) comprising representatives of sectoral departments linked to climate change priority areas (agriculture, water, environment).The approach enables access and use of climate finance from different sources to build communities resilience and reduce vulnerabilities to a changing climate in a more coordinated way (local climate actions and innovations).

Primarily, the program inclusion of indigenous knowledge and climate information generated by local communities in planning and decision making prioritized in the CCCF units and scale-out strategy has greatly enhanced incorporation of communities/locally-led climate resilience actions to mitigate climate change impacts, legitimizing adaptation.

On the same approach, the program further engages youth in the communities, key in developing indigenous environmentally friendly technologies for low carbon climate resilient investments as well as skills transfer through climate technology related courses in Technical and Vocational Training (TVET) and youth polytechnics in all parts of the country.

The FLLoCA Program is cognizant of the need to identify and support sustainable climate change actions and hence the deliberate initiatives to focus on resource mobilization to fund local climate mitigation measures , adaptation actions and through green bonds investments where several counties have bid for the Green Climate Finance. It has further prompted and supported counties commitment to state funding through exchequer ranging between 1 to 3 percent of their annual development expenditure.

Based on the foregoing it is evident that the FLLoCA Program depicts the Bottom - Up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA) in the Agricultural Transformation Sector. The Program's BETA implementation summed Strategic interventions in Blue Economy, Environment, Climate Change, Women and Youth empowerment and Social Protection.The program in

realization of a bottom up- approach, has engaged Kenyans at the grassroots who advance local socio- economics concepts in essence reciprocating the financing locally led program principle. It reports established and enhanced participatory climate risk assessment identification and prioritization interventions that addresses the climate needs of the communities depending on their respective context.

### Conference of Parties: Kenya

During the Conference of Parties (Cop27) climate talks in Egypt, held for the first time on the continent since 2016, Kenya's renewed commitments to forgo fossil fueled industrialization and the overall reduction of its carbon emission informed the notable climate change policy on energy generation indicating a 93% shift of the country's electricity to green energy.

The statement at the opening of the Cop 27 Conference in Egypt, by the Coordinator of the Committee of African Heads of State and Government on Climate Change; H.E William Samoei Ruto: The President of Kenya , was clear that the developing countries shared a singular message to the rich nations to cease stalling and take deliberate actions to address climate change. He called out the developed Nations for failure to meet commitments made 13 years ago in Copenhagen to set aside Kshs 100 billion annually, adding that as the world leaders stalled, procrastinated and used delaying tactics, global emissions had adversely risen by 48 percent to 40 gigatons annually causing devastating damage on lives and livelihoods.

The 'African Cop' as the 27th conference of parties was referred, has delivered on long drawn negotiations spanning three decades, to get rich industrialized nations to pay for the climate cost of droughts, floods and heatwaves for countries that have contributed the least greenhouse gases, yet are more vulnerable to the adverse impact of climate change .Kenya and Africa in general, cumulatively produce a minor 4% of the greenhouse gases emissions linked to rapid global climate change, though the continent is most vulnerable to a changing climate due to its high poor population level and heavy dependence on rain-fed agriculture. "The State of Climate in Africa report lays it bare. High water stress is estimated to affect about 250 million people in Africa and is expected to displace up to 700 million people by 2030. In the past 50 years, drought-related hazards have claimed the lives of over half a million people and led to economic losses of over 70 billion USD in the region," President Ruto.

Kenya's climate-sensitive economy is especially prone to droughts and floods, with an economic liability of up to 2.8 percent of GDP annually.The 0.5-2°C temperature increase in Africa over the past 100 years due to climate change has led to temperature increases particularly from March to May. Whereas in most areas the total rainfall has fallen below the 700 mm annually expected, in other areas floods are more common and recurrent from an average of less than three events per year in the 1980s to over 10 events per year from 2000 to 2006. Droughts have also become longer and more intense i.e. this year Kenya has lost nearly 2.5 million heads of cattle due to the worst drought in 40 years leading to economic losses of more than \$1.5 billion, loss of livelihoods and high cost of living.

For years the developed world leaders have resisted calls to compensate poor countries for loss and damages caused by such drastic weather changes that compromise States' capacities in the promotion and protection of innate basic human rights. These rights range from the extreme; loss of lives to the moderate; loss of ability to practice traditional lifestyles and cultural practices such as pastoralism. Concomitantly, President Ruto's unwavering stance emboldened the developing nations position who can now proudly walk away from Cop27 with the win from commitments by developed nations to pay for loss and damages suffered by the poor, vulnerable countries.It is appreciable that accession by the rich countries to compensate countries like Kenya among others for economic and non-economic losses under the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate change now shifts the conversation to the quantum and extent of the reparations during the next CoP in November 2023.

In light of the foregoing it is evident that the Conference majorly focused on mitigation measures, hence the minimal advancement on the agenda to operationalize global goal on adaptation with the Cop27. With the foresight that global warming may rise between +1.5°C and +2°C ,double the warming experienced currently, adaptation is illuminated as an emerging critical aspect with capacity to gradually reduce cyclic mitigating action hence demands immediate focus and conscious deliberations. The world requires nearly Sh36.2 trillion (\$300 billion) to bankroll adaptation by 2030 according to the 2018 Adaptation Gap Report, yet we have not seen enough being set aside today to meet the gap between adaptation needs and financing.

Through the FLLoCA program, Kenya has initiated efforts towards climate adaptation by instituting the world's first locally led Programme intent in fostering climate resilience by conducting extensive research, building small scale irrigation systems and use of clean technology along the value chain. The hybrid Program for Results and Investment Project Financing operation development is led by the National Treasury & Planning, crowding-in third party financing of local climate action via the G-FLLoCA Program.

Additionally, as the Country strategically positions itself on the carbon trading market, H.E. The President of Kenya William S Ruto, is currently leading Kenyans on an aspirational drive to grow 15 billion trees on 10.6 million hectares to increase national tree cover from the current 12.13 % to 30 % by 2032.It is trite to note that Kenya's next significant export will be carbon credits and the Country hopes to tap into this new market by setting up an emissions trading system that will allow companies and other bodies to buy emissions allowances. On that account, the Nairobi International Financial Centre has already signed an MoU with Singapore-based global carbon exchange: Air Carbon Exchange (ACX), to set up the carbon exchange in Kenya. This will support the growth of climate finance in Kenya by establishing a locally accessible marketplace for carbon offsets. The Carbon Exchange will be an important element in Kenya's sustainable finance ecosystem, and will be instrumental in channelling global capital flows into Kenya's high-impact environmental projects such as Reforestation, Land Restoration and new technologies.



**Cabinet Secretary, The National Treasury & Economic Planning- Prof. Njuguna Ndung'u, CBS**



**Principal Secretary, The National Treasury- Dr. Chris Kiptoo, CBS**

# KMFI urges coastal counties to curb ocean pollution to safeguard marine life

BY FATMA SAID (KNA)

The Kenya Marine Fisheries and Research Institute (KMFI) researchers have asked county governments that border the coastline to heighten war against ocean pollution to protect marine ecosystems.

Speaking in Mombasa during the World Ocean Day commemoration at the Jomo Kenyatta Public Beach, KMFI Director of Oceans and Coastal Systems and Blue Economy, James Mwaluma said dumping of plastics into the sea is still a deadly threat to marine life.

“Plastic pollution is the biggest concern, estimated 37,000 tons of the same is dumped into the ocean every year due to human actions, and when it rains, many are also swept away during runoffs ending up in



**Kenya Marine and Fisheries Research Institute (KMFI) Director of Oceans, Coastal Systems and Economy Dr James Mwaluma briefs the media during the commemoration of the World Oceans Day at the Jomo Kenyatta Beach, Mombasa.**

the ocean thereby killing sea turtles,” said Mwaluma.

On June 5, 2019, Kenya banned single-use plastics on beaches, national parks, forests and conservation areas.

The ban prohibits the carrying of single-use plastic

water bottles, disposable cups, plates, cutlery and straws into national parks, forests, beaches and conservation areas.

The government agency official raised concern with continued sewerage waste discharge into the sea as

forced by respective agencies.

“We want them to do monitoring and enforcement, to ensure there is no direct sewage into the sea as well as regulate unplanned construction that encroach the Ocean, we also want the counties to heighten enforcement of plastics use especially into the oceans,” Mwaluma said.

KMFI has embarked on recycling of plastics projects through ‘TAKA Connect’ Application that monitors the amount of plastics dumped at the sea.

Mwaluma said the amount of fish in the sea is affected by climate change.

“Plastics that end up in the sea affect small animals like pantones, which are affected by micro plastics, ending up in the food chain,” he added.

**“We want them to monitor and enforce to ensure no direct sewage into the sea,” -Mwaluma**



## EXPORT PROCESSING ZONES AUTHORITY INVITATION TO TENDER

Export Processing Zones Authority (EPZA) is a statutory body established in 1990 through an Act of Parliament (The EPZA Act Cap 517, Laws of Kenya) with the main objective of promoting and facilitating export oriented investments and to develop an enabling environment for such investments. It is responsible for facilitating the implementation of new investment projects, providing after care services for new and existing investments.

The Export Processing Zones Authority wishes to invite eligible National candidates to tender for **tender Nos. EPZA 16/2022-2023, EPZA 17/2022-2023, EPZA 18/2022-2023 and EPZA 19/2022-2023** as detailed in the tender documents.

