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# Ministry to phase out paper-based national exams in education reforms

BY ERASTUS GICHOHI, KNA

The Ministry of Education has unveiled plans to phase out paper-based examinations across Kenya's education system in the coming years, in a sweeping reform aimed at reducing the billions of shillings spent annually on printing and administering national tests.

Dr. Elyas Abdi, Director General for Basic Education, said the initiative will be implemented in partnership with the Kenya National Examinations Council (KNEC) as part of broader reforms to streamline the sector.

"Exams in this country have been an expensive affair, and paperless exams seek to address this in the coming years," Dr. Abdi noted.

Currently, KNEC requires about Sh12.5 billion annually to conduct examinations and invigilation, yet budget allocations have consistently fallen short. In the 2024/2025 financial year, the council faced a Sh3.7 billion deficit, nearly crippling its operations before Parliament



Ministry of Education's Director General for Basic Education Dr. Elyas Abdi (centre) alongside Somalia's Permanent Secretary for Education, Culture and Higher Education, Hassan Ali (right), and an education official during a multi-stakeholder engagement on education organized by the National Commission for UNESCO in Naivasha. PHOTO: ERASTUS GICHOHI

intervened. Projections for the 2026/2027 financial year show that exam administration will cost Sh14.7 billion, but only

Sh9.9 billion has been allocated, leaving a Sh4.82 billion shortfall. A significant portion of these costs has historically stemmed

from outsourcing exam printing abroad. For years, KNEC has relied on foreign security printers to produce examination booklets and optical mark recognition forms, a practice criticised by stakeholders as both costly and logistically cumbersome. Treasury Cabinet Secretary John Mbadi has questioned the need to continue printing materials in London, arguing that the practice imposes unnecessary expenses on taxpayers.

KNEC Chief Executive Officer David Njengere said the shift to electronic assessments has been inspired by the successful rollout of digital examinations in teacher training colleges.

Over the past three years, more than 37,000 trainees have undertaken digital examinations and graduated. What began as a pilot programme with 45 candidates in 2021 had expanded to more than 50,000 candidates across over 100 institutions by 2025.

Trainees now sit examinations entirely online, with scripts submitted electronically through the KNEC portal for marking. Build-

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ing on this success, KNEC plans to introduce digital assessments in senior schools beginning in 2027.

The council says the system will enhance digital literacy, enable remote marking, speed up result processing, and improve policy decision-making through automated analytics.

Analysts estimate that digitising assessments could significantly reduce operational costs in the long term while improving efficiency and transparency in the examination process.

Further reforms are outlined in the Kenya National Educational Assessments Council (KNEAC) Bill 2025, which proposes modernising learner testing with technologies such as electronic marking, AI-powered scoring,

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## VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Privatization Authority is a State Corporation established under Section 8 of the Privatization Act No. 18 of 2025, with the principal mandate of implementing the Privatization Programme and specific Privatization Proposals in accordance with the Programme.

The Authority is seeking to recruit qualified and self-motivated individuals to fill the following vacant positions: -

S/No	Position	Job Grade	No of Vacancies
1	Deputy Director, Information and Communication Technology	PA3	1
2	Assistant Director, Corporate Communications	PA4	1
3	Assistant Director, Internal Audit	PA4	1
4	Senior Administration Officer	PA6	1

Interested candidates may access detailed job specifications, duties and responsibilities for the positions and the experience required from our website [www.privatisation.go.ke](http://www.privatisation.go.ke)

Applications clearly citing the position should be sent to:

**The Managing Director  
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P.O. Box 34542 – 00100  
Social Security House – Annex, Bishop Road,  
10th Floor  
NAIROBI, KENYA**

Applications should be received not later than **5.00pm** on **Monday, 15th June 2026**.

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Any form of canvassing shall lead to automatic disqualification. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.



## Tender Notice

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

TENDER DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	PREBID DATE, TIME AND VENUE	CLOSING/OPENING DATE, TIME AND VENUE
1. <b>KRA/HQS/NCB-078/2025-2026:</b> Acquisition of Office Space for Kenya Revenue Authority in Rumuruti Town, Laikipia County for a period of Four (4) Years	OPEN	28 <sup>th</sup> May, 2026 11:00AM  VENUE: VIRTUAL	9 <sup>th</sup> June, 2026 11.00 AM  TIMES TOWER

Tender documents detailing the requirements of the above tenders may be obtained from the Kenya Revenue Authority website [www.kra.go.ke](http://www.kra.go.ke) and the Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)

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and real-time assessments.

Dr. Abdi made the announcement during a national knowledge-sharing and policy meeting organized by the Kenya National Commission for UNESCO in Naivasha.

He highlighted that Grade 10 learners have already settled into their chosen pathways, curriculum design for Grade 12 is complete, and teacher capacity-building is underway.

He reaffirmed the government's commitment to strengthening education policies and ensuring access for all.

Hassan Ali, Permanent Secretary for the Ministry of Education, Culture and Higher Education of Somalia, shared that his country has made significant progress in reviving its education sector after years of civil war.

He noted that Somalia has increased financing to improve access and quality, while also addressing challenges faced by pastoral and remote communities. Dr. James Njogu, Acting CEO of UNESCO Kenya, said the stakeholders' meeting aimed to harness research to inform education policies.

He added that UNESCO is currently supporting nine projects across Kenya and is finalising a report with recommendations to strengthen the sector.

# Counties tasked to enforce ban on alcohol, tobacco sales near schools

BY KIMANI TIRUS (KNA)

The Ministry of Health has reaffirmed the ban on alcohol and cigarette businesses operating near learning institutions across the country.

The Principal Secretary for the State Department of Public Health and Professional Standards, Mary Muthoni, directed that no business selling alcohol or cigarettes should operate near learning institutions, in a bid to protect learners from alcohol and drug abuse.

Muthoni also challenged county governments to ensure that all key stakeholders in the education sector enforce compliance with the directive.

"If you see such businesses near schools in your area and the county government is not acting let me know and I will come and shutdown that business," Ms. Muthoni said.

The PS, who was addressing a gathering in Muiri, Ol Kalou constituency in Nyandarua County, urged the public to observe hygiene during the rainy season saying many diseases break out during such



Principal Secretary State Department for Public Health and Professional Standards, Mary Muthoni addressing members of public in Muiri, Ol Kalou constituency in Nyandarua County.

rainy weather.

The PS called upon the people living in the same locality to ensure homes have toilets saying open defecation is a health hazard.

"People should clear stagnant waters and ensure there are toilets in their homesteads to avoid open defecation because when it rains

flood water can wash human waste to homes thus causing illnesses," the PS said.

On drug abuse and addiction among youth, Muthoni urged parents to be extra vigilant saying drugs are being sold in form of e-cigarette that looks like pens.

She said the Ministry of Health

has scaled up vigilance against importation of drugs and substances by seizing and destroying such imports before they leave the country's airports.

Concerning Community Health Promoters (CHPs) activities in Nyandarua, Muthoni said that over 18,840 households have been registered in the County.

She also noted that CHPs conducted 3,870 diabetes screening clinics where several people were referred to hospital for further care. "They have also screened 2400 people for hypertension and over 300 people were referred to hospital," added PS.

She said the national government is facilitating county governments to equip their health facilities to stop people from seeking services far away from their localities.

Muthoni said from July this year the Ministry of Health will start paying SHA contributions for the CHPs however added that they will continue getting their monthly stipend.

She warned men against self-medication saying the practice has seen many go to hospital when their conditions are at critical level.



## MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT

### NATIONAL VALIDATION OF THE DRAFT NATIONAL AGRI-FOOD SYSTEMS INVESTMENT PLAN (NASIP) 2026-2030

The Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development has implemented the first five years of the Agricultural Sector Transformation and Growth Strategy (ASTGS 2019-2029) guided by the National Agriculture Investment Plan (NAIP) 2019-2024. The ASTGS recommends a review of performance after the first five years of implementation with a view to develop an investment plan for the last phase which match the transformation needed.

In this regard, the Ministry has reviewed the performance of the NAIP (2019-2024) and developed the draft National Agri-food Systems Investment Plan (NASIP 2026-2030). The main objective of NASIP is to guide the implementation of the last five years of ASTGS 2019-2029 by mobilizing and guiding investments in line with the key lessons learnt.

The Ministry, plans to hold a National validation workshop on the draft NASIP from **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> to Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2026** for invited representatives of various stakeholders to validate the draft investment plan.

In line with the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 and the Statutory Instruments Act, 2013, the Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture and Livestock Development notifies the general public and all interested stakeholders on the intended National Validation on the draft NASIP 2026-2030 and requests for participation by submitting written comments or memoranda using the prescribed public comments form. Comments should reach the Ministry not later than **fourteen (14) days** from the date of publication of this notice.

Members of the public and interested persons may access the draft NASIP 2026 - 2030 and the comments form on <https://kilimo.go.ke/draft-policies-bills-and-draft-regulations-crops-sector/#1758273163094-175fba9d-cb6f>

Duly filled comments/feedback forms may also be submitted back via the following address:

**Principal Secretary  
State Department for Agriculture  
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development  
Kilimo House, Cathedral Road,  
P.O. Box 30028-00100 NAIROBI**

Or by e-mail: [psagriculture.research@kilimo.go.ke](mailto:psagriculture.research@kilimo.go.ke) or [cdarprincipalsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:cdarprincipalsecretary@gmail.com) and copy to [dirpolicy@kilimo.go.ke](mailto:dirpolicy@kilimo.go.ke)

**Sen. Mutahi Kagwe, EGH  
Cabinet Secretary  
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development**



## CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Geothermal Development Company's formation is a result of the enactment of the Energy Act No. 12 of 2006, after the adoption of Sessional Paper No. 4 on Energy in 2004 that unbundled the country's energy sector into five sub-sectors: generation, transmission, distribution, regulation and policy. GDC is in the generation sub-sector.