Interested, eligible and competent firms may view and download the tender documents for free from the website, **www.epzakenya.com** and Government Public Procurement Information portal **www.tenders.go.ke**. Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to **info@epzakenya.com** to facilitate any further clarification or addendum. The hard copies of tender documents detailing the requirements may be obtained from **Export Processing Zones Authority Procurement Offices on 01<sup>st</sup> Floor, Administration Building, Athi River EPZ, Viwanda off Nairobi-Namanga Highway** during normal working hours (8.00 a.m-5.00 p.m) upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Kshs. 1,000.00** in cash or bankers cheque payable to cashier on second floor.

| No. | Lot   | Description   | Bid Bond (Kshs) | Site Visit Date and Time                         | Closing Date and Time                    | Applicants         |
|-----|-------|---|-----------------|--|--|--------------------|
| 1   | Lot 1 | <b>Tender No. EPZA 16/2022-2023</b><br>Proposed Industrial Sheds for Investors at Athi River EPZ, Machakos County on Plot LR18474/164 | 5,000,000.00    | Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | 28 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | Open to the Public |
| 2   | Lot 2 | <b>Tender No. EPZA 17/2022-2023</b><br>Proposed Industrial Sheds for Investors at Athi River EPZ, Machakos County on Plot LR18474/165 | 5,000,000.00    | Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | 28 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | Open to the Public |
| 3   | Lot 3 | <b>Tender No. EPZA 18/2022-2023</b><br>Proposed Industrial Sheds for Investors at Athi River EPZ, Machakos County on Plot LR18474/166 | 5,000,000.00    | Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | 28 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | Open to the Public |
| 4   | Lot 4 | <b>Tender No. EPZA 19/2022-2023</b><br>Proposed Industrial Sheds for Investors at Athi River EPZ, Machakos County on Plot LR18474/172 | 5,000,000.00    | Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | 28 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at 11.00 a.m | Open to the Public |

Completed Tender documents (Original and Two (2) No. Copies, Properly Bound) in plain sealed envelope clearly marked “Export Processing Zones Authority Tender Number as per instructions in the TENDER documents and addressed to:-

**Ag. Chief Executive Officer  
Export Processing Zones Authority  
P.O. Box 50563 – 00200  
NAIROBI**

Should be deposited in the Tender Box on **Ground Floor, Export Processing Zones Authority Administration Building, Athi River EPZ on or before 11.00 a.m** local time on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2023**. Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the Conference Room on **Ground floor, Export Processing Zones Authority, Administration Building, Viwanda Road, Off Nairobi - Namanga Highway Athi River EPZ** in the presence of Bidders representatives who choose to attend.

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On **Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2023, at The Kenya Power Transport Depot Ruaraka Yard - near KCA University off Thika Road starting at 10.00 a.m.**

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## CONDITIONS OF SALE

1. All interested bidders are requested to **VIEW AND VERIFY** the details/condition of items for themselves as the same are not warranted by **Kenya Power or the Auctioneer** as the **Motor Vehicles, Motor Cycles, Plant and Assorted Items** are sold on **“as is where is”** basis. A detailed catalogue shall be obtained from **Toplink Auctioneers at F & F House, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Tom Mboya Street, Opposite Odeon Cinema, Nairobi** from the date of advertisement at **Kshs.500/-** which is Non-refundable..
2. Interested bidders are required to make make a **refundable deposit of Kshs.100,000.00** for up to **three (3) Motor Vehicles, Plant** and any **Assorted Item(s) or Kshs.10,000.00** for up to **three (3) Motor Cycles respectively**, payable to The Kenya Power & Lighting Company PLC, before the auction to enable one to bid. **No Bidding without a Bidding Number**. The said deposits shall be limited to the purchase of the first three Motor Vehicles/Plant and Motor Cycles respectively.
3. Any bidder wishing to bid for more **Vehicles, Plant, or Motor Cycles** shall be required to pay the **required deposits of KShs.100,000.00 and KShs.10,000.00** also limited to the three (3) **Motor Vehicles, Cycles and Plant** respectively.
4. The winning and declared successful bidder shall **deposit 25%** of the purchase value at the fall of hammer, at The Kenya Power banking halls, and clear balance within **seven (7) days** from the date of auction. Failure to complete payments, the deposit shall be forfeited and subject item(s) shall be **re-sold**.
5. All payments to KPLC shall be in **form of Bankers Cheques and/or cash**, made at **KPLC Banking Halls**. Bidders shall be issued with fiscal receipts.
6. Sale shall be subject to reserved market price.
7. The winning bidders shall be required to **collect the sold items within thirty (30) days from the date of auction, failure to which shall attract storage charges of KShs.300.00 per day**.
8. Transfer of ownership of items sold shall be processed within a period of **one (1) month from the date of auction**.
9. For any queries or clarification, you may contact respective **Kenya Power Regional Transport Offices or Miss. Racheal Mutahi Mobile No. 0722-759888, Irene Wangui Mobile No. 0700-381470**.

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# THE NATIONAL TREASURY AND ECONOMIC PLANNING

## FINANCING LOCALLY -LED CLIMATE ACTION PROGRAM PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION UNIT

### JOB OPPORTUNITIES

**CREDIT NO: IDA 6980**

**TF B6810 – KE (P173065)**

The Government of Kenya (GoK) through the National Treasury and Economic Planning has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of the Financing Locally Led Climate Action (FLoLoCA) Program. The Program Development Objective is to deliver locally-led climate resilience actions and strengthen county and national governments' capacity to manage climate risks. The FLoLoCA Program is being implemented by the National Treasury through the Program Implementation Unit (NTPIU). The FLoLoCA Program focuses on capitalizing the National and County Climate Change Funds; building county level capacity for planning, budgeting, reporting and implementation of local climate actions in partnership with communities; and strengthening of national level capacity for coordination, monitoring and reporting. The program is being implemented by the National Government in collaboration with County Governments. The NTPIU is looking for highly motivated individuals to fill the positions of Capacity Building Expert for the Social Risk Management Unit, Environmental Risk Management Specialist and Assistant Program Accountant for the NTPIU to be engaged on contract for a period of 1-Year (One) for the Capacity Building Expert and 2 (Two) years for the Environmental Risk Management Specialist and Assistant Program Accountant subject to work requirements and satisfactory performance over the life of the Program. The contracts are anticipated to commence on 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2023.

#### 1. CAPACITY BUILDING EXPERT FOR THE SOCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT UNIT Ref: FLoLoCA/PIU/CBE-SR-MU/2022-23 -1 Post

##### 1.1 OBJECTIVES OF THE ASSIGNMENT

This consultancy aims to provide Technical Assistance Support to the SRM Unit of the State Department for Social Protection and Senior Citizen Affairs to enable the delivery of its mandate.

##### 1.2 TASKS TO BE PERFORMED

Specifically, the consultant will:

- i. Support the Social Safeguards Coordinator in performing his/her coordination roles in the SRM Unit;
- ii. Lead the SRM Unit capacity building strategy and ensure its implementation as envisioned in the Ministry, through the State Department for Social Protection and Senior Citizen Affairs, incorporating and operationalizing key elements of the strategy (e.g. participatory and bottom-up, needs based and demand-driven, learning and sharing approach, and focus on outcomes and effectiveness);
- iii. Build capacity of core team (consisting of the SRM Unit and the county Social safeguards departments);
- iv. To support the SRM Unit and counties in developing SRM annual Capacity Building (CB) Plans, focusing on the following functions:
  - o Undertake annual Capacity Needs Assessment based on core mandates of SRM unit vis a vis FLoLoCA Program and also based on counties social development departments requirements;
  - o Synthesize and consolidate the CB needs from Annual Performance Appraisal (APA) outputs, audit reports, and peer to peer forums to ensure that these are addressed as part of the CB support to counties;
  - o Identifying key capacity gaps on the basis of self- and external assessment and designing capacity building measures to address these gaps;
  - o Identifying support required from the SRM Unit and counties in order to address capacity gaps;
  - o Oversee the training of staff in the SRM Unit;
  - o Deliver training to all the SRM officers at the County Level;
  - o Deliver training to all the County Social Risks and Impacts Management teams.
- v. Support counties to develop and implement and report on SRM CB activities, including:
  - o Implementing activities as planned in the annual CB plan;
  - o Arranging for support from national government agency, as planned and demanded by counties;
  - o Producing quarterly implementation reports to monitor progress against planned activities, and effectiveness of various CB providers and interventions;
  - o Producing an annual CB report for submission to the Program Steering Committee.
- vi. Support the SRM Unit to review county CB plans;
- vii. To assess adequacy and reports and to assist in coordination of CB activities;
- viii. To advise on counties compliance with the ESRM Manual;
- ix. Support the monitoring of the CB plan Implementation;
- x. Support the SRM Unit capacity building plans, including:
  - o Reviewing status of current county performance and supply-side inputs to capacity building;
  - o Setting up a system for aggregating county requests for SRM capacity building and identifying how to provide this support (including service standards);
  - o Validating capacity building plans with county governments;
  - o Coordinating capacity building activities with development partners, primarily through the SRM Multi Sectoral Committee;
  - o Agreeing annual milestones / indicators for each activity.
- xi. Facilitate county review of capacity building plans, budgets, and annual outputs, as per the ESRM Manual;
- xii. Ensure that CB Plans lay out clearly the outcomes of CB activities, identify, over a period of time, core TOTs group of capacity builders or trainers at the local/county and national level, and cross learning among counties;
- xiii. Support development of the training curriculum and content for the SRM Unit;
- xiv. Prepare Terms of Reference for the preparation of the training materials for the SRM Unit.

##### 1.3 PROFILE OF THE CAPACITY BUILDING EXPERT FOR THE SOCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT UNIT

###### Qualifications, Skills and Experience

The successful candidate should have strong operational and analytical skills, have practical experience handling

complex/sensitive social development issues through participatory stakeholder engagement processes, and be able to integrate social development considerations in an operational context. The selection shall be based on the candidate's qualification, experience, and skills.

#### A. At a minimum, the applicant should have:

- i. Masters' Degree in Social Sciences, Sociology, Community Development, Anthropology or related field;
- ii. A Postgraduate degree in Project Management will be an advantage;
- iii. Training on social safeguards or its equivalent.

#### B. Experience

- i. At least 10 years' proven experience in leading, designing and implementing of capacity building strategies with specific focus on capacity development/institutional development at local level. This experience should include but not be limited to the following areas:
  - a. Assessing capacity needs using a formal methodology on Institutional Training and mentoring;
  - b. Developing capacity building plans based on needs assessment;
  - c. Monitoring the implementation of capacity building activities or Designing and / or implementing programs to build capacity of civil servants in areas relevant to the Program (Environmental and Social Safeguards and / or project implementation);
  - d. Demonstrated experience in institutional strengthening of sub-national entities and support for decentralization processes and programmes;
  - e. Previous experience in capacity building of sub national/ national governments for GOK/Donor funded programmes;
  - f. Demonstrated Knowledge and experience in designing and conducting training especially on social safeguards;
  - g. Have experience in implementing Social Safeguards in development projects funded by the Government of Kenya and multilateral institutions;
- ii. Good understanding of the international standards for social safeguards policies, processes and procedures;
- iii. Have a good understanding of environmental and social safeguards for Kenya under EMCA and by development agencies;
- iv. Experience in national and international Social Safeguard processes and compliance;
- v. Have experience in development and applications of outcomes of social impact assessments;
- vi. Knowledge and skills on Social Risk Management, Gender Based Violence and Sexual Exploitation and Abuse operational policies will be an advantage;
- vii. Excellent communication skills;
- viii. Experience in guiding negotiation and conflict management;
- ix. Ability to write and deliver timely and concise reports;
- x. At least 5 years working experience with local communities in Kenya on social safeguards in development projects; and
- xi. Working experience or knowledge of government operating procedures;

#### 1.4 REPORTING MECHANISM

The Capacity Building Expert will work directly with the State Department for Social Protection and Senior Citizen Affairs -SRM Unit under the Head of the Unit and will receive payment based on the work-plans as agreed upon with NTPIU which is the main Implementation Agency.

The Capacity Building Expert will be based in Nairobi in the State Department for Social Protection and Senior Citizens Affairs -SRM Unit offices. The successful applicant must be willing to frequent travels to different parts of the country.

#### 2. ENVIRONMENTAL RISK MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST Ref: FLoLoCA/PIU/ERMS/2022-23 -1 Post

##### 2.1 OBJECTIVES OF THE ASSIGNMENT

The assignment is designed to support and provide expertise to the NTPIU, the MDAs, Counties and Program Champions within Program Implementing Agencies to ensure that Program is properly prepared and implemented in accordance with applicable national law on environmental risks and social aspects and World Bank Principles on the Program for Results (PforR).

##### 2.2 TASKS TO BE PERFORMED

###### Task 1: Capacity Building/Training

- Prepare the capacity building plan fit for purpose with respective Counties and IAs that includes:
  - o Overview of the national environmental and social assessment process;
  - o Screening of sub-projects;
  - o Preparation of ESIA/ESMPs reports; and
  - o Follow up and monitoring of ESMPs implementation.
- Prepare training materials and conducting technical training workshops to NTPIU staff, County focal points for environment, relevant implementation agencies and other stakeholders on environmental safeguards requirements.

###### Task 2: Coordination

- Undertake necessary coordination with the national regulators/agencies that include the National Environmental Management Authority (NEMA), the Directorate of Occupational Safety and Health Services (DOSHS) among others to ensure that Counties receive the requisite technical support and sub-projects planning and implementation is in compliance with applicable national laws and regulations pertaining to the protection



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- of environment and health and safety;
- Identify the legal and regulatory aspects on EHS and advise Counties and NTPIU accordingly;
- Provide environmental safeguards expertise for NTPIU and the Counties Climate Change Units (CCCU);

#### Task 3: Supervision and Monitoring Implementation Missions

- Participate on the regular and ad hoc supervision mission to Counties during the Implementation Support Missions, assess the level of compliance to applicable national laws and regulations and approved ESIA/ESMPs;
- Review the Counties Environmental and Social Risk Management System (ESRM) and procedures and determine the adequacy and levels of implementation, monitoring and compliance;
- Assess if the grievance redress mechanisms established for the sub-projects are functioning appropriately and the individual sub-projects are implemented in an environmentally sustainable manner;
- Assess the major environmental, health and safety non-compliances, incidents and proposes corrective actions with strict timelines;
- Work with the relevant County government environmental focal points to investigate environmental, health and safety incidents and accidents and report to the NTPIU and World Bank and ensure the remedial action plan is fully implemented.

#### Task 4: Reporting

- Prepare of Quarterly and Annual Environment and Social Monitoring and Evaluation reports that highlight challenges concerning compliance with the applicable national laws, regulations and World Banks social and environmental standards and recommending the course of action to ensure compliance;
- Review monthly and quarterly environmental safeguards reports submitted by the Counties CCCUs
- Prepare and disseminate internal environmental and social guidelines for the preparation, implementation, monitoring and reporting of environmental and social risk management measures;
- Overseeing annual environmental and social compliance audits;
- Any other duties assigned by the Program Coordinator or his/her designate.

#### 2.3 CONDUCT OF WORK

During the term of the assignment, the Specialist is expected to perform the above mentioned tasks on a full time basis, within the guidelines set herein. This position shall be locally based to give support to the NTPIU, Climate Finance & Green Economy Unit and MDAs. The performance of the Specialist will be measured based on Annual Key Performance Indicators set and reviewed quarterly by the Program Coordinator.

#### 2.4 PROFILE OF ENVIRONMENTAL RISK MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST

##### (a) Qualifications

- Master's degree in environmental sciences, engineering or other relevant disciplines;
- Experience in designing and implementing environmental risk management system and well conversant with Government of Kenya (GoK) environment related policies, laws, regulations and guidelines;
- Experience with World Bank safeguard policies;
- Experience with preparation and implementation of ESIA's according to the National Environmental Framework;
- Relevant professional training in Environmental Impact and Auditing will be an added advantage;
- Must be a NEMA registered Environmental Impact Assessment/Environmental Audit Expert.
- Good working knowledge of MS Office Suite.

##### (b) Experience

- A minimum of 8 years' demonstrated working in environmental and social impact assessments of public sector and Community Driven Development Projects/ Programs.
- Strong analytical skills, ability to think strategically, analyse and synthesize diverse environmentally related data and information;
- Knowledge and/or familiarity with the country's geography and specifically the environmental issues;
- Knowledge and practical experience of assessing environmental issues related to construction and operation of infrastructure projects;
- Ability to work in a team, develop synergies and establish effective working relations with various stakeholders;
- Good interpersonal and communications skills
- Conversant with the National Environment Policies, EMCA Act, EIA institutional procedures, review and approvals in the country.

#### 2.5 REPORTING MECHANISM

The Environmental Risk Management Specialist will report to the Program Coordinator or his/her designate.

#### 3 ASSISTANT PROGRAM ACCOUNTANT

##### OBJECTIVES OF THE ASSIGNMENT

The main objective of the assignment is to provide management, financial and accounting support for the program in line with policies and procedures laid down for the NT, Program Implementation Unit (NTPIU) including Program Operations Manual (POM).

##### 3.1 TASKS TO BE PERFORMED

Supporting the Program Accountant, the Assistant Program Accountant is expected to perform the following tasks:

- Manage County Financial Management returns including Quarterly Expenditure returns and Reports;

- Manage MDAs returns including Annual Work Plans and Quarterly expenditure returns;
- Assist in maintaining all accounting records in line with approved accounting standards and in line with the World Bank's and GOK's regulations;
- Assist in preparation of periodic reports (i.e. monthly/quarterly/annually) in the formats approved by the World Bank;
- Assist in drawing up Annual work plan and budget;
- Assist in prompt release of funds, once approved, to beneficiaries that include MDAs, Counties, CSOs and IPs;
- Support in maintaining relevant books and records for the program;
- Assist in ensuring that the accounting records are updated promptly;
- Support in the accounting assignments including IFMIS rights;
- Issue miscellaneous receipts, prepare payment vouchers and maintain cash records in accordance with laid down procedures;
- Maintain Imprest Register and monitor imprest surrenders;
- Manage the petty cash float and maintain the petty cash book;
- Ensure petty cash disbursements are appropriately and adequately documented;
- Ensure invoices submitted for payment at the NTPIU are promptly attended to and processed;
- Assist with the custody and management of the Program Accounting Unit Manuals and Procedures;
- Perform any other duties assigned by the Program Accountant and/or the Program Manager- Finance & Strategy.

#### 3.2 Qualifications, Skills and Experience

##### Minimum qualification:

- Minimum of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) Mean Grade C(plain) or Equivalent qualification;
- Good command of written & spoken English;
- Polite, cheerful and hardworking;
- Good interpersonal skills;
- Ability to work as a team member;
- Ability to work under direction and with limited supervision;
- Ability to demonstrate initiative.

#### 3. PROFILE OF THE ASSISTANT PROGRAM ACCOUNTANT

##### Qualification, Skills and Experience:

- A minimum of undergraduate degree in accounting, business administration or finance;
- A minimum of Certified Public Accountant or Chartered Accountant Part 11 (CPA 2) qualification;
- A minimum of 3(three) years' accounting / finance experience in the public service, donor – funded projects or a busy organization;
- Excellent analytical, report writing skills and must be computer literate;
- Capacity to work under pressure and meet tight schedules under minimum supervision;
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills and able to work in a team.

#### 4. REPORTING MECHANISM

The Assistant Program Accountant will enter into a contract with the National Treasury and Economic Planning and will report to the NTPIU Program Accountant and Program Manager - Finance and Strategy by extension the Program Coordinator.

Complete Application documents (**Curriculum Vitae, copies of certificates and relevant supporting documentation giving details of your qualifications, experience, day and evening telephone contacts, email address and names of three referees**) with the Position reference and name clearly marked on top should be delivered in person or sent by email to the address shown below:

##### Postal Address:

**Program Implementation Unit  
Attention: Program Coordinator  
P.O. Box 30007-00100  
Nairobi, Kenya.**

##### Physical Address:

**Program Implementation Unit  
Attention: Program Coordinator  
7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Re-Insurance Plaza.  
Building No. 4 Aga Khan Walk/Taifa Road  
Nairobi, Kenya.**

**Telephone No.: +254 20 2252299 E-mail: programcoordinator.piu@gmail.com  
Or flfcoa.piu@gmail.com**

Deadline for submission of applications is **6th July, 2023 at 1630hrs East African Time.**

**Please note that the National Treasury and Economic Planning is an Equal Opportunity -Affirmative Action Employer.**

**PROGRAM COORDINATOR  
FOR: PRINCIPAL SECRETARY/NATIONAL TREASURY**





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Kenya Utalii College wishes to notify ALL graduands and members of the public that the **47<sup>th</sup> Graduation Ceremony** will be held on **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2023 at 10:00 am** at the **College Library grounds, along Thika Super Highway.**

The proceedings of this event will also be streamed live on Kenya Utalii College Social Media platforms (**YouTube and Facebook**). The links for the event will be provided at least two days to the event.

Please note that only those students who have fully paid the College fees, Graduation fees, and cleared with the examinations office will be eligible for graduation.

For any enquiries on examinations, contact the Examinations office through: [examinations@utalii.ac.ke](mailto:examinations@utalii.ac.ke).

For more information log on to our College website; [www.utalii.ac.ke](http://www.utalii.ac.ke)



## OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### PUBLIC AUCTION

The Office of the Attorney General and Department of Justice intends to sell through Public Auction Unserviceable Motor Vehicles on 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 starting at 10.00am at the Timber Yard Prisons.