The company seeks to recruit top talent to complement the current team in implementing its mandate for the following position.

No.	Title of Position	Reference Number	Vacancies
1	The Managing Director & CEO (GDC1)	GDC/HRM/MD&CEO/MD/01/2026	1 Post

Please visit our career page on our website <https://www.gdc.co.ke/> for detailed job profiles and application instructions. Applications should reach the address below strictly through the application link (<https://jobs.gdc.co.ke/>) not later than **5.00 pm** on **25<sup>th</sup> June 2026** to the address below:

**Chairman  
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Kawi House, South C Bellevue | Popo Lane | Off Red Cross Road  
Nairobi Kenya**

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### Additional Requirements

Successful candidates will be expected to present the following in line with Chapter Six of the Constitution:

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- Clearance Certificate from the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB)
- Tax Compliance Certificate from Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA)
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# Wajir roads receive boost ahead of historic Madaraka Day celebrations

BY HAMDİ BUTHUL (KNA)

Roads and Transport Cabinet Secretary Davis Chirchir has inspected ongoing road and infrastructure projects in Wajir town ahead of this year's Madaraka Day celebrations, scheduled for June 1.

The inspection focused on key roads being upgraded to bitumen standards to improve accessibility, ease movement within the town, and support preparations for the national celebrations, which will be hosted in Wajir County for the first time.

Among the projects inspected are the upgrading of the Furaha Girls-Wajir Stadium Road, the Stadium Ring Road, and access roads leading to the County Commissioner's residence, Affordable Housing units, the County Police Commander's offices, and the Wajir Museum.

The CS also toured rehabilitation works along the Airport Gate-Basabra-Furaha School-Stadium Link Road, drainage enhancement works along the B13 Miyale Road and the access road leading to the County Aggregated Industrial Park (CAIPS).

Chirchir said several projects had recorded significant progress, with some nearing completion.

According to the Ministry,



Roads and Transport Cabinet Secretary, Davis Chirchir (second from right), Wajir Governor Ahmed Abdullah and Deputy Governor, Ahmed Muhumed, inspecting ongoing road projects in Wajir town alongside officials from the Kenya Urban Roads Authority ahead of the Madaraka Day celebrations scheduled for June 1.

access roads to the County Commissioner's residence, Affordable Housing area and Wajir Museum had reached 77.7 percent completion, while the Stadium Ring Road stood at 69.7 percent.

The rehabilitation of the Airport Gate-Basabra-Furaha School-Stadium Link Road had achieved 61.5 percent completion, with ongoing installation of kerbs, drainage construction and rein-

forcement works.

The Furaha Girls-Stadium road project had reached 55.2 percent completion, while the CAIPS access road stood at 55 percent. Drainage improvement works along the B13 Miyale Road had reached 39.5 percent completion.

The CS said the government was committed to ensuring all critical infrastructure projects are completed in time for the celebrations.

He noted that the road upgrades would not only support Madaraka Day activities but also improve mobility, trade and long-term urban development in Wajir County.

Contractors at the various sites reported steady progress, with ongoing works, including laying of asphalt concrete, installation of kerbs and channels, drainage construction, walkway priming and base layer processing.

The projects are being implemented under the Kenya Urban Roads Authority through different contractors, with hundreds of skilled and unskilled labourers engaged across the sites.

Wajir County is set to host this year's national Madaraka Day celebrations, with the government fast-tracking infrastructure and beautification works across the town ahead of the event.

The projects are being implemented under the Kenya Urban Roads Authority



## INVITATION TO TENDER

The Kenya Cultural Centre Incorporating the Kenya National Theatre (KCC) invites sealed bids from eligible candidates to tender for the provision of the following the design, supply, delivery, installation, configuration, testing, commissioning, and maintenance of an enterprise resource planning system – ERP at the Kenya Cultural Centre, Nairobi

Tender No	Tender Name	Closing Date and time
KCC/TN/002/2025-2026	THE DESIGN, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, CONFIGURATION, TESTING, COMMISSIONING, AND MAINTENANCE OF AN ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING SYSTEM – ERP AT THE KENYA CULTURAL CENTRE, NAIROBI	4th June 2026 at 10.00 am

Interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the Tender Documents from the KCC's website <https://www.kenyaculturalcentre.go.ke/tenders/> or visit the Supply Chain Management office, Kenya Cultural Centre, Harry Thuku Road opposite Norfolk Hotel during normal office working hours or reach the Procurement office through email address [procurement@kenyaculturalcentre.go.ke](mailto:procurement@kenyaculturalcentre.go.ke).

A complete set of the Tender Documents may be obtained upon payment of Ksh 1000 for hard copies payable in cash or bankers cheque to the Chief Executive Officer, Kenya Cultural Centre or downloaded Free of Charge at <https://www.kenyaculturalcentre.go.ke/tenders/>. Those who download the documents from the website must forward their particulars immediately for recording and any further clarifications and addenda to [procurement@kenyaculturalcentre.go.ke](mailto:procurement@kenyaculturalcentre.go.ke).

Completed tender documents, enclosed in a plain sealed envelope, marked with the tender number should be addressed to: -

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,  
KENYA CULTURAL CENTRE,  
P.O. BOX 43031 HARRY THUKU RD,  
NAIROBI**

and be deposited in the tender box provided at Kenya Cultural Centre, Nairobi, so as to be received on or before the date stated above.

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter at the Kenya Cultural Centre Boardroom, in the presence of the tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend the opening.



## MINISTRY OF INFORMATION, COMMUNICATIONS, AND THE DIGITAL ECONOMY

### STATE DEPARTMENT FOR ICT AND THE DIGITAL ECONOMY

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### CALL FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT NATIONAL DATA GOVERNANCE POLICY

The Ministry, through a multi-stakeholder committee "the Committee" has developed the draft National Data Governance Policy. This Policy aims to position data as a strategic national asset by establishing a unified framework for its governance, ensuring secure, ethical, and efficient management, while enabling data interoperability, sharing and innovation to improve service delivery and socio-economic outcomes.

In accordance with the requirements of the Constitution of Kenya, which mandates public participation in policy-making, the Ministry invites members of the public, stakeholders, and all interested parties to submit their views, comments, and recommendations on the proposed policy, which will inform its review.

The Policy is available on <https://ict.go.ke>

Written submissions should be submitted to the Committee using the provided template below not later than 05/06/2026 through electronic mail; [datagovernance@moict.go.ke](mailto:datagovernance@moict.go.ke) CC: [ps@ict.go.ke](mailto:ps@ict.go.ke) or to the address:

**Chair Person,  
Committee on National Data Governance Policy  
C/O Principal Secretary  
10th Floor, Telposta Towers  
P. O. Box 30025-00100  
Nairobi, Kenya**

### TEMPLATE TO SUBMIT COMMENTS

NAME OF ORGANISATION/INDIVIDUAL PERSON				
S/No	Section of the Policy	Provisions of the Policy*	Proposed Amendment**	Rationale for Amendment recommendation
1.				
2.				

\*Provide text on exact wording of the provision in the policy paragraph or sub paragraph

\*\*Provide the exact wording of how the proposed amendment to the policy paragraph or sub paragraph is proposed to read.



# Hundreds of learners to benefit as Kiambu County unveils new ECDE classrooms



Learners interacting outside the newly constructed ECDE classrooms in Kiambogo and Mbathi villages in Kijabe Ward. PHOTO: ELIZABETH NYAMOTAI

BY ELIZABETH NYAMOTAI  
(KNA)

Joy and excitement marked the commissioning of newly constructed Early Childhood Development Education (ECDE) classrooms in Kiambogo and Mbathi villages in Kijabe Ward, as the Kiambu County Government intensified efforts to improve access to quality early learning.

The modern classrooms, developed through a county government initiative, are expected to provide hundreds of young learners with a safer, more conducive, and child-friendly learning environment.

Residents, teachers and parents welcomed the development, describing it as a major step toward strengthening foundational education and improving the welfare of children in the area.

Teachers noted that the improved infrastructure would enhance learning outcomes by creating a comfortable environment that supports both academic growth and the overall well-being of learners.

Parents also praised the County government for investing in facilities that prioritize the safety and dignity of children.

According to Kiambu County Executive Committee Member (CECM) for Education, Dr. Mercy Njagi, the County has recorded a significant rise in ECDE enrollment following the expansion

of learning infrastructure and education support programs.

“The number of learners has increased from 32,000 to more than 50,000 over time, reflecting growing confidence among parents in the county’s education system” said the CECM for Education

The County government has so far constructed more than 512 modern ECDE centers across Kiambu, transforming early childhood education in areas, where some children previously learned under trees due to inadequate classrooms.

The lack of proper facilities had exposed learners to harsh weather conditions and disrupted effective learning.

Residents commended Governor Wamatangi, for what they termed as transformative leadership focused on improving public services and uplifting communities through education and development programs.

The governor reaffirmed his administration’s commitment to strengthening the ECDE sector, including plans to promote ECDE teachers and improve their

salaries and working conditions.

Beyond classroom construction, learners across the county continue to benefit from free learning materials, uniforms and school feeding programs that provide milk, porridge and eggs. Residents said the initiatives have eased the financial burden on parents while improving school attendance, concentration and the overall health of children.

Agnes Waruguru, a parent in the area, said the establishment of nearby ECDE centers has improved convenience and enhanced the safety of learners.

“It is now easier to take children to school because before they had to travel long distances, which exposed them to risks. Having schools nearby is more convenient and affordable. The free learning materials and feeding program have also greatly reduced the burden on parents,” she said.

The feeding program has also contributed to improved attendance and classroom concentration, as learners are able to study more effectively after receiving meals.

In recognition of his governance and community empowerment initiatives, Governor Wamatangi recently received the Distinguished Public Service and Governance Award from IFP Global Advocates of Peace Kenya, a UN-endorsed initiative.