The prospective bidders are required to pay a refundable deposit of KES. 50,000/= payable in the form of cash at the cash office on 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Office of the Attorney General and Department of Justice at Sheria House in Nairobi during normal working hours.

Interested bidders may obtain further information by visiting [www.statelaw.go.ke](http://www.statelaw.go.ke) to download a catalogue containing details of the venue, items to be auctioned, conditions of sale and date of viewing.

The Appointed Auctioneer is Astorion Auctioneers of **P.O. Box 33340-00600 Nairobi, Telephone 0720797118, 0721963927.**

Further clarification on the public auction may be sought from the contacts provided below.

**Contact:**  
Astorion Auctioneers  
P.O. Box 33340-00600, Nairobi  
Mobile No. 0720797118, 0721963927

**SOLICITOR GENERAL**  
**OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND**  
**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

**Attention: Senior Deputy Secretary**  
**Telephone No: 2227661/2251355**



## MINISTRY OF MINING, BLUE ECONOMY AND MARITIME AFFAIRS

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR SHIPPING & MARITIME

### ESTABLISHMENT OF AUDIT COMMITTEE IN THE MINISTRY

#### (A) INTRODUCTION

Under sections 73 (5) and 155(5) of the Public Finance Management (PFM) Act and Public Finance Management (PFM) regulations 2015, and the guidelines for the establishment of audit committees in all public entities contained in Kenya Gazette notice vol. CXVIII no.40 of 15<sup>th</sup> April 2016.

The Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs is seeking to recruit a chairperson and two (2 No.) member of the audit committee.

#### (B) REQUIREMENT FOR APPOINTMENT

##### Chairperson

To be appointed as a Chairperson of the Audit Committee, one must have the following: -

1. A degree from a recognized university;
2. Knowledge and experience of not less than 7 years in Audit and/or financial management /accounting;
3. Be a member of a professional body and in good standing;
4. Knowledge and experience in risk management;
5. Be a person of integrity and in compliance with the requirement of chapter six (6) of the constitution of Kenya 2010;

##### Member

1. A degree from a recognized university;
2. Working experience of not less than 5 years;
3. Be a member of a professional body and in good standing;
4. Knowledge of public service /government operations;
5. Be a person of integrity and in compliance with the requirements of chapter six (6) of the constitution of Kenya 2010;

Refer to regulations, 174 PFM Regulations, 2015 for details.

The same can be downloaded from the ministry's website [www.mibema.go.ke](http://www.mibema.go.ke)

#### Application Process:

All interested applicants who meet the requirements in (B) above should submit their applications together with detailed curriculum vitae, copies of academic and professional certificates, testimonials and national identity cards in a sealed envelope and addressed as below;

**The Cabinet Secretary**  
**Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs**  
**3rd Floor, Works Building,**  
**Ngong Road,**  
**Po Box 30009-00100**  
**Nairobi Kenya**  
**Email. [ps@mining.go.ke](mailto:ps@mining.go.ke)**  
**Tel: +254202727434, +254202300190**

The sealed envelope is to be dropped at the office of the director, HRM & D, Works Building Ground floor.

The deadline for receipt of applications is at the close of business on the **7<sup>th</sup> day of July 2023.**

Applicants, who will not have received communication from the ministry within a month from the date of the deadline, should consider their applications unsuccessful.

Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs avails equal engagement opportunities to all Kenyans. Women, persons living with disabilities, the marginalised and minorities are encouraged to apply. Any form of canvassing shall lead to automatic disqualification. Only shortlisted candidates shall be contacted.



## Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development

State Department for Crop Development



### National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project (NAVCDP)

## GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

**KENYA**  
**National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project (NAVCDP)**  
**Agriculture and Food**  
**GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE**  
**Loan No./Credit No. 7064 -KE**  
**Project ID No. P176758**

1. The Government of Kenya has received financing in the amount of US\$ 250 Million equivalent from the World Bank towards the cost of the National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project (NAVCDP) and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services to be procured under this project. This project will be jointly financed by the Government of Kenya.
2. The project will include the following components:
  - Component 1: Building Producer Capacity for Climate Resilient Stronger Value Chains.**
  - Component 2: Climate Smart Value Chain Ecosystem Investments.**
  - Component 3: Piloting Climate Smart Safer Urban Food System.**
  - Component 4: Project Coordination and Management.**
  - Component 5: Contingency Emergency Response Component (CERC).**
3. The consulting services that will be procured through Open International Competitive Procurement are: -
  - (a) Consulting services for digitization needs Assessment for selected agricultural value chain
  - (b) Consulting services for business accelerators
  - (c) Consulting services for project baseline survey
  - (d) Consulting services on maintenance and expansion of Kenya Market Information System (KAMIS)
  - (e) Consulting services for reviewing the project Monitoring and Evaluation Management Information System (M&E-MIS) to conform to the new project framework
  - (f) Consulting services for social assessment and gender analysis
4. Procurement of contracts financed by the World Bank will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers dated July 2016 and Revised November 2020 (Procurement Regulations), and is open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the Procurement Regulations. After project negotiations, the World Bank shall arrange the publication on its external website of the agreed initial procurement plan and all subsequent updates once it has provided a no objection.
5. Specific procurement notices for contracts subject to open international competitive procurement will be announced, as they become available, in UN Development Business online, on the World Bank's external website and Ministry's website, [www.kilimo.go.ke](http://www.kilimo.go.ke) and local newspapers in Kenya.
6. Interested eligible firms and individuals who would wish to be considered for the provision of goods, works, and non-consulting services and consulting services for the above mentioned project, or those requiring additional information, should contact the Borrower at the address below:

**Principal Secretary**  
**State Department for Crop Development**  
**Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development**  
**Attention: National Project Coordinator**  
**National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project (NAVCDP)**  
**P.O Box 8073-00200 Nairobi Kenya**  
**Tel.: + 254773206315**  
**E-mail: [procurement@navcdp.go.ke](mailto:procurement@navcdp.go.ke) , Website: [www.navcdp.go.ke](http://www.navcdp.go.ke)**

# Masalani Referral Hospital to be re-equipped



Healthcare practitioners after conducting a surgical operation at Masalani Sub-County Referral Hospital.

BY MOHAMED DAHIR (KNA)  
Garissa County government will support Masalani Sub-County Referral Hospital to acquire medical equipment to enable residents in the far flung sub county to access health services.

Garissa Deputy Governor, Abdi Dagane, said Masalani residents are forced to travel for long distances to seek medication in Garissa or other health facilities and added that it is difficult especially for pregnant women who develop complication during deliveries that require urgent medical attention.

“We will prioritize Masalani Sub-County referral hospital to address some of the emergencies and save lives of our people instead of travelling for over 50 Kilometres to seek medication,” Dagane said.

The Deputy Governor

made the remarks when he toured Masalani referral hospital and witnessed the first Caesarean (C-section) conducted successfully on a mother by the doctors at the facility’s theatre.

The DG asked the Medical Officer of Health Dr. Abdi Malik Ibrahim to liaise with the County government in order to help acquire necessary medical equipment that will enable the sub county hospital run 24-hour pointing out that they planned to boost the operation of the facility this financial year.

Dagane, who hails from the region, said he will make deliberate effort to improve other departments within the hospital and called on the staff to work for people adding that drugs are now available.

Mr Dagane was accompanied by Masalani MCA Yunis Abdi and Waberi ward MCA Abukar Sugow.

INVITATION TO TENDER



## INVITATION TO TENDER

| NO | TENDER NO.       | DESCRIPTION   | ELIGIBILITY         | TENDER CLOSING DATE        |
|----|------------------|---|---------------------|----------------------------|
| 1  | KGN-TANA-12-2023 | Tender for Supply of Condition Based Maintenance (CBM) Tools For Tana Power Station ( <b>Re-Tender</b> )  | Citizen Contractors | 28-June-2023 At 2.00pm     |
| 2  | KGN-SALE-06-2023 | Tender for Sale and Collection of Obsolete Waste Oil and Sludge from KenGen Stations.   | Citizen Contractors | 29-June-2023 at 2.00 pm    |
| 3  | KGN-IT-18-2023   | Tender For Supply, Installation, Testing, and Commissioning of an Augmented Reality Work Instruction with a Communication Platform and 3D Printer ( <b>Re-Tender</b> )  | Open National       | 29-June-2023 at 10.00 am   |
| 4  | KGN-HYD-18-2023  | Tender for Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Interactive Audio-Visual Screens and Accessories   | Citizen Contractors | 28-June-2023 At 10.00 a.m. |
| 5  | KGN-GDD-088-2023 | Tender for Supply of Portable Twin Silencer for Reservoir Management  | Citizen Contractors | 27-June-2023 At 2.00pm     |
| 6  | KGN-GDD-087-2023 | Tender for Design and Supply of Upgraded U-Seal Pumps for Olkaria II Power Station<br><b>There shall be a Mandatory Site Visit on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2023 at Olkaria II Power Station, starting at 10.00 a.m</b>   | Citizen Contractors | 29-June-2023 At 10.00am    |
| 7  | KGN-ADM-10-2023  | Request for Proposals (RFP) for Architectural Consultancy Services for Design and Supervision of Office Fit-Out Works at KenGen R.B.S. Pension Plaza II Sixth (6th) Floor Parking Silo [Upper and Lower Levels]<br><b>There shall be a mandatory site visit at KenGen R.B.S. Pension Plaza II Sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) Floor Parking Silo on 20th June 2023 starting at 10.00 a.m</b> | Citizen Contractors | 4-July-2023 At 10.00 a.m.  |
| 8  | KGN-HYD-15-2023  | Tender for Construction of River Gauging Stations and Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Automatic Water Level Recorders (Radar Level Sensor Type)<br><b>There shall be mandatory site visits as indicated in the tender document</b>  | Citizen Contractors | 4-July-2023 at 2.00 p.m.   |
| 9  | KGN-HYD-16-2023  | Tender for Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Corporate Network Upgrade & Extension to Housing Camps in Eastern Region<br><b>There shall be mandatory site visits as indicated in the tender document</b>  | Citizen Contractors | 6-July-2023 at 10.00 a.m.  |
| 10 | KGN-TANA-13-2023 | Tender For Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Butterfly Valves at KenGen Sagana Power Station ( <b>Re-Tender</b> )  | Open-International  | 5-July-2023 at 10.00 am    |

Interested firms may obtain further information from the office of the General Manager, Supply Chain, Tel: (254) (020) 3666230, Email: [tenders@kengen.co.ke](mailto: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](http://www.kengen.co.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](http://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](http://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](mailto: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,  
9<sup>th</sup> 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, 6<sup>th</sup> floor.

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- 2) Free Fax: 00800 007788
- 3) Email: [kengen@tip-offs.com](mailto:kengen@tip-offs.com)
- 4) Website: [www.tip-offs.com](http://www.tip-offs.com)

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## INVITATION TO TENDER

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

| TENDER NO.           | ITEM DESCRIPTION          | TENDER COMMENCEMENT DATE | TENDER CLOSING DATE                |
|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| KP1/9A.3/OT/46/22-23 | Supply of Tool Less Seals | Wednesday 14.06.2023     | Wednesday 28.06.2023 at 10.30 a.m. |

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

**GENERAL MANAGER  
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# Kenya to establish transplant services

BY KNA TEAM

The Government has expressed its commitment to enforce good governance and support of effective and efficient regulation of organ donation and transplantation in the country.

Medical Services Principal Secretary Mr. Harry Kintai said the Ministry of Health supports optimizing the provision of transplant services through training and provision of equipment because it is a resource specialty with great demand in the country.

Kintai said the program as mandated by law, seeks to cater for both living and deceased organ donations, assuring that no financial transactions or rewards shall be involved in acquiring an

organ due to the inherent risks involved.

"Any individual found engaging in trafficking organs and coercion activities will face severe consequences," Kintai warned.

The PS made the remarks in a speech read on his behalf by a Deputy Director in the Ministry of Health Dr. Zainab Zura during the World Transplant Day celebrations held at Kenyatta National Hospital grounds.

He said this year's theme, "Hope for Tomorrow: Transforming lives through organ donation" captures the essence of the government and partners' efforts to bringing hope, healing, and leasing new life to those in need.

Kintai at the same time said the government is exploring innovative ap-

proaches to increase the number of donors, besides creating awareness on the importance of organ donation.

The PS said the government is partnering with various stakeholders to establish a robust system for organ retrieval, preservation, banking and transplantation, while collaborating with hospitals, healthcare professionals and the public.

"A national registry will be established to enrol potential donors and recipients, this will ensure transparency, accountability and equitable distribution of these invaluable scarce resources," he added.

"As we embark on his noble journey, we must ensure that medical practitioners adhere to the highest ethical standards in their practices," he stressed, adding that

the sanctity of life and the well-being of both donors and recipients must always be at the forefront of the efforts.

The event that was organized by Kenya Tissue Transplant Authority (KTTA) and Kenyatta National Hospital and promoted by the World Health Organization is celebrated annually as a reminder that there are people around the world who are alive because of organ transplants.

The PS cited the establishment of the Kenya Tissue and Transplant Authority (KTTA) and the Human Leukocyte Antigens Typing Laboratory at Kenyatta National Hospital by the government as a significant milestone that will ensure quality and ethical practices are adhered to.

Studies indicate that approximately five million Kenyans have some form

of chronic kidney disease with a significant proportion expected to progress to kidney failure.

In his remarks, the Acting Chief Executive Officer KTTA Dr. Maurice Wakwabi noted that apart from kidney cases, an estimated 75,000 people need corneal transplants.

Studies indicate that over 1,000 documented patients on the waiting lists across the various eye hospitals in the country are awaiting corneal transplantation.

In 2021, about 400 corneal transplant surgeries were successfully conducted in Kenya.

It also indicates that a total of 12,500 patients with End Stage Kidney Disease require kidney transplant. By October 2022, a total of 6,300 patients with kidney disease were undergoing chronic hemodialysis treatments.

# NASCOP, NGO launches self-testing HIV kits

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"HIV self-testing allows people to take HIV tests and find out their results in the comfort of their home or any private location. This increases privacy and confidentiality and eliminates the HIV-related stigma and prejudice from service providers," said Wendy.

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## TENDER ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE

The Kenya Airports Authority invites sealed tenders from eligible firms for the following tenders:-

| Reference Number          | Tender Description   | PRE-BID MEETING/ SITE VISIT  | CLOSING/ OPENING DATE    |
|---------------------------|--|--|--------------------------|
| KAA/OT/MBD/0172/2022-2023 | Development and Management of Currency/Forex Outlet at Jomo Kenyatta International Airport, Terminal 1C Departures         | N/A  | 28/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m  |
| KAA/OT/MBD/0204/2022-2023 | Re- tender for Development and Management of Advertisement Media at Kisumu International Airport                           | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>21/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Kisumu International Airport        | 30/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m. |
| KAA/OT/MBD/0205/2022-2023 | Re-tender for Development and Management of advertisement Media at Eldoret International Airport                           | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>22/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Eldoret International Airport       | 30/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m. |
| KAA/OT/MBD/0206/2022-2023 | Re- tender for Development and Management of Advertisement Media at Nanyuki Airstrip                                       | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>26/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Nanyuki Airstrip                    | 30/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m. |
| KAA/OT/MBD/0208/2022-2023 | Tender for Development and Management of Advertisement Media- Indoor and Outdoor at Wilson Airport                         | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>20/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Wilson Airport.                     | 30/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m. |
| KAA/OT/MLD/0209/2022-2023 | Supply, delivery and Installation of Apron High Mast at Malindi Airport  | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>20/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Malindi Airport.                    | 28/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m. |
| KAA/OT/MLD/0210/2022-2023 | Supply, Delivery and Installation of Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) and replacement of Battery Bank at Malindi Airport | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>21/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Malindi Airport                     | 28/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m. |
| KAA/OT/MIA/0211/2022-2023 | Proposed Energy Management Solution at Moi International Airport, Mombasa  | Pre-bid/site visit shall be held on <b>22/06/2023 at 10.00 am</b> at Moi International Airport, Mombasa. | 30/06/2023 at 11.00 a.m  |

Information on these tender notices and documents detailing the requirements, tendering procedures and guidelines should be downloaded from our website at <https://www.kaa.go.ke/corporate/procurement/> or <https://suppliers.kaa.go.ke/irj/portal> or Public or Procurement Information Portal at [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) free of charge.

Bidders are advised to note that bidding process for the tenders is through our online tender portal at <https://suppliers.kaa.go.ke/irj/portal>. For any information or clarifications, please contact us through our email, [tenders@kaa.go.ke](mailto:tenders@kaa.go.ke)

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MANAGING DIRECTOR/CEO



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### NOTICE TO INTERESTED WAREHOUSE OPERATORS OF CEREALS AND PULSES

The Warehouse Receipt System (regulator) is established under the Warehouse Receipt System Act 18 of 2019, with the mandate to establish, maintain, and develop the Warehouse Receipt System for commodities in Kenya. The regulator is under the State Department of Trade, Ministry of Investments, Trade, and Industry.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 17 of the Warehouse Receipt System Act and Regulation 4 (1), (2) and (5) of the Warehouse Receipt System Regulations, 2021, the Warehouse Receipt System Council invites interested warehouse operators to apply for certification under the Warehouse Receipt System.

Warehouse Receipt System (WRS) is the process where owners of commodities deposit their commodities in licensed warehouses and are issued with a document of title (warehouse receipt) reflecting the quantity and quality of the deposited commodity. To issue a warehouse receipt, the warehouse operators must be licensed by the County Government to store commodities. The National Cereals and Produce Board (National Strategic Reserve) Regulations, 2023 regulations provide that food reserve commodities acquired using the warehouse receipts.

Interested warehouse Operators are invited to apply for certification and should provide information demonstrating that they meet the necessary requirements.

#### Requirements and steps for certification

- Certificate of Compliance from AFA-Food Directorate Obtained after the warehouse is inspected and found compliant to the Kenya Standard - KS 2657: 2016 (Warehouse and Warehousing for Bagged Storage of Cereals and Pulses - Requirements)
- Certificate of Conformity from WRSC Obtained after the Warehouse Operator is inspected and found in conformity to the WRS Act, 2019; WRS Regulations, 2021. These include:
  - Be a legal entity registered in Kenya;
  - Have a viable business plan (WRS Regulation, 2021 - First Schedule, Form 1B);
  - Provide a valid insurance cover against ALL Risks for all commodities stored;
  - Demonstrates ability to provide performance bond;
  - Demonstrate ability to raise adequate capital to finance initial investment and 3 years' operational costs;
  - Have qualified and certified personnel in warehousing operations;
  - Provide security and limit access to the commodity;
  - Have an IT system able to issue Warehouse Receipts and is open to secured integration with the Council's Central Registry;
  - Pay the required fees (WRS Regulation, 2021 - Third Schedule); etc.
- Licensing of the Warehouse Operator by the County Executive Committee Member for the time being in charge of Agriculture

Obtained after the Warehouse Operator is issued with a Certificate of Conformity by the Council, provides a performance bond of 10% of the value of the commodity intended for storage and pays the required fees (**WRS Regulation, 2021-Third Schedule**).

Applications can be delivered in written form/ hard copies using the forms provided for this purpose or a soft copy of the hard copies sent to [info@wrsc.go.ke](mailto:info@wrsc.go.ke)

Interested Warehouse operators may obtain further information at the address below during office hours (**weekdays from 08:00Hrs to 17:00Hrs EAT**) from Monday to Friday excluding public holidays.

The Ag. Chief Executive Officer/Registrar  
Warehouse Receipt System Council,  
Tea House, Naivasha Road, off Ngong Road  
P. O. Box 22757 - 00505,  
NAIROBI

Tel: +254 700368368, Email: [info@wrsc.go.ke](mailto:info@wrsc.go.ke), twitter: @wrsccke





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| 2.                     | Manager, Finance and Accounts (Re-advertisement)        | 1            | 3         | 4 years Contract | EPZA 2/06/2023 |

**Application Requirements**

Suitably qualified candidates should apply online in confidence using the **GOOGLE FORMS** and clearly indicate the Job Reference and the job applied for. Good Forms link and Job descriptions are available at can be downloaded from at [www.epzakenya.com](http://www.epzakenya.com) (Careers' section). Candidates who had applied earlier are encouraged to apply.

Candidates should also attach a detailed curriculum vitae, copies of academic and professional certificates, testimonials and National Identity Card.