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## SPORTS, ARTS AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

### ADDENDUM NOTICE

### CLARIFICATION ON FRAMEWORK AGREEMENTS IN CATEGORY RESERVATION STATUS

This addendum is issued to clarify the reservation status of the following Prequalification and Framework Agreement for Suppliers for Financial Year 2026/2027

All interested bidders are hereby informed to take note of the following correction:

NO.	Tender No	Description of Goods and Services	Reservation Status
1.	SAF/FRA/019/2026-2027	Supply and Delivery of Branded Sports Kits and Sports Equipment.	RESERVED
2.	SAF/FRA/020/2026-2027	Provision of Foreign Travel Insurance Services.	OPEN TO ALL BIDDERS

Please note that this is a correction to the earlier indication where Category 20 was marked as reserved and Category 19 as open. The correct position is that:

- **Category 19 is RESERVED, and**
- **Category 20 is OPEN TO ALL BIDDERS.**

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged. Kindly take note accordingly.



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## PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETING ON TARIFF ADJUSTMENT AND LICENCING

The Water Services Regulatory Board (WASREB) has received application from Narok Water And Sewerage Services Company Limited (NARWASSCO) for License application and Tariff review. This application is submitted in line with Section 72(1)(b) of the Water Act 2016, aiming to enable full cost recovery to ensure sustainable service delivery and facilitate critical investments for improved water services.

Therefore, in compliance to WASREB principal object under the Water Act 2016 Section 70(1)–“**protection of the interests and rights of consumers in the provision of water services**”, Section 87(1)– “**An application for a licence and tariff shall be subject to public participation**” read together with the provision of Section 139, we hereby notify the public of upcoming consultation meetings. These meetings will provide stakeholders an opportunity to express their views on current service delivery, proposed licensing conditions, tariff adjustments and potential service improvements.

Please note that the Water Service Provider shall hold hybrid public consultation meetings (physical and virtual) as outlined below.

Water Service Provider (WSP)	COUNTY	VENUE	DATE AND TIME	TYPE OF APPLICATION
Narok Water And Sewerage Services Company Limited (NARWASSCO)	Narok	Narok North Youth Empowerment Centre, opposite TSC Building, Narok Town	16th June 2026 at 10.00 a.m.	License and Tariff Adjustment

Important information:

- The WSP is required to engage with stakeholders in different zones within its service area before the scheduled public consultation and submit a report to the Regulatory Board.
- Members of the public in respective areas are invited to make oral and written submissions and ask any questions that may relate to the provision of water services in their areas.
- Details regarding the proposed tariff adjustment, minor investments, and performance targets can be accessed at [www.wasreb.go.ke](http://www.wasreb.go.ke).

Written comments on the application can be emailed to WASREB at [info@wasreb.go.ke](mailto:info@wasreb.go.ke). Hard copies can be submitted to:

The Chief Executive Officer,  
Water Services Regulatory Board,  
5th Floor SHA Building,  
Ngong Road,  
P.O Box 41621 -00100, NAIROBI.

The closing date for receipt of comments is 30 days after the publication of this notice.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
WATER SERVICES REGULATORY BOARD

Water Services for All



# KAIST University to start admissions following recent charter award

BY ANNE KANGERO (KNA)

The Kenya Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST) University, located in Konza City, Machakos County, will now recruit outstanding professors and admit top students after being awarded a charter. Prof. Emmanuel Mutisya, Chair of the KAIST University Council, made the remarks during a celebratory ceremony at the institution following the granting of the charter by President William Ruto.

Prof. Mutisya said the charter gives the institution authority to run its activities independently, adding that admissions are scheduled to begin in the first quarter of the next financial year.

The first cohort, he added, would include 110 Master's students and 24 PhD candidates who will focus on specialized post graduate STEM education.

"This University will target a small number of outstanding students in Kenya and abroad, who will drive Kenya's Industrial development as we plan to gradually expand enrollment in subsequent years," added Prof

Mutisya. He pointed out that KAIST will initially offer programs in ICT engineering covering artificial intelligence, robotics and cybersecurity and agricultural biotechnology, focusing on food science and crop production.

He disclosed that all admitted students will receive full scholarships to allow them focus entirely on studies and research, adding their innovations would be commercialized and help grow industries.

He added that they are collaborating with various elite partners from all over the world to help in fostering innovations and advancing academic relevance.

"We are working with partners from universities and industries all over the world to push Kenya to be a first world country and ensure that our scholars gain skills to compete with powerhouses

**This University will target a small number of outstanding students in Kenya and abroad, to drive Kenya's Industrial development**

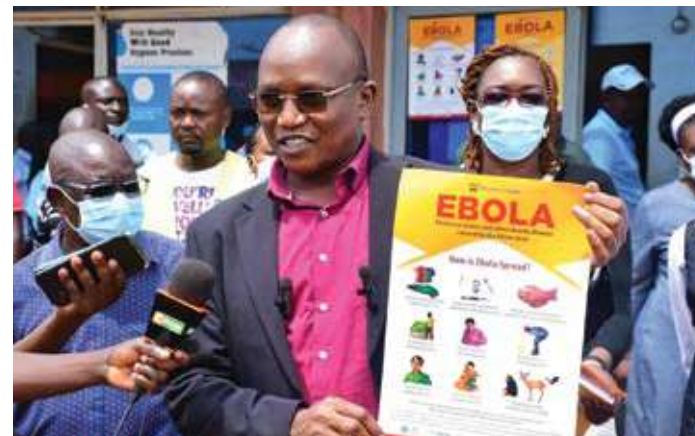


Prof. Emmanuel Mutisya Chair of KAIST council together with Seo Hwang, Vice President Korea Eximbank at Konza Technopolis during the celebration of KAIST University charter award. Photo by Anne Kangero.

like South Korea, Singapore, and some European countries," noted Prof. Mutisya.

On his part, Seo Hwang - Vice President, Korea Eximbank, said the institution's partnerships with universities and industries in Kenya, South Korea, China and Sweden, among others will ensure it meets global standards.

On his part, Prof. Robert Gateru - Vice Chancellor, Riara University said the charter award marks the beginning of a new chapter for Kenya's higher education, with KAIST envisioned as a specialized university of the future that will drive modernization and industrial growth.



Busia County Deputy Governor, Arthur Odera, addressing the media after assessment of the preparedness of the Port Health unit at the Busia border point on handling the Ebola virus.

## Busia County steps up Ebola screening at border crossing

BY SALOME ALWANDA AND RODGERS OMONDI (KNA)

The County Government of Busia has heightened surveillance and screening measures at the Busia border point following concerns over the Ebola outbreak reported in Uganda and the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC).

Health officials say the county is on high alert to prevent the virus from entering Kenya through the busy border crossing. Speaking during an assessment of preparedness

at the Port Health Unit at the Busia border point, Busia County Deputy Governor and County Executive Committee Member (CECM) for Health, Arthur Odera, said the county has established strict screening measures for all incoming travelers. "We have a screening unit here at the border to screen passengers for symptoms of Ebola disease, with staff manning it 24 hours a day. We have also engaged the Red Cross to set up a screening unit specifically for pedestrians to ensure that 100 percent of incoming traffic is screened," he said.



### MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES AUTHORITY REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (RE-EOI)

**Introduction**

The Government is promoting the Bottom-Up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA). It recognises the role played, by MSME sectors in income generation, wealth & job creation, increased foreign exchange earnings, and poverty reduction.

The Authority's mandate is conceptualized to support the MSE sector through promotion, development, regulation, and institutional capacity building. The Authority has aligned its strategy to, the bottom-up transformation Agenda (BETA) and the emerging issues in the sector. Through this, the Authority aims to create a conducive operating environment for the MSEs and increase market access locally, regionally, and internationally, by operationalizing the existing Cold storage (s) Centres through established partnerships.

The Request for Expression of Interest (REOI) is intended to identify reputable and qualified firm(s).

The Micro and Small Enterprises Authority (MSEA) invites sealed bids from eligible firms for the following assignment;

Tender No.	Description of the Request for Expression of Interest	Opening Date	Bid Drop-off
MSEA/REOI/01/2026-2027	Expression of Interest for Operationalization of Cold Storage Facilities in Nyandarua, Meru and Kisii Counties	9th June 2026	MSEA tender box (located at Utalii House, Mezzanine one Floor).

The Expression of Interest for the above assignment may be obtained from the MSEA Website: [www.msea.go.ke/](http://www.msea.go.ke/) [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) at no fee.

Further clarifications may be inquired through [Procurement@msea.go.ke](mailto:Procurement@msea.go.ke) not later than **seven (7) days** from the date of closing/opening of the EOIs.

Written Expression of Interest must be deposited in the Tender box situated at MSEA Utalii House, Mezzanine Floor in plain sealed envelopes and marked with the Tender reference number, name and addressed to:

**The Director General/CEO,  
Micro and Small Enterprises Authority  
P.O. Box 48823 00100 Nairobi,  
Not later than 11.00 am on 9th June 2026.**

**HENRY RITHAA  
DIRECTOR GENERAL/CEO**



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### TENDER NOTICE

The Anti-Counterfeit Authority (ACA) is established under the Anti-Counterfeiting Act, No. 13 of 2008, within the Ministry of Investments, Trade, and Industry (MITI). The Authority Invites sealed bids from eligible firms for the following tender;

S/NO	TENDER NO	DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	ADVERTISEMENT DATE	CLOSING DATE
1	ACA/OT/002/2025-2026	Proposed Repairs, Refurbishment and Maintenance Works at ACA Godown No. 16 in Athi River.	Open National Tender	26 <sup>th</sup> May, 2026	8 <sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 11.00Am.

Interested eligible tenderers may obtain further information and inspection of the tender documents at **Supply Chain Management Office, Anti-Counterfeit Authority National Water Plaza 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor** during normal working hours beginning on the date of the advert.