**Additional Requirements**

Successful candidates will be expected to fulfill the requirement of Chapter Six of the Constitution by providing originals of the following documents;

- a. Police Clearance Certificate from the Directorate of Criminal Investigations;
- b. Clearance/Compliance Certificate from Higher Education Loans Board (HELB);
- c. Tax compliance Certificate from Kenya Revenue Authority;
- d. Clearance from the Ethics & Anti-corruption Authority (EACC) and
- e. Clearance from Credit Reference Bureau (CRB).

All applications should be filled and submitted not later than, **26<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at midnight East Africa Time.**

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P. O. BOX 3325- 40-100, KISUMU

TEL: 057- 2025128, Mobile 0736202512,0716525251

Email: [info@lvswwda.go.ke](mailto:info@lvswwda.go.ke) Website: [www.lvswwda.go.ke](http://www.lvswwda.go.ke)

**INVITATION TO TENDER**

Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency (LVSWWDA) invites tenders from interested bidders for the following Consultancy Services:

| No. | Tender No.            | Tender Description  | Tender Security                  | Category | Closing Date               |
|-----|-----------------------|---|----------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|
| 1.  | LVSWWDA/RFP/2/2022-23 | Provision of Consultancy Services for Feasibility Study Review and Design of Augmentation and Rehabilitation of Asembo Ndoti Water Supply Project in Siaya County | Tender Securing Declaration Form | Open     | 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2023 |

Interested eligible consultants may obtain tender documents from the Supply Chain Management Office situated at Lavictor's House, Kisumu (as detailed here below) upon payment of a **non- refundable fee of Ksh. 1,000** per tender document OR view and download the tender document from LVSWWDA website ([www.lvswwda.go.ke](http://www.lvswwda.go.ke)) or the Government Tender Portal website [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) free of charge. Upon downloading, bidders **MUST** immediately send/email their names and contact details (including physical address) to the following email address for recording and issuance of any clarification or addenda: [procurement@lvswwda.go.ke](mailto:procurement@lvswwda.go.ke)

Addenda/ clarifications will also be posted in the LVSWWDA website immediately they become available Completed tender documents in plain sealed envelope clearly marked with the "Tender Number and Tender Description" as more particularly described in the tender document should be addressed and posted to:

**The Chief Executive Officer,  
Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency  
Lavictors House, off Ring Road Milimani, Kisumu  
P.O Box 3325 -40100  
Kisumu, Kenya**

OR be deposited in the tender box situated on the **first floor (Lavictor's House)** so as to be received on or before **30<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at 10.00am**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the tenderers representatives who choose to attend the opening in Boardroom Wing B, Lavictor's House, Kisumu.

Late tenders will not be accepted

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**National Environment Management Authority**

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Website: [www.nema.go.ke](http://www.nema.go.ke)

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC TO SUBMIT COMMENTS ON AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDY REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED ANYIKO UJWANGA KATHIENO IRRIGATION PROJECT IN SIHAYI LOCATION, UGENYA SUB-COUNTY, SIAYA COUNTY**

Pursuant to Regulation 21 of the Environmental Management and Coordination (Impact Assessment and Audit) Regulations, 2003, the National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) has received an Environmental Impact Assessment Study Report for the above proposed project.

The Proponent, **Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation**, is proposing to expand the Anyiko Ujwanga KathiENO Irrigation Project. The proposed project will comprise of irrigation area covering 934 ha, 5No. irrigation blocks, 1No. headworks (40m wide, 2.5m high), 1No. sedimentation basin (13m long, 2m wide and 1.5m high), 1No. main canal (14.5km), 1No. secondary canal (7.1km), 6No. tertiary canals (6.6km), 28No. field canals (23km), 13No. field drains (11km), 23.6km of service and access roads. The project straddles 19 villages, 3 Sub-Locations (KathiENO C, KathiENO B and Sihayi) and will be implemented in Sihayi Location, Ugenya Sub-County, Siaya County.

| Impact                                 | Mitigation measures   |
|--|---|
| <b>Land degradation/ soil erosion</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compaction of soil to minimise erosion from wind and water</li> <li>• Planting of grass and trees and allowing natural vegetation to grow</li> <li>• Rehabilitation of burrow pits used to obtain construction materials.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Water pollution</b>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Train farmers on proper agrochemical use, handling and disposal</li> <li>• Encourage farmers to use manure instead of fertilizer</li> <li>• Each farmer should leave 30m buffer to the river as required by NEMA, WRA and they should plant trees in addition to crops for daily consumption.</li> <li>• Water quality monitoring should be carried out on quarterly basis.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Air pollution</b>                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vehicles transporting the building materials should be covered.</li> <li>• Vehicles and machineries used should be regularly maintained and serviced to prevent exhaust emissions.</li> <li>• Provision of dust masks to workers</li> <li>• Dropping heights of materials to be minimized</li> <li>• Maximize the use of manual labour and hand tools.</li> <li>• Avoid spillage of loose soil to the road where it will be disturbed and blown away by traffic.</li> <li>• Sensitize drivers to avoid off road driving.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Biodiversity loss</b>               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vegetate the area after construction.</li> <li>• The contractor should concentrate only on the area they are constructing the canals the rest of vegetation should not be cleared.</li> <li>• Vegetation can be trimmed instead of removing them completely.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Noise pollution</b>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Workers should be given noise protection equipment.</li> <li>• Guarding of machinery to minimize noise.</li> <li>• Working will be restricted to day time only.</li> <li>• Observe and practice the recommended noise regulations</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Occupational health and safety</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There should be a comprehensive Health and safety policy to safeguard the health of the workers</li> <li>• There should be compliance with all health and safety standards in place</li> <li>• All workers should be provided with full protective gear and there should be a proper use of PPEs.</li> <li>• There should be proper hoarding of the site to control the movement of the public into the area</li> <li>• Establish an assembly area for all workers in case of an accident and maintain a record of all works at the site at each particular time.</li> <li>• Fully equipped first aid kits handled by a qualified supervisor should be provided at the site.</li> <li>• The contractor should have insurance cover for the workers.</li> <li>• Clean sanitary facilities and clean drinking water should be provided at the site</li> <li>• Lunch breaks will be provided; food is set to be served at the site</li> <li>• Warning signs should be strategically erected.</li> <li>• Risky areas such as deep pits should be covered or fenced off to avoid accidents</li> </ul> |
| <b>Sedimentation of the river beds</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Frequent de-silting the intake and irrigation canals during operation</li> <li>• Filling up excavated trenches and burrow pits after contraction works.</li> <li>• Have an embankment upstream of the intake weir.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Solid waste</b>                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inspection during Loading and unloading procedures to avoid waste loss.</li> <li>• A concrete washing area will be set aside for concrete trucks, to avoid the build-up of waste concrete in site areas.</li> <li>• All waste will be sorted and managed as appropriate, either for reuse, recycling or disposal.</li> </ul>   |

The full report of the proposed project is available for inspection during working hours at:

1. **Principal Secretary, Ministry of Environment and Forestry, NHIF Building, 12th Floor, Ragati Road, Upper Hill, P.O.BOX: 30126-00100, NAIROBI**
2. **Director General, NEMA Popo Road, off Mombasa Road, P.O. BOX 67839-00200, NAIROBI**
3. **County Director of Environment SIAYA COUNTY**

A copy of the EIA report can be downloaded at [www.nema.go.ke](http://www.nema.go.ke)

NEMA invites members of the public to submit oral or written comments within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice to the Director General, NEMA to assist the Authority in the decision making process for this project. Kindly quote ref. No. **NEMA/EIA/5/2/2085**

Comments can also be e-mailed to [dgnama@nema.go.ke](mailto:dgnama@nema.go.ke)

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**INTEGRATION**

## Kenya in quest to be Africa's business hub

As the gateway to East and Central Africa, Kenya wants to be the geo-headquarters of a trading bloc that will consist 29 African countries and the European Union

BY GRACE NGARI

Kenya is pitching to be the preferred business hub for a single market comprising 29 African countries within three trading blocs, which will do business with the European Union (EU) and accelerate economic integration of Eastern and Southern Africa.

The deal includes the East African Community (EAC), Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa, (Comesa) and Southern African Development Community (SADC).

And it seeks to come up with a Tripartite Free Trade Agreement (TFTA) that will create a Free Trade Area, which will provide investors with a market of over 800 million people, or

eight per cent of the world's population, with a combined gross domestic product (GDP) of \$1.8 trillion, notes the African Development Bank (AfDB).

By controlling about 54 per cent of the continent's GDP, according to the UN Economic Commission for Africa, TFTA is only second to the African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA), which covers the 54-member states of the African Union (AU), with a market of 1.2 billion people and a GDP of \$2.3 trillion.

President William Ruto told the EU-Kenya Business Forum in Nairobi recently that he is keen to have TFTA operational after a

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President William Ruto at the EU-Kenya Business forum in Nairobi.

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### Kenya Power banks on data infrastructure to grow profits



KENYA POWER'S MOVE to install smart poles for provision of high-speed internet connectivity is set to be a game-changer. Managing director

Joseph Siror (above) said that the smart poles will provide an alternative way to deploy the last mile data networks using wireless technologies. **MORE ON PAGE 2**

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**“Prospect in Nakuru is a good harvest in both upper and lower altitude zones. – Agriculture ministry.**



## AGENDA KENYA



President William Ruto and Mrs Henrietta Geiger, the Ambassador of the EU to Kenya, as well as various delegates, at the EU-Kenya business forum in Nairobi in February.

### FOREIGN TRADE

# President pushing for free trade area with EU to be actualised

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As a signatory, Kenya stands to gain from TFTA in reduced trade barriers, improved infrastructure in roads, railways and ports and increased access to a bigger market thus boosting exports.

Already, the dualing of the Thika super-highway to Nyeri is ongoing, linking Nanyuki as part of connecting to the 10,000km Cape to Cairo Trans-Africa highway, which will pass through nine countries.

These are Egypt through Sudan, South Sudan, Ethiopia, Kenya, Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe and Botswana and South Africa, which are all part of TFTA.

The highway is aimed at shortening the Cape-Cairo route by five days, thus spurring trade.

Kenya already has the Lapsset corridor, which connects Lamu port to landlocked Ethiopia and South Sudan using inter-regional highways, railways, pipelines and airports and is strategic in integrating the Trans-Africa Highway and the East-West Beltway.

Kenya secured a Sh24.7 billion (\$230 million) loan from AfDB in 2016 for the dualing of the road.