The tender documents may be downloaded from the website [www.aca.go.ke](http://www.aca.go.ke) and [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) bidders who download the tender document from the website must forward their particulars immediately to [eprocurement@aca.go.ke](mailto:eprocurement@aca.go.ke) to facilitate any further tender clarifications and addenda. Downloaded copies are Free.

Tenders must be accompanied by a tender security/tender securing declaration form where applicable in the form and amount specified and must be placed in the tender box, located at the reception in plain sealed envelope clearly labelled with the tender number and tender description before the closing date to the following address: -

**The Executive Director  
Anti-Counterfeit Authority, Headquarters  
P.O Box 47771-00100.  
National Water Plaza 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Dunga Road, Industrial Area Nairobi**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend at Anti-Counterfeit Authority Main Boardroom. Late Tenders will not be accepted.

# Focus shifts to practical skills in education overhaul

BY PHILIP ONYANGO (KNA)

Kenya is implementing far-reaching reforms across the education sector aimed at strengthening competence, productivity, and relevance, Cabinet Secretary for Education Julius Migos Ogamba has said. In a speech read on his behalf by the Principal Secretary in the State Department for Technical

and Vocational Education and Training (TVET), Dr. Esther Muoria, during the first graduation ceremony at Ugenya Technical and Vocational College, Ogamba said the shift towards Competency-Based Education and Training is intended to ensure learners acquire practical skills that are applicable in society and the economy. He noted that the Ministry of Education continues to strengthen

alignment between basic education, TVET and university education through the Kenya National Qualifications Framework to support seamless progression across learning pathways. "We now have a policy, the Kenya Credit Accumulation and Transfer System (KCATS), developed together with universities, where one can transfer credits progressively earned all the way



**Dr. Esther Muoria, PS State Department for Technical and Vocational Education, delivers a speech during the first graduation ceremony at Ugenya Technical and Vocational College in Siaya County.**

to Doctor of Philosophy level," he said.

Ogamba challenged TVET graduates to pursue higher education and

continue sharpening their skills to remain competitive in the labour market.

He observed that demand for technically

competent workers continues to grow both locally and internationally across all sectors, urging TVET institutions to shift focus from training for certification to training for competence.

"The success of TVETs must not simply be measured by enrolment and graduation numbers, but by whether graduates possess the competence required by industry and whether they can create enterprises, improve productivity and solve real-world challenges," said Ogamba.

# Government pledges reforms to strengthen Kenya's retail sector



**Ministry of Investment, Trade and Industry Cabinet Secretary, Lee Kinyanjui (third from right), during the Retrak 2nd Retail Summit in Nairobi. PHOTO: CATHERINE ODOYO**

BY CATHERINE ODOYO (KNA)

The Government has reaffirmed its commitment to strengthening Kenya's retail sector through policy reforms aimed at boosting purchasing power, stabilizing the economy, and promoting local sourcing.

Speaking in Nairobi during the RETRAK 2nd Retail Summit, Cabinet Secretary for Investment, Trade and Industry Lee Kinyanjui said the sector remains a key pillar of economic growth due to its role in linking producers to consumers.

"The government recognizes the big role played by the retail sector because it does the last mile connection," said Kinyanjui, noting that the expansion of retail outlets into smaller towns reflects the sector's growing footprint.

The Summit that was held at Sarit Expo Centre and sponsored by NCBA Bank, Lop Biz, Equity

Bank and Network International, convened key industry players, policymakers and development partners to discuss challenges and explore opportunities in the retail sector. Kinyanjui attributed the growth of the retail sector to Kenya's expanding middle class and increasing urbanization, which continue to drive consumer demand. However, he acknowledged that reduced purchasing power has slowed consumption.

"When the purchasing power of the citizens is compromised, the baskets from the supermarket become smaller," he said. To address this, Kinyanjui said the government has implemented measures, including lowering interest rates to encourage borrowing and increase liquidity in the economy.

"When there is more circulation in the economy, people get that money, they finally come and buy something from the retail outlets,"

he explained.


The Cabinet Secretary revealed plans to ease the tax burden on low-income earners, allowing households to retain more disposable income.

Additionally, he said the government is accelerating the settlement of pending bills owed to suppliers, having allocated about Sh80 billion in the previous financial year and more in the current budget.

"When they are paid, the first place they rush to is to buy something to take home. Again, it affects the economy," he said, urging county governments to also clear outstanding payments.

On financial markets, Kinyanjui noted that declining Treasury Bill and Bond rates have increased liquidity within banks, creating an opportunity for enhanced lending to the private sector.

He also cited the stability and availability of the Kenyan shilling as a major boost for retailers.



**MINISTRY OF MINING, BLUE ECONOMY AND MARITIME AFFAIRS**

**STATE DEPARTMENT FOR THE BLUE ECONOMY AND FISHERIES**

CALL FOR COMMENTS AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON THE PROPOSED DRAFT PRAWN FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN AND THE PROPOSED DRAFT OCTOPUS FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN

The State Department for the Blue Economy and Fisheries through the Kenya Fisheries Service invites the public to provide inputs on the Proposed Draft **Prawn Fishery Management Plan** and the **Proposed Draft Octopus Fishery Management Plan**.

The proposed draft plans are made pursuant to section 39 of the Fisheries Management and Development Act, Cap 378.

The objectives of the Proposed Draft Prawn Fishery Management Plan are: -

- maintain the prawn stocks at a sustainable level;
- minimize the fishery impacts on the ecosystem;
- maximize socio-economic benefits from the fishery;
- improve governance of the prawn fishery, and;
- mitigate the effects of climate change and promote ecosystem and community resilience

The objectives of the Proposed Draft Octopus Fishery Management Plan are: -

- maintain sustainable octopus stocks;
- minimize the fishery impacts to ecosystem health;
- maximize socio-economic benefits from the fishery to fishers and across the value chain;
- Improve governance of the octopus fishery, and;
- Mitigate the effects of climate change and promote ecosystem and community resilience

The prawn and octopus fishery management plans are to establish a coherent, enforceable, and evidence-based framework for the protection and promotion of the said fisheries within the marine water's ecosystems. The plans are therefore designed to strengthen regulatory implementation, operational practice, institutional capacity and sectoral sustainability in a manner that is practical, measurable and context-appropriate.

The plans will be useful to policy makers, fishers, fish inspectors, researchers, transporters, processors, consumers, development partners in the prawn and octopus marine fisheries and other stakeholders along the value chains of octopus and prawn Fisheries.

The development of the plans was spearheaded by the State Department for the Blue Economy and Fisheries (SDBE&F) in collaboration with the Kenya Fisheries Service (KeFS), Kenya Marine Fisheries Research Institute (KMFRI), Coastal County Governments and the Council of Governors with technical and financial support from Kenya Marine Fisheries Social Economic Development Project, (KEMFSED) and The Nature Conservancy (TNC).

All stakeholders including government and private sector players, development partners and members of the public are hereby invited to submit their views on the draft proposed plans. The plans can be downloaded from our websites [www.mibema.go.ke](http://www.mibema.go.ke), and [www.kefs.go.ke](http://www.kefs.go.ke)

Comments should be addressed to the Principal Secretary, State Department for the Blue Economy and Fisheries and submitted through email address [ps@blueeconomy.go.ke](mailto:ps@blueeconomy.go.ke) and copied to [fibes@blueeconomy.go.ke](mailto:fibes@blueeconomy.go.ke) and [info@kefs.go.ke](mailto:info@kefs.go.ke) not later than **5:00 pm on 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026**


Use the template provided below for your submission.

	Part/section suggested for amendment	Suggested amendment	Justification/Comment
1.			
2.			

This call for comments will last from **26<sup>th</sup> May, 2026 to 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2026**

**NOTE:** The State Department for the Blue Economy and Fisheries will convene a National Validation Workshop on **22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2026**. However, comments will be received until **5:00 pm on 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2026**.

**The principal Secretary**  
**State Department for the Blue Economy and Fisheries**  
**14th Floor, SHA Building Rigati Road**  
**P.O Box 58187 – 00200 Nairobi**



## Solar mini-grid initiative lights up remote parts of Isiolo County

BY DAVID NDURO (KNA)

The Government has rolled out a solar mini-grid programme aimed at expanding electricity access to residents living in remote and off-grid parts of Isiolo County as part of efforts to promote clean and

affordable energy across the country.

The first phase of the programme was launched in Kipsing, Oldonyiro Sub-County, where more than 2,400 residents are expected to benefit from a reliable electricity supply for the first time. The



Isiolo County Governor Ibrahim Hassan Guyo accompanies Energy Principal Secretary Alex Wachira during the launch of the solar mini-grid electricity project at Kipsing market in Isiolo County.

project was commissioned by the Principal Secretary in the State Department for Energy, Alex Wachira, who said the national government has allocated Sh9.6 billion for the construction of 114 solar mini-grids in 14 counties.

Wachira said the initiative is intended to bridge the electricity access gap in isolated regions that remain outside the national grid network, noting that the programme would improve livelihoods and stimulate economic growth in marginalized areas.

The PS added that households in the targeted areas will only be required to pay Sh1,000 for electricity connection to enable more families access affordable power.

“This programme is aimed at ensuring that communities living in remote areas are not left behind in accessing electricity,” he said.

Governor Ibrahim Guyo said the County would support vulnerable families unable to raise the connection fees under the six mini-grid projects planned within Isiolo County.

## Tana River cooperatives get solar milk coolers to boost dairy production

BY HUSSEIN ABDULLAHI (KNA)

The Principal Secretary of the State Department for Cabinet Affairs, Dr. Idris Dokota, has commissioned two solar-powered milk coolers, each with a capacity of 1,000 litres, for Tana River cooperative societies to boost dairy farming.

Dr. Dokota said the solar-powered milk cooling systems target small-scale producers and seek to combat post-harvest losses and off-grid power challenges. The solar-powered bulk milk coolers were handed over to Hola Milk Vendors and Delta Dairy Cooperatives.