The project is also supported by EU, which committed Sh14.5 billion (\$136 million) in 2017 while Japan is providing technical assistance.

### INFOBOX

#### Free trade pact with the United States

Besides the deal with EU, Kenya is working to conclude bilateral trade agreements with the US and UK. With the US, Kenya expects to sign a free trade agreement (FTA) by April 2024, becoming the first sub-Saharan African nation.

The deal will lower tariffs between the two nations under terms that include 70 per cent of exported products attracting no duties in the US. Kenya has been a major beneficiary of AGOA, exporting goods worth \$890 million in 2022, an increase from \$685m in 2021, a majority being exempted from import duties.

Kenya's exports to the US include macadamia nuts, cut flowers, avocados, coffee, tea, apparels and



President William Ruto with a European Union official at the trading bloc's headquarters in Brussels, Belgium.

titanium ores.

"The US-Kenya partnership is strong, built on 60 years of shared values and interests. Our partnership has enhanced security, increased prosperity, and improved the lives of Kenyans and Americans," said US Ambassador to Kenya, Meg Whitman.

### BRIEFS

#### Kenya Power enters the internet infrastructure business



KENYA POWER'S MOVE to provide internet infrastructure is expected to boost the data sector as the utility firm seeks to diversify its revenue sources. The firm announced last week that it had commenced a pilot project to install smart poles for provision of high-speed internet connectivity. Managing director Joseph Siror (left) said that the smart poles will provide an alternative way to deploy the last mile data networks using wireless technologies.

This will, therefore, offer a solution to telecom service providers to improve data coverage and capacity, as well as address the challenge of signal dropouts.

"The company has put in place a strategy that lays a firm foundation for growth in the next century. We will leverage innovative and sustainable solutions to ensure that we have a

smart grid in place to tap into the new growth frontiers while at the same time offering excellent service to our customers," said Dr Siror.

Kenya Power is working on the pilot project in partnership with Safaricom at six locations in the capital Nairobi. Once the pilot is completed, the power firm is expected to install smart poles on its overhead network, which telecom service providers will lease and mount their wireless transmission equipment. ■

#### Ministry forecasts bumper harvest following good rains

Farmers in various parts of the country expect good maize, wheat and beans harvest following good rains that were received between March



and May, the Agriculture ministry notes in a crop report. The ministry observes that in the areas that include North and South Rift, Central, Lower and Upper Eastern, Nyanza, and Coast, the general condition of the germinated crop is above average and the outlook for the expected production is good. "The prospect in the county of Nakuru is a good harvest in both upper and lower altitude zones. Beans in the county are flowering and good harvest are expected due to favourable weather," said the ministry. And in Kitui, Lower Eastern, the

The Trans-Africa Highway will also benefit from Isiolo Airport and the revamping of the Nairobi-Nanyuki railway for transporting oil to reservoirs in Nanyuki for road users.

The Nairobi-Nanyuki railway will also improve transportation, boost economic activities, create jobs, develop tourism and is more environmental friendly than road transportation, as it produces fewer greenhouse gas emissions and causes less damage to roads and infrastructure.

The tripartite agreement, said President Ruto, will also provide Kenya with access to the EU export market, create jobs and strengthen its balance of trade.

The EU, noted the President, "accounted for 16.5 per cent of Kenya's total import bill in 2022, which amounted to Sh355 billion, representing an increase in value of imports to 14.8 per cent from the previous year," and it was thus in the EU's best interests to conclude the deals.

The President said the Tripartite Agreement was signed seven years ago but "unfortunately, we have not concluded it to the satisfaction of the EU requirements".

Among others, the agreement signed in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, on June 10, 2015, required to resolve several issues such as facilitating movement of people, goods and services, smoothening the overlapping memberships of other blocs, reducing cost of doing business and creating a conducive environment to the private sector.

It was also to promote industrial development and competitiveness, but the ratifications faced headwinds over failure to agree on various issues including the contentious rules of origin and tariffs.

The agreement has been dragged by failure to get the minimum 14 signatures to enforce it with South Africa, Tanzania, the Democratic Republic of Congo and Mauritius, yet to sign and "we hope to achieve the remaining signatures," said President Ruto.

Currently, the bulk of protocols, policies and guidelines are awaiting adoption besides completing outstanding issues like exchange of tariff offers, intellectual property rights and trade in services.

As part of preparation for the EAC-Comesa-SADC deal, President Ruto made Trade CS Moses Kuria his Special Envoy to over 10 African capitals, meeting presidents and Heads of State.

He went to Egypt, Angola, Comoros (new AU chair), Uganda, Tanzania, Lesotho and South Africa. Mr Kuria said as the gateway to East and Central Africa and a central player in the three overlapping blocs, Kenya remains the most geo-strategic headquarters "towards the African Continental Free Trade Area (AFTCA)".

Kenya is already taking steps to make it easier for TFTA and AfCTA to be realised. On June 1, President Ruto announced plans to do away with visa restrictions for African citizens travelling to Kenya for business to boost inter-continental trade.

The country has also negotiated with various African nations for the abolition or reduction of visa curbs for their citizens. ■

ministry notes that crop conditions in the region are favourable with the county reporting exceptional performance.

"Expected harvests in the region are good for all crops as rains have been adequate with exception of the hill masses where water logging for beans was reported," says the ministry. Similarly, the report notes that crop situation at the Coast is "generally good and based on the prevailing conditions, over 80 per cent yield will be realised".

Some of the challenges farmers faced during the period are delay in application of basal fertiliser in some areas as depots received government subsidised input late. There was also increased infestation of the fall armyworms especially in Trans Nzoia, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nandi, Samburu and Baringo counties. ■





CASH CROPS

# Tea exports surge in Q1 on high global prices as coffee struggles

Country earns Sh43.2 billion from the crop boosted by rise in prices in traditional markets amid increased demand

BY AGENDA KENYA WRITER

The value of tea exports rose 9.4 per cent in the first quarter of this year, pushed up by an increase in prices in the global markets due to surging demand. The Tea Board of Kenya (TBK) in its performance report for the period noted that the country earned Sh43.2 billion from the cash crop during the quarter, after exporting 139,716 metric tonnes (MT). This was a rise from Sh39.5 billion earned from 135,721MT exported in a similar period in 2022, said the Tea Board.

The agency observed that these earnings defied challenges that included shortage of forex reserves, inflationary pressure and low consumer purchasing power in markets where the tea is sold. Kenya's main tea markets include Russia, Pakistan, Egypt, Sudan, United Kingdom, Yemen, Afghanistan, and the United Arab Emirates. In Pakistan and Egypt, Kenya experienced challenges selling tea in the quarter due to dollar shortages that hurt imports. During the quarter, TBK said the tea, especially from smallholder farmers, fetched higher prices in the global market. "The tea was sold at \$2.7 per kilo for the main grades as compared to \$2.65 in a similar period in 2022," said the agency. A weaker shilling, which is exchanging against the dollar at an average of 139 currently, also helped Kenya earn more from the cash

crop. A decline in the shilling makes exports fetch more raising earnings for the country. However, exports become more expensive as the shilling declines. Tea is among the leading foreign exchange earners, alongside horticulture, coffee and tourism. Kenya earned a record Sh138 billion from tea in 2022, a rise from Sh136 billion in the previous year. However, as the value of tea exports soared, coffee earnings in the first quarter dropped 20.4 per cent, according to the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS). The country earned Sh7.63 billion from 11,284MT of coffee, a decline from Sh9.59 billion from 11,923MT in quarter one of 2022, said KNBS. The country's coffee production has been on the decline over the years thanks to poor prices. ■

INFOBOX

State of coffee in Kenya



The International Coffee Organisation (ICO) notes Kenya's coffee production is below that of Uganda and Ethiopia. Production has declined and farmers' earnings are low and unpredictable, making many quit farming the cash crop. The area under coffee has declined by 35 per cent from 170,000 hectares in the 90s to less than 100,000 hectares today, while production has dipped from 130,000 tonnes in 1988 to about 35,000 tonnes. On the other hand, Uganda exports over 5 million tonnes becoming Africa's leading exporter. Ethiopia's coffee production stands at 6 million kilos and the country exports some 4 million bags annually. Many farmers in Kenya have replaced coffee with avocado or houses.

HUDUMA CORNER

## MPs seek further devolution of Huduma Centres

Five legislators held a meeting with Huduma Kenya chief executive Benjamin Chilumo, seeking to find ways on how to take services much closer to their people. The MPs, who represent Fafi, Teso North, Wajir West, and Ganze constituencies, noted that the current Huduma Centres are primarily located at county headquarters, making it difficult for residents to access government services. They noted that devolution of the centres would make access to government services easier in remote regions as well as reduce time wastage and costs. Mr Chilumo acknowledged the need for proper planning, infrastructure development, and training to effectively implement the devolution process.



Huduma Kenya CEO Benjamin Chilumo (right) with Kenneth Kazungu Charo, the Ganze MP, during a meeting in Nairobi.



Right: Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) in Richmond, US, when they toured Murang'a Huduma Centre last week.

He pledged to closely work with the MPs and relevant stakeholders to ensure the services are devolved to the grassroots. Meanwhile in Mandera, Huduma Centre staff hosted an outreach event at Elwak Town. The four-day event, dubbed "Elwak Mashinani" ran from June 5-8 and was organised in partnership with Boda Boda Medical Ventures. Huduma Centre manager Sheik Aliyare thanked Mandera South MP Abdul Haro Kore for supporting the event, which saw over 1,000 people readily access several government services. And in Murang'a County, visiting students from Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) in Richmond, US, toured the region's Huduma Centre to familiarise with the concept of accessing government services under one roof. The centre staff led by manager Joyce Gitau took them through the various services offered, including identity card registration, birth and death certificate issuance, business registration and tax services. ■

### How many times in a day do you feed mature dogs?

Once a day, preferably in the evening, and thereafter give them water after two hours to aid indigestion.

### And what about the puppies?

Puppies need a lot of care. I wean them at three weeks and start them on soft foods – a mixture of milk, rice and eggs as well as cereals like Weetabix. This goes on for about a month. The puppies are fed twice and every meal must contain milk. At two months, we introduce some hard feeds but maintain eggs and other foods rich in calcium for bone development. We also vaccinate them.