Dr. Dokota reiterated the National Government's commitment to unlocking the economic potential of the livestock subsector through targeted policies and impactful programmes.

The PS said the initiative seeks to improve milk preservation, reduce post-harvest losses and increase incomes for dairy farmers in pastoralist communities.

“The initiative is expected to contribute to increase in household incomes among targeted pastoralist communities directly benefiting 600 farmers through improved preservation, value addition and expanded markets,” he said. Dr. Dokota said the two coolers will enable local farmers to aggregate up to 2,000 litres of milk daily valued at approximately Sh98,000.

He went on: “Annually this will save about 730,000 litres of milk worth Sh35.8 million



Principal Secretary for the State Department for Cabinet Affairs Dr. Idris Dokota when he launched two solar-powered milk coolers in Hola town.

while also reducing energy costs through the use of renewable solar power technology.”

He said the coolers are being distributed under the Livestock Value Chain Support Project which aims to transition small-scale farmers from subsistence to commercial dairy farming by improving infrastructure and supporting access to formal markets.

Speaking during the event in Hola town, Dr. Dokota urged more farmers to join cooperatives to utilize the new facilities and keep more milk fresh.

Dr. Dokota noted that consumers will benefit from improved food safety standards resulting from better milk preservation and reduced bacterial contamination, while stable milk supply and improved quality will contribute significantly

**“The initiative is expected to contribute to increase in household incomes among targeted pastoralist communities**

to household nutrition and food security.

“Bulk milk coolers are not merely storage facilities but are economic empowerment hubs capable of transforming milk into wealth, jobs, nutrition and opportunities for rural communities,” he said.

The cooling system will benefit smallholder farmers in remote pastoral areas to store milk safely until it reaches collection centres and markets.

The PS emphasized that for many decades farmers in rural and pastoralist areas have suffered major losses due to milk spoilage caused by inadequate cold chain systems and delayed transportation to processing facilities.

He stated that reduced milk handling losses and transport challenges will encourage farmers to invest in improved dairy breeds, better feeds and modern dairy production practices.

“The milk coolers seek to enhance value addition and help the local farmers with limited access to the national electricity grid reduce losses by preserving more milk,” he said.



### RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND RENEWABLE ENERGY CORPORATION

#### INVITATION TO TENDER

PROCURING ENTITY: Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation P.O Box 34585 - 00100 Nairobi.

The Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation invites sealed bids for the following tenders/Contracts. CONTRACT NAME AND DESCRIPTION as follows;

RFX No.	Contract name and Descriptions	Bid Security	Closing/Opening Date
1000001592	Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Solar High-mast Floodlights in Migori, Kisii, Nakuru, Kitui, Bomet, Busia, Siaya Homabay, Machakos and Nairobi Counties	Required, Amounts in the TDS	16.06.2026 @10.00am
1000001593	Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Solar Street Lights in Kiambu and Nakuru Counties	Required, Amounts in the TDS	16.06.2026 @10.00am
1000001594	Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Battery Replacement and Upgrade Works in Lowareng, Eliye (Ile) Springs, Biamadhow, Sangailu, Kiliwahehi, Shimbir Fatuma And Burduras Solar Mini-Grids	Required, Amounts in the TDS	22.06.2026 @10.00am
1000001595	Supply Installation Testing and Commissioning of Battery Replacement in Eldera, Garsweino, Gari, Illaut, Balesa, Ambalo, Napelilim, Lopoduru, Basir, Riba, Sarman, Gurar and Hadado Solar Mini-Grids	Required, Amounts in the TDS	22.06.2026 @10.00am
1000001596	Purchase of Land within Eldoret City - Retender	Required, Amounts in the TDS	26.06.2026 @10.00am

- Tendering will be conducted under open competitive method (**National**) using a standardized tender document.
- Qualified and interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the Tender Documents during office hours **8.00am - 12.45pm to 1.45pm-4.00pm Monday to Friday** at the address given below.
- A complete set of tender documents may be viewed and downloaded by interested tenderers **free of charge electronically** from the Website [www.rerec.co.ke](http://www.rerec.co.ke) under May, 2026 tender documents, through the e-procurement portal using <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal> and on the Public Procurement Information Portal <https://tenders.go.ke>.  
Tenderers who are not yet registered with REREC must register their companies in order to participate in the tender using link below that can be found from the website [www.rerec.co.ke](http://www.rerec.co.ke) Procurement-Supplier registration: [https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44200/supportal\(bD1IbZjPTUwMCZkPW1pbg==\)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW\\_ANCHOR-ROS\\_TOP](https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44200/supportal(bD1IbZjPTUwMCZkPW1pbg==)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW_ANCHOR-ROS_TOP)
- Tenders shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings and shall include all taxes. Tenders shall remain valid for **147 days** from the date of opening of tenders.
- Tenders must be accompanied by bank tender security of amount as specified in the TDS. Original bid security must be submitted in the tender box before closing date and time indicated in the table above.
- The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted.
- Completed tenders must be delivered to the SRM portal; <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal> with scanned documents uploaded to the collaboration folder on or before closing/opening date and time as indicated above. A guide on tender submission labelled (**Quick bidding reference**) can be found in the REREC website <https://www.rerec.co.ke/Supplier-Bidding-Quick-reference-guide.pdf>
- Only Electronic Tenders will be permitted.**
- Any addendum to this tender shall be uploaded to the Corporation's website [www.rerec.co.ke](http://www.rerec.co.ke) under the specific tender documents.
- Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified above or any dead line date and time specified later. Tenders will be publicly opened in the presence of the Tenderers' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below.
- Late tenders will be rejected.**
- The addresses referred to above are:

#### Address for obtaining further information on tender documents

For hand Courier, Original Bid security delivered to the tender Box (Kawi Complex, Block C, Ground floor, Off Popo Road.). Contact Manager, Supply chain management, telephone number: 0709193000 and e-mail address: [tenders@rerec.co.ke](mailto:tenders@rerec.co.ke)

#### Address for Submission of Tenders:

Online only through <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal>

#### Address for Opening of Tenders:

Kawi Complex, Block C, Ground floor, Online system

**DR. ROSE N. MKALAMA**  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

# Government raises alarm over spike in violence against women and children

BY CELESTINE LOMOLIJAH (KNA)

The Government has raised concern over the rising cases of gender-based violence (GBV), femicide, and child abuse in the country, warning that the trend has reached crisis levels and requires urgent, coordinated intervention.

Cabinet Secretary for Gender, Culture and Children's Services, Hannah Cheptumo, said recent incidents of violence against women and children underscore the urgent need to strengthen protection systems and foster collective action across all sectors of society.

Cheptumo, accompanied by the Culture and Heritage Principal Secretary, Ummi Bashir and her Children Welfare Services counterpart, Carren Ageng'o, reaffirmed the government's commitment to safeguarding vulnerable persons and strengthening child protection mechanisms across the country.

"The Ministry has noted with deep concern the rising cases of gender-based violence and femicide across the country alongside increasing concerns regarding violence, abuse, neglect, exploitation, emotional harm and indignity against chil-



Cabinet Secretary for Gender, Culture, the Arts, and Heritage Hannah Wendot Cheptumo (c) Principal Secretary for the State Department for Culture and Heritage Ummi Bashir (left) her counterpart for Children Welfare Services, Carren Ageng'o (right) addressing media on the rising incidents of gender-based violence. PHOTO: ARON KINYAMASYO

dren," said Cheptumo.

She cited several recent incidents, including the alleged killing of Rachel Wandeto, who was reportedly doused with petrol and set ablaze over political differences, the fatal stabbing of a 25-year-old woman in Kilimani and the death of a Form Three student in Nyamira allegedly attacked by her boyfriend, who later died by suicide.

"These are not isolated trage-

dies, but indicators of a growing national crisis that demands urgent, coordinated and sustained action from all sectors of our society," she said.

The CS noted that the government remained firmly committed to protecting all persons from violence, abuse and exploitation in line with the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the Children's Act 2022 and other existing laws and policies.

She emphasized that children remain the foundation of the nation and that their protection is both a legal obligation and a shared responsibility among families, institutions, leaders and communities. "The protection of women, girls and all vulnerable persons from GBV and femicide remains a national priority requiring decisive and collective intervention," she added.

Cheptumo said the Ministry was working closely with law enforcement agencies, county governments, development partners and community structures to strengthen prevention, reporting, rescue, rehabilitation and survivor support systems.

Among the measures being undertaken are fast-tracking prosecutions of perpetrators, strengthening enforcement mechanisms and enhancing penalties for offenders involved in femicide, acid attacks, trafficking and child abuse cases.

She announced the expansion of safe houses, one-stop crisis centres, child rescue and rehabilitation services, as well as the strengthening of mandatory reporting protocols for health workers, pharmacists, teachers, media practitioners and community leaders.

The Ministry is also rolling out nationwide awareness campaigns, aimed at addressing harmful social norms and toxic masculinity while promoting responsible parenting and ethical media reporting.

Cheptumo called on the public to promptly report cases involving missing children, violence, abuse, trafficking, online exploitation and femicide through the National Child Helpline 116, the GBV toll-free line 1195, WhatsApp line 0722488444, police stations and children's offices located in every sub-county. "Timely reporting is critical to enable swift intervention, investigations, rescue operations, rehabilitation and access to justice for affected persons," she said.

According to data from the Child Protection Information System, a total of 10,581 child-related cases were reported between January 1, 2025 and March 31, 2026. Of these, 6,820 were abandonment cases, 1,952 involved abduction while 1,638 were reported through Helpline 116.

Cheptumo said 295 of the reported cases had been resolved through reintegration of rescued children back to their families, while 173 trafficking cases had also been recorded.



## KENYA REINSURANCE CORPORATION LIMITED

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited (Kenya Re) is a Government-owned entity, a leading reinsurer listed on the Nairobi Securities Exchange (NSE). It is also rated B by A.M. Best and AA+ by the Global Credit Rating Company (GCR).

Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited (Kenya Re) invites applications from suitably qualified candidates to fill the following positions at its Head Office in Nairobi, Kenya:

No.	Position	Location	Job grade	Terms & Conditions	No. of vacancies
1.	Manager Risk and Compliance	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
2.	Manager Claims	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
3.	Manager Retakaful	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
4.	Manager Research and Development	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
5.	Manager Human Resource Management	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
6.	Manager Property	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
7.	Manager Investments	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
8.	Asst. Manager Supply chain	Kenya	3C	Permanent	1
9.	Asst. Manager Retakaful	Kenya	3C	Permanent	1
10.	Chief Accountant	Kenya	4C	Permanent	1
11.	Senior Human Resource Officer	Kenya	3B	Permanent	1

#### Terms and Conditions of service

These positions will be on permanent and pensionable terms of employment, in accordance with the provisions of the Corporation's Human Resource Policy and Procedures Manual and the schedule above.

The detailed job specifications, job descriptions, requirements for appointment, and instructions on how to apply can be accessed on the Kenya Re website under the Careers section.

Applicants should indicate their current or most recent salary in their CV, as well as whether they are persons living with a disability. They should submit, either by post or email, their CV, credentials, and cover letter (as attachments), quoting the position applied for and outlining how they meet the requirements for the position, addressed to:

The Human Resource Manager  
Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited  
P. O Box 30271, 00100 GPO  
NAIROBI  
E-mail: [recruitmentkrc@kenyare.co.ke](mailto:recruitmentkrc@kenyare.co.ke)  
Closing Date: 10<sup>th</sup> June 2026



## KENYA REINSURANCE CORPORATION LIMITED

### INVITATION TO TENDER

The Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Ltd invites sealed tenders from eligible candidates for the following items as detailed in the tender document:

TENDER NO	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	TENDER SECURITY (KSHS.)	TENDER SUBMISSION FORMAT	TENDER SUBMISSION DATE
KRC/2026/2788/175	REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES ON STRATEGIC PLANNING (2027-2031)	130,000.00	SEPARATE TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL PROPOSALS	9 <sup>th</sup> JUNE 2026 AT 10:00AM

Prospective bidders may download the tender documents from the Kenya Reinsurance Corporation website [www.kenyare.co.ke](http://www.kenyare.co.ke) free of charge or Public Procurement Portal [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke). Tender documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly bearing the correct tender number and name should be deposited in the Tender Box located on the 16<sup>th</sup> floor of Reinsurance Plaza Aga Khan Walk NAIROBI or be sent to:-

Group Managing Director  
Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited  
Reinsurance Plaza Nairobi  
Aga Khan Walk  
P.O. Box 30271 - 00100 NAIROBI

To be received before or on 9<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 10:00 am as detailed in the invitation to tender. Tenders will be opened the same day and time in the Corporation's Boardroom in the presence of bidders or their representative who choose to attend. Tenders that are delivered after the submission deadline will be rejected.

Prices quoted **MUST** be expressed in Kenya Shillings as detailed in the invitation to tender inclusive of Kenyan Government taxes (VAT, WITHHOLDING TAX) and should remain valid for a period of 120 days from the date of closing of the tender.

Bidders who download the tender documents from the Corporation website or the Public Procurement Portal **MUST** forward their particulars immediately via email to [procurement@kenyare.co.ke](mailto:procurement@kenyare.co.ke). This is for record and any further tender clarifications and addendum where necessary. The particulars should include: Name of Firm, Postal Address, Telephone Number, Email Address, Tender Number and Tender Name. The said e-mail may be used for clarification.

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

## FEATURE: FROM CROP FAILURE TO AQUACULTURE

# Siaya farmers convert failed crop fields into fish pond enterprise

BY CALVIN OTIENO(KNA)

In Kanyibok Village, West Yimbo Ward, Bondo Sub-County in Siaya County, near the shores of Lake Victoria, abandoned flood-damaged farms are gradually being transformed into fish ponds.

What was once a stretch of waterlogged land where maize crops repeatedly failed now glistens under the afternoon sun, with dozens of neatly arranged rectangular ponds lined up beside each other, while new ones are still being constructed.

Curious children often stand at the edges of the ponds, watching as fingerlings dart through the water. Meanwhile, a farmer moves around carrying feed in a plastic bucket, scattering it across the ponds.

Among them is 48-year-old Pamela Oduor who never imagined she would one day become a fish farmer from a farming maize and millet and an occasional fish monger.

“For years we depended entirely on maize farming,” she says while scattering

feeds into one of the ponds. “But every rainy season the floods destroy everything.”

The persistent flooding affecting parts of Bondo and Rarieda sub-counties has increasingly forced families living near the lake basin to search for alternative sources of income.

Some residents migrated to urban areas while others still carry out fishing by boats in the lake. But with declining fish stock in Lake Victoria and rising operational costs, many households remained economically vulnerable.

It is this situation that encouraged several local groups to experiment with small-scale aquaculture as an alternative livelihood. At first, only a handful of residents showed interest.

Many feared the ponds would simply overflow during heavy rains while others believed fish farming required large amounts of money beyond the reach of ordinary families.

“We thought it was something done by big investors,” says Oduor. “Most people here had never even seen a fish pond up close.”

With support from agricultural officers and community-based organizations,



**A ready fish pond with another pond to be filled beside it at Pamela Oduor's homestead.**

interested farmers were taken through basic training on pond construction, water management and fish feeding practices.

Today, the once idle land has gradually transformed into a busy network of ponds producing tilapia and catfish for nearby markets and hotels even in the far parts of Siaya that rely on fish supply.

At Pamela's homestead she points to a pond that is ready for harvest as the fish have grown to the required weight of 350 to 500 grams, this has taken about five to six months and she says from one single standard fish pond measuring 100-300 square meters can fetch her upwards of Ksh 70,000 in gross revenue per harvest.

“You can typically

harvest tilapia once or twice a year if you manage them well” she says.

Pamela discloses that she usually stocks mono-sex males in most of her ponds, this she explains is because males grow roughly 30% faster than females and reach market weight much quicker, which makes for shorter harvesting periods and more steady supply to her customers.

The catch attracts immediate buyers from nearby shopping centres, hotels and roadside traders who prefer pond fish because of its reliable supply and predictable table weight.

Twenty-six-year-old Collins Onyango who has been mentored by Pamela in aquaculture and is now a fish pond owner, says fish farming has given many young people a reason to remain in the village instead of migrating to towns in search of casual jobs.

“Some youths had already

lost hope in farming because crops kept failing,” he says. “But now people are starting to see farming differently.”

Apart from income generation, residents like Pamela say the ponds have also helped improve food security within households.

Families that previously struggled to harvest enough maize now supplement their meals with fish while some have started small vegetable gardens around the ponds using recycled water for irrigation.

Rows of sukuma wiki, onions and tomatoes now flourish beside the ponds creating pockets of green across areas that once appeared abandoned after floods.

Extension officers in the region say integrated farming methods are becoming increasingly important as climate change continues affecting traditional farming patterns around the lake basin.

## PAK inks deal to build AI, digital skills capacity for learners, tutors

BY DOUGLAS NAMUNANE

Thousands of learners and tutors are set to benefit from an artificial intelligence and digital skills empowerment training programme to be rolled out by the Presidential Awards Kenya in collaboration with the Dariu Foundation.

The Presidential Awards Kenya (PA-K) Chief Executive Officer, Ms. Margaret Kiogora, described the collaboration as timely, saying it aims to train at least 6,000 Kenyans in artificial intelligence and digital skills during the pioneer phase.

Ms. Kiogora also said the partnership between the two organisations aligns with the PA-K's existing award frame-

work, which aims to train leaders and volunteers within active PA-K centres using the Dariu Foundation curriculum.

She made the remarks in Nairobi during the signing of an engagement framework that establishes collaboration for the integration of the Dariu Foundation's Applied Artificial Intelligence Literacy Programme into the PA-K framework through the Dariu Tech Club Initiative. “Our work as the President's Award is to take young people through non-formal education. One of our pillars under non-formal education is skilling. Through these skills, young people from institutions such as Kenya High School and those under the Teachers

Service Commission have been able to acquire and continuously enhance new competencies. These skills are meant to equip them to face the modern world,” Ms. Kiogora said.

PA-K Board Chairperson Paul Mbatha said integrating digital literacy and artificial intelligence into the skills development programme will help position the country as a regional leader in technology and innovation. He said there is a need to ensure no young person is left behind in the digital divide.

He said the Dariu Foundation's proven expertise in leveraging technology for youth empowerment aligns seamlessly with its objective of digital transformation.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

### MINISTRY OF INVESTMENTS, TRADE AND INDUSTRY

#### STATE DEPARTMENT FOR INDUSTRY

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

### STAKEHOLDER VALIDATION OF THE KENYA ACCREDITATION SERVICE (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2026; THE ACCREDITATION (GENERAL) REGULATIONS, 2026; AND THE ACCREDITATION (FEES) REGULATIONS, 2026

The State Department for Industry has considered and addressed comments submitted by stakeholders during the public participation exercise held between **14<sup>th</sup> January 2026** and **10<sup>th</sup> February 2026** countrywide. The draft legislative instruments have been revised to reflect the input and spirit of the stakeholder submissions.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the State Department invites stakeholders who submitted their comments during the public participation exercise as well as members of the public, to a virtual validation forum to be held on **17<sup>th</sup> June 2026** from **9.00am to 2.00pm**.

The virtual validation link shall be availed on the KENAS website [www.kenas.go.ke](http://www.kenas.go.ke) on or before **17<sup>th</sup> June 2026**.