### Talking of vaccination...

This is key for dogs. The first vaccine offered is called DHPP, which prevents distemper, parvovirus, parainfluenza, and two types of hepatitis (adenovirus). This vaccine is given at 8, 12 and 16 weeks, a year later, and thereafter between one to three years after that. This vaccine also helps to prevent the puppy from dying during teeth removal. Rabies is another key vaccine and the law requires that one must regularly vaccinate dogs against the deadly disease.

### What would you say is a good house for a dog?

I use kennels that are 5ft by 5ft with each hosting three mature dogs. The houses are made of strong wire mesh at the front, metal on the sides and the floor from timber. They are raised about a metre from the ground and underneath is concrete for ease of cleaning and good hygiene. The kennels are washed twice a week and the dogs are similarly sprayed two times a week.

### So what are the major diseases to look out for?

These include rabies, distemper, tick fever and parvovirus, among others, as shown in the table. Also, deworm the dogs every two to three months to eliminate internal parasites that can inhibit their growth. One should also look out for parasites like fleas, which are controlled through spraying.

### Talk about dog training

There are several forms of training but in my case I train them on basic commands (obedience), chaining, smell, dealing with strangers or intruders as well as knowing the owner. For chain training, I have a special bench where I strap the dog so that it gets used to being chained. Chaining is key for good dog control.

### What other training do you do?

I also walk around with the dogs for exposure and to build its confidence and meet different people. This way, it knows that not everyone should be attacked. A dog should also know basic commands mostly uttered in single words, for instance, stop, come, go, attack and bring. It should also be able to know its name.

### How else do you get the dog to learn commands?

I use the classical conditioning method to train the dog to connect positive deed with a reward. If, for instance, I send the dog and it brings me what I need, I give it biscuit. This way, it gets motivated knowing there is reward when it behaves well.

### Where do you sell your dogs?

The dog market is huge; if you don't sell the animals for at least Sh15,000 for the puppies, you can hire them out or do training which takes at least a week. I sell my animals to families, breeders, security firms and tea factories.



# AGENDA KENYA

## PICTURESPEAK



President William Ruto at the 22<sup>nd</sup> Comesa Summit of Heads of State and government in Lusaka, Zambia, on Thursday. He said it is time Comesa countries embraced value addition, especially of agricultural commodities. PHOTO: PCS



EAC Cabinet Secretary Rebecca Miano at the Comesa ministerial meeting to discuss regional peace and security in Zambia before the Heads of State summit.



Interior CS Kithure Kindiki when he launched the third phase of the exhumation exercise at Shakahola forest. He said Shakahola will be converted into a national memorial site.



Sports CS Ababu Namwamba (centre, left) with MCSK boss Ezekiel Mutua, among other officials, during the signing of an MoU between Collection Management Organisations (CMO). The MOU will consolidate the collection of royalties.



Faith Kipyegon when she set a world record in 1,500m in the Florence Diamond League.



Environment CS Soipan Tuya with France Minister for Development, Francophonie and International Partnership, H.E Mrs Chrysoula Zacharapoulou. France agreed to support the upcoming Africa Climate Summit.





## UN-Habitat Assembly to prioritize Housing sector in member states

BY CATHERINE MUINDI (PCO)

The Second Session of the United Nations Habitat Assembly which ended last Friday Nairobi adopted a historical resolution on "Affordable Housing for All" which compels member states to renew their commitment towards housing by prioritizing the provision of adequate housing to their urban and peri-urban populations and embrace housing as a human right for the first time since 1948 when the Universal Declaration of Human Rights was adopted.

Speaking during the closure of the five day Assembly at the UN Headquarters in Gigiri Nairobi, the Executive Director of the UN-Habitat Ms Maimunah Mohd Sharif said almost all countries globally are struggling to ensure that their citizens have access to affordable and adequate housing.

"Delegates of the Assembly recognized that the global housing crisis affects all and is present in all regions of the world. Globally, 1.6 billion people continue to live in inadequate shelter. We must



**Lands, Housing and Urban Development CS Zakariah Njeru chats with the Executive Director of UN-HABITAT Ms Maimuna Mohd Sharif at the UN Headquarters at Gigiri during the Second Session of the UN Habitat Assembly**

act now to create a better urban future for them," said Ms Maimunah.

Kenya has been urbanizing rapidly resulting in an alarming backlog of about 2 million houses which are unaffordable and unavailable as Kenya's estimated annual urban housing demand is 250,000 units against an annual urban supply of 50,000 which mostly targets high end markets.

According to the resolution, an open-ended in-

ter-governmental working group will be set up to convene Member States to study the provision of affordable housing.

The resolution recommends setting up a platform to collect, consolidate and compile housing data to better understand the housing needs and existing gaps as a basis for relevant solutions.

The highest legislative body on urbanization and human settlements matters, adopted ten resolutions, a set

of five procedural decisions, and a Ministerial Declaration.

The resolution on adequate housing was championed by Kenya, Bahrain, France, Jordan, Egypt, Pakistan, and USA.

Other adopted resolutions included international guidelines on people-centered smart cities; France, Germany, South Korea, Pakistan, Botswana and Israel, accelerating the transformation of informal settlements and slums by 2030; South Africa, Botswana, Peru, Costa Rica and India.

The Delegates also adopted the World Cleanup Day which was championed by Estonia, Sweden, Colombia, Botswana, Georgia, Bosnia Herzegovina, Ukraine, Pakistan, Türkiye, Nigeria, Qatar and Bahrain.

The resolution adopted biodiverse and resilient cities which was fronted by Costa Rica, Colombia, Singapore, Germany, Ecuador, Botswana, Peru, Uruguay, Pakistan, Estonia and Chile as well as enhancing the interlinkage between urbanization and climate change resilience; Group of African States and Pakistan.

### BRIEFS

#### CS calls for urgent behavioral change to curb plastic pollution

The Environment and Forestry CS SoipanTuya has called for behavioral change among Kenyans if the war against plastic pollution is to be won. Speaking in Nakuru during the National Celebrations to mark the World Environment Day, Tuya regretted that single-use plastics have choked the environment, particularly water bodies, posing a serious threat to aquatic life. Consequently, the CS underscored the need to generate and utilize knowledge around solutions to plastic pollution, saying county environment communities across the country should conduct targeted sustained enforcement on single-use plastics to get rid of the menace, "even as we work on plastic regulations." "We have more plastics than fish in some of our water bodies and that's a worrying trend," she said. Tuya added that putting a national solid management strategy in place would boost county governments' waste management efforts, while calling on Kenyans to covet a clean and healthy environment through the reduction of air, land, freshwater and marine pollution. On her part, Governor Susan Kihika, regretted that the county had suffered environmental degradation and

severe drought in the recent past.

She promised to spearhead the planting of 250 million trees in the next 10 years.

"A few months ago, we experienced severe drought in some parts of the county and we are now grappling with severe flooding and erosion, particularly in Nakuru's Kiamunyi area," Kihika said, noting that the recently concluded county climate risk assessment would help them secure grants for environmental conservation.

Noting that on average every Kenyan consumed 30 grams of plastics each year, the National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) Board Chair Eric Mungai regretted the impact of plastics on livestock and fisheries resources.

"We are not doing enough to find solutions to plastic waste generation and management. Globally, 400 million tons of plastics are produced each year, with less than 10 per cent recycled while an estimated 19 to 23 million tons end up in lakes, rivers and seas.

Despite Kenya having banned single-use plastic carrier bags six years ago, coupled with hefty fines on manufacturers, distributors and users, the plastics are still in circulation. By Anne Sabuni and Moses Gicheha (KNA)

## MKU steps up mental health programs for students and staff

BY MUOKI CHARLES (KNA)

In an effort to tackle mental health issues among its students, lecturers and staff, Mount Kenya University (MKU) has scaled up mental health and counselling programmes in all its departments.

MKU Vice-Chancellor Prof Deogratius Jaganyi said, they have over 400 volunteers and peer counsellors to help in the fight against depression at the institution's Thika Campus which has a high student population.

Speaking during a youth forum at the University's Thika Main Campus, the VC said mental health in most universities is at an all-time high due to academic, financial and peer pressures adding that some of the times, they have led to suicides.

He called for concerted ef-



**A youth programme on mental health that was organized by Mount Kenya University.**

orts of stakeholders, counsellors and chaplains in the institutions to help in the fight saying it might turn into a crisis if not addressed on time.

"Our Thika Main Campus has about 400 counsellors,

trained volunteers and peer counsellors. Other campuses have over 100 trained peer counsellors. All of them work together with the chaplains, associate deans and the office of the Dean of Students to help tackle men-

tal health issues among students, lecturers and staff," he said.

In a speech read on his behalf by Dr Peter Kirira, the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Administration, Planning and Institutional Advancement, Prof Jaganyi said partnering with UNESCO Regional Office; they managed to host a mental health programme last year where students and the local youth were trained on mental health.

Through such forums, he said, the university aims to reduce the number of young people living with anxiety and depression not only in the institution but also across the country.

"Depression is not only in universities and colleges, but it is hitting every cadre of people," he said.

#### ODPC to ensure registration of data controllers, processors

The Office of the Data Protection Commissioner (ODPC) will soon register all data controllers and processors in accordance with the provisions of the Data Protection Act, 2019.

This is part of the mandate of the office as it seeks to regulate all entities that collect data from individuals and those who process the data.

The head of legal services at ODPC Ms. Susan Waweru said, the ODPC has to date registered close to 4,000 such entities in the last one year, but noted that the majority are yet to comply.

She was speaking in TharakaNithi and Meru Counties where she led a team from ODPC to sensitize data controllers and processors on the mandate of the Office of the Data Commissioner and the provisions of the Data Protection Act of 2019.

Data collectors refers to people who collect personal data and determine the purpose and means of processing this data, while data processors are people who process this data on behalf of the controllers.

These include government departments, learning and health institutions, civil society organizations, and even religious organizations.

Ms. Waweru said registration of data controllers and entities will help the ODPC to regulate the processing of personal data in the country.

"This office will ensure that those who collect and process data do so for lawful purposes only as provided in the data protection Act of 2019," she said.

Apart from regulation, the Office of the Data Protection Commissioner is mandated to protect the privacy of individuals, legally known as the "data subject", by ensuring that the processing of personal data is guided by the principles set out by the Act.

The officer said that, although the ODPC has put in place legal and institutional mechanisms to protect personal data, individuals, too, have a big responsibility in ensuring safety of the data.

By Jane Gicharu (KNA)