The revised drafts of the:

1. Kenya Accreditation Service (Amendment) Bill, 2026
2. Accreditation (General) Regulations, 2026
3. Accreditation (Fees) Regulations, 2026

are accessible on the KENAS website: [www.kenas.go.ke](http://www.kenas.go.ke)



# Sh50 million FLOCA water project revives 1982 dream for Kisumu lakeside villages

BY CHRIS MAHANDARA (KNA)

Residents of three lakeside sub-locations in Kisumu will benefit from a Sh50 million clean water project under the Financing Locally Led Climate Action (FLOCA) programme, reviving a water scheme first mooted in 1982 but never completed. The Paga water project in Southwest Kisumu Ward is expected to serve about 16,000 households across Kanyawega, Kanyawegi and Ojola sub-locations, targeting an estimated population of 22,000 people.

Kisumu County Executive Committee Member (CECM) for Water, Environment and Climate Change Judith Oluoch said phase one of the project had already been completed and phase two would now focus on treatment works, connecting households and delivering clean water to residents.

“This is a phased project. Phase one involved construction of the intake from Lake Victoria, the pump house, solarization, fencing and the slab where the treatment plant is supposed to sit,” said Oluoch during a stakeholder



**Kisumu County Executive Committee Member (CECM) for Water, Environment and Climate Change Judith Oluoch addressing the media at Gina beach in Kisumu West.** PHOTO: CHRIS MAHANDARA

engagement forum at the project site. “Residents expected immediate access to water but piping to the various storage systems and kiosks was actually planned for phase two,” she said.

According to Oluoch, the county government is now investing close to Sh50 million in the second phase, which includes installation of a containerized treatment plant and a modern intake system capable of handling fluctuating lake water levels.

She added that some of the

existing pipes serving the area were installed in the 1980s and had deteriorated, forcing the county to include replacement works in the project’s bill of quantities.

“We are also including replacement of the old piping system to ensure there are no interruptions in water flow,” she said.

Oluoch said the county was targeting to complete the project within six months, with a maximum implementation timeline of one year.

# Gov’t urges universities to turn research into practical solutions

BY DAVIS LANGAT (KNA)

Universities have been urged to ensure that research findings are used to provide solutions to societal problems.

The Principal Secretary for Higher Education, Dr. Carol Hunja, said there is a need to ensure that research findings are implemented instead of gathering dust in research institutions.

Speaking during the 6th Multidisciplinary Conference held at Rongo University, she noted that many scholars conduct extensive research that, regrettably, remains unutilized.

During the conference a number of scholars from various universities in Kenya presented their research papers with Hunja saying more efforts must be put to ensure research findings and recommendations were put into practice.

Dr Hunja at the same time said the Ministry of Education was committed to funding research in the country stressing: “The



**Secretary for Higher Education in the Ministry of Education Dr Carol Hunja.**

government allocates two per cent of the Gross Domestic Products (GDP) for research. Research is a priority for the government.”

On his part, Rongo University Vice Chancellor Prof Samuel Gudu echoed similar sentiments adding that the main purpose of research was to help in solving societal problems through innovation. He said the conference had helped in exchange of ideas through innovation.

“By coming together through a conference of this nature, universities are able to promote research agenda through innovation,” Professor Gudu said.

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**OPEN INTERNATIONAL TENDER**

The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received a loan from the Government of the Italian Republic to finance the Malindi Integrated Social and Health Development Programme Phase II (MISHDP-II) in Malindi and Magarini sub-counties within Kilifi County. Part of the loan intends to finance the Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of ICU Equipment & Furniture in Malindi Sub-County Hospital, Kilifi County, Kenya.

The terms and condition of the contract and payment for this work shall be subject in all aspect to the terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement including the guidelines for Procurement.

The Project Executing Entity, Coast Development Authority invites sealed Tenders from eligible Tenderers for the implementation of the project as described below;

Tender No.	Tender Description	Tender Closing/Opening Date/Venue/Time
CDA/IT 004 /2025-26	Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of ICU Equipment & Furniture in Malindi Sub-County Hospital, Kilifi County, Kenya.	17th June 2026 at CDA Head Quarters, Main Boardroom at 1100HRS EAT

- Tendering will be conducted under Open International Tender that is open to all qualified and interested Tenderers.
- A complete set of Tender documents may be obtained by interested Tenderers **free of charge** by downloading from the following website(s); Coast Development Authority (CDA) [www.cda.go.ke](http://www.cda.go.ke) or **Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)**
- All interested Tenderers are required to continually check the following website(s); Coast Development Authority (CDA) [www.cda.go.ke](http://www.cda.go.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) for any tender addendum or clarification that may arise before submission/closing date.
- Tenderers shall submit the completed Tender Documents; **One (1) original and One (1) copy** in plain sealed envelopes with the Tender Number, Tender Name and Tenderer's Name clearly marked on the envelope delivered by hand or registered mail to the address below **on or before the closing/opening date and time**;

**The Ag. Managing Director  
Coast Development Authority  
P. O. Box 1322 – 80100  
MOMBASA, KENYA**

- Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the candidates or their representatives who choose to attend in the CDA Headquarters' Main Boardroom. Late Tenders and Electronic Tenders **SHALL NOT** be permitted.

**Note: Persons with Disability, Youth and Women are highly encouraged to apply.**

Ag. MANAGING DIRECTOR  
Publication date 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2026

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**TENDER NOTICE**

**INVITATION TO TENDER & REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR GOODS, SERVICES AND WORKS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2026/2027 & 2027/2028**

The Business Registration Service (BRS) is established under the Business Registration Service Act (CAP 499B) to administer policies, laws, and other matters relating to the registration of Companies, partnerships and firms, and corporations carrying on business under a business name, bankruptcy, hire-purchase, security rights and incorporation of trusts.

BRS invites tenders from interested/eligible firms to bid for the tender below:

S/ No	Tender Reference No.	Tender Description	Eligibility	Closing Date
1.	BRS/OT/004/2025-2026	DESIGN, DEVELOPMENT, TESTING, IMPLEMENTATION, AND COMMISSIONING OF THE TRUST REGISTRATION SYSTEM	OPEN	2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2026
2.	BRS/OT/005/2025-2026	DESIGN, DEVELOPMENT, IMPLEMENTATION, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF A CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (CRM)	AGPO/W	2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2026
3.	BRS/OT/RGS/006/2025-2026	REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR GOODS, SERVICES AND WORKS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2026-2027 & 2027-2028	OPEN	16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026

Tender documents may be downloaded from the BRS website [www.brs.go.ke](http://www.brs.go.ke) or on the Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) <https://tenders.go.ke>.

The submission details of completed documents are as provided in the respective documents.

**Note for registration of suppliers:**

Applicants eligible under AGPO are required only to complete the AGPO supplier registration form, indicate the categories they are interested in, and enclose the required documents. All applicants must provide their e-GP system registration number. The submission of registration documents shall be continuous and the supplier list updated periodically.

**Director General,  
Business Registration Service  
P.O. Box 30404 – 00100  
NAIROBI**

# Coastal communities and Kenya Navy plant 10,000 mangroves to restore ecosystem

BY SADIK HASSAN (KNA)

The Kenya Navy, in partnership with private companies and local communities, has planted 10,000 mangrove seedlings at Tsunza in Kwale County, advancing the country's national target of planting 15 billion trees by 2032. The joint initiative brought together members of the Kenya

Defence Forces (KDF), conservation organisations, insurance firms, and residents from surrounding villages to restore fragile coastal wetlands that serve as critical buffers against erosion, flooding, and coastal degradation.

Lieutenant Colonel Boniface Amimo of the Kenya Navy said the exercise reflected the military's expanding role in environmental



Kenya Navy Officers join community in planting mangroves in Tsunza, Kwale County. PHOTO: SADIK HASSAN/KNA

restoration following President William Ruto's directive for the KDF to spearhead the national

tree-planting programme. "We are here today to plant mangroves together with our key

partners and the community at Tsunza," Lieutenant Colonel Amimo said.

He said the Kenya Navy was targeting eight million seedlings during the 2025/2026 financial year, with approximately 3.2 million already planted across the Coast region, comprising mangroves, fruit trees and indigenous species.

Mangroves are widely regarded as among the world's most effective natural carbon sinks, capable of absorbing and storing large quantities of atmospheric carbon dioxide.

They also shield coastlines from erosion and provide critical breeding grounds for fish and other marine life.

# State targets maritime sector to create jobs and enhance trade

BY JUSTUS ANZAYA

Kenya is ramping up efforts to position the maritime sector as a major pillar of economic transformation, with the government unveiling ambitious plans aimed at creating thousands of jobs, boosting trade, and unlocking billions of shillings currently lost to foreign shipping firms.

Speaking during the presentation of the Financial Year 2026/27 budget estimates before the National Assembly Departmental Committee on Transport and Infrastructure, Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs Hassan Joho said the maritime sector remains one of the country's most underutilized economic frontiers, despite its enormous potential.

The Cabinet Secretary noted that Kenya's strategic location along the Indian Ocean gives it a competitive advantage in maritime trade, logistics, shipbuilding, fisheries,

offshore energy, and marine transport.

The country boasts a coastline stretching approximately 640 kilometres and an Exclusive Economic Zone covering about 230,000 square kilometres.

Joho added that more than 95 percent of Kenya's international trade is conducted by sea, underscoring the critical role of maritime transport in supporting the national economy.

In the presentation, the ministry highlighted maritime education and labour as one of the most promising opportunities for Kenya's youth, especially amid growing global demand for seafarers.

"Globally, it is estimated that there will be a deficit of 89,510 officers and 450,000 ratings by the end of 2026, while an additional 875,000 seafarers will be required by 2050," said Joho.

Kenya currently has about 19,000 trained seafarers but is targeting to produce 10,000 more

in the medium term and up to 40,000 in the long term to tap into global maritime labour opportunities.

The CS revealed that Kenya loses an estimated KSh600 billion annually to foreign shipping lines involved in transporting the country's imports and exports, a situation it says can be reversed through increased local participation in maritime transport and shipping services.

The State Department is now pushing for major investments in shipbuilding, repair and maintenance industries, leveraging Kenya's location along key Indian Ocean trade routes and its connectivity to the Great Lakes region and the wider East African market.

Kenya is also exploring the establishment of a ship-breaking industry at the Ports of Mombasa and Lamu, with officials saying the initiative could create jobs, generate steel through recycling, and

significantly increase government revenue. The Port of Lamu was identified as strategically suitable because of its deep and sheltered harbour capable of handling some of the world's largest vessels, including post-Suezmax ships.

At the same time, the ministry is seeking parliamentary support to fast-track key maritime laws, including amendments to the Merchant Shipping Act and the Kenya Maritime Authority Act, to align Kenya with emerging global maritime trends such as digitalization, environmental regulation, and autonomous shipping technologies.

The Principal Secretary State Department for Shipping and Maritime Affairs Aden Millah also raised concerns over inadequate funding, saying budgetary constraints have slowed implementation of maritime projects, international partnerships, and youth employment initiatives in the sector.



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

## TENDER NOTICE

Murang'a South Water & Sanitation Company Ltd (MUSWASCO) invites applications for our Open Tenders from eligible and interested bidders for the supply of various goods and services for the Financial Year 2026/2027.

Tender documents are available and can be downloaded free of charge on the company website: [www.muswasco.co.ke](http://www.muswasco.co.ke) & Public Procurement Information portal (PIIP) website: [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) free of charge.

Complete serialized tender documents shall be submitted in a plain sealed envelope, clearly indicating Tender Number and Category Description being applied for and shall be deposited in the tender box located at our headquarters (Kandara Town) next to DC'S office, so as to be received on or before **Tuesday, 9th June, 2026 at 10:00AM** and shall be addressed to:

**MANAGING DIRECTOR  
MURANG'A SOUTH WATER & SANITATION COMPANY LTD  
(MUSWASCO)  
P.O BOX 87-01034  
KANDARA**

The submitted Tender documents shall be opened soon thereafter the deadline of the submission in the presence of tenderers or their representatives who may wish to attend the Tender opening meeting at our headquarters offices.



## INVITATION TO TENDER

The Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority (EPRA) is a state corporation established under the Energy Act, 2019. The Authority is the energy sector regulatory agency responsible for economic and technical regulation of electric power, renewable energy, petroleum and coal subsectors.

The Authority invites bids from eligible firms for the following tenders: -

No.	Tender No.	Tender Description	Eligibility	Closing Date
1	EPRA/SCM4/3/25-26/040	Purchase of Office Building	OPEN	05/06/2026

Tender documents may be downloaded from the Authority's website [www.epra.go.ke](http://www.epra.go.ke) or on the Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) <https://tenders.go.ke>

**Ag. Director General  
Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority**



## INVITATION TO TENDER

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

NO.	TENDER NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	TENDER COMMENCEMENT DATE	TENDER CLOSING DATE
1.	KP6/9A/OT/02/25-26	Registration of Suppliers for Coast Region for Provision of Goods Works and Services for a Period of Two Years	Tuesday 26.05.2026	Tuesday 09.06.2026 at 10.00 a.m.

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

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## RURAL ELECTRIFICATION AND RENEWABLE ENERGY CORPORATION

### INVITATION TO TENDER

**PROCURING ENTITY:** Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation (REREC) P O Box 34585 - 00100 Nairobi.

REREC invites sealed bids for the following tenders/Contracts described below;

RFX No.	Contract name and Descriptions	Bid Security	Closing/Opening Date
1000001580	Supply and delivery of Distribution Transformers	Required, Amounts in the TDS	16.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001581	Supply and Delivery of Surge, Expulsion fuse element, Overhead Fuse Carriers and Cutouts Youth & Women Category	N/A	10.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001582	Supply and Delivery of Insulators - Exstock	Required, Amounts in the TDS	10.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001583	Supply and Delivery of Conductor, Cables and Staywires - Exstock	Required, Amounts in the TDS	10.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001584	Supply and delivery of treated wooden poles- Exstock	Required, Amounts in the TDS	11.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001585	Supply and Delivery of Poles Signs - Open to PWD	N/A	11.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001586	Supply and Delivery of Concrete Stay blocks -Open to manufactures	Required, Amounts in the TDS	11.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001587	Supply and Delivery of Crossarms, Channnels, Stayrods, D-Irons, Concrete fittings and Bolts & Nuts- Exstock	Required, Amounts in the TDS	11.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001588	Supply and Delivery of Overhead Line Fittings -Exstock	Required, Amounts in the TDS	11.06.2026 @1000hrs
1000001589	Supply and Delivery of Concrete Poles Open to manufactures	Required, Amounts in the TDS	11.06.2026 @1000hrs

- Tendering will be conducted under open competitive method (National) using a standardized tender document.
- Tenderers will be allowed to tender for one or more lots.
- Qualified and interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the Tender Documents during office hours **8.00am - 12.45pm to 1.45pm-4.00pm Monday to Friday** at the address given below.
- A complete set of tender documents may be viewed and downloaded by interested tenderers free of charge electronically from the Website [www.rerec.co.ke](http://www.rerec.co.ke) under May, 2026 tender documents, through the e-procurement portal using <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal> and on the Public Procurement Information Portal <https://tenders.go.ke>. The documents will be available to interested bidders starting **26<sup>th</sup> May, 2026**.
- Tender documents may be viewed and downloaded for free from the website [www.rerec.co.ke](http://www.rerec.co.ke) Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to [tenders@rerec.co.ke](mailto:tenders@rerec.co.ke) to facilitate any further clarification or addendum.
- Tenders must be accompanied by bank tender security of amount as specified in the TDS or tender securing Declaration Forms as specified in the TDS. Original bid security must be submitted in the tender box before closing date and time indicated in the table above.
- The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted.
- Completed tenders must be delivered to the SRM portal; <https://suppliers.rea.co.ke:44300/irj/portal> with scanned documents uploaded to the collaboration folder on or before closing/opening date and time as indicated above. A guide on tender submission labelled **(Quick bidding reference)** can be found in the REREC website <https://www.rerec.co.ke/Supplier-Bidding-Quick-reference-guide.pdf>
- Only Electronic Tenders will be permitted.
- Any addendum to this tender shall be uploaded to the Corporation's website [www.rerec.co.ke](http://www.rerec.co.ke) under the specific tender documents.
- Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified above or any dead line date and time specified later. Tenders will be publicly opened in the presence of the Tenderers' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below.
- Late tenders will be rejected.**
- The addresses referred to above are:

#### Address for obtaining further information on tender documents

For hand Courier, Original Bid security delivered to the tender Box (Kawi Complex, Block C, Ground floor, Off Popo Road). Contact Manager, Supply chain management, telephone number: 0709193000 and e-mail address: [tenders@rerec.co.ke](mailto:tenders@rerec.co.ke)

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

**Address for Opening of Tenders.** Kawi Complex, Block C, Ground floor, Online system

#### Designation: Chief Executive Officer

##### A. Address for Submission of Tenders.

- Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation
- Postal Address: 34585 - 00100 Nairobi
- Physical address for hand Courier Delivery; South C, Office Popo Road, Kawi Complex, Block C, Ground floor; e-mail address: [tenders@rerec.co.ke](mailto:tenders@rerec.co.ke) and [info@rerec.co.ke](mailto:info@rerec.co.ke)

##### B. Address for Opening of Tenders.

- Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation
- Physical address for the location: Kawi Complex, Block C, Ground floor.

**DR. ROSE N. MKALAMA**  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (Consulting Services – Firms Selection)

<b>Country:</b>	Kenya
<b>Project Name:</b>	Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP)
<b>Grant No.:</b>	E5930
<b>Assignment Title:</b>	Consultancy Services for the Preparation of the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) and Resettlement Action Plan for the Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP) Lot 1; Section 1: Kericho-Kenegut Border Road Section and Associated Spur Roads (110.0km), and Section 2: Kenegut Border-Nyaru Road Section (150.0km)
<b>Reference No.:</b>	KeNHA/2961/2026

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received a grant from the World Bank towards the cost of the proposed Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for Consulting Services.
- The Consulting Services ("the Services") include preparation of ESIA and RAP for the Kericho -Ain-amoi-Fort Ternan- Kenengut Border-Mbogo Valley-Kamelilo-Sirwa-Kipkabus-Nyaru road section and other major spur roads to reflect engineering designs, project scope and the existing environmental and social baseline conditions.
- The period of the consultancy service is 6 months and the estimated number of person-months of key professional personnel is **forty-three (43)**. The Detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website: [www.kenha.co.ke](http://www.kenha.co.ke)
- The Kenya National Highways Authority, a State Corporation under the Ministry of Roads and Transport established under the Kenya Roads Act, 2007, now invites eligible consulting firms ("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:
  - Firm Registration.** The firm shall have at least 15 years' experience in the preparation of Environmental and Social Impact Assessments (ESIA) and Resettlement Action Plans (RAP) for infrastructure projects.
  - Firm Experience.** The firm shall demonstrate capacity and experience in undertaking Environmental and Social Impact Assessments (ESIA) and Resettlement Action Plans (RAP) for infrastructure projects for a period of not less than fifteen (15) years. The firm shall have successfully undertaken at least five (5) similar assignments in scope and operating environment within the last fifteen (15) years.
  - Firm Technical Capacity.** The firm must demonstrate a staffing establishment that specifically meets the qualification requirements for all key expert positions defined in the Terms of Reference.

Key Experts will **NOT** be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

- Due to the need for brevity, interested Consultants should only provide sufficient information that will enable the Implementing Agency to determine the Consultant's capabilities in the field of the assignment, but legal documents such as certificates of incorporations, power of attorney, or translations of standard brochures should not be submitted at this stage. The maximum page limit for the EOI, including any annexes, shall therefore not exceed 20 pages. This limit applies for single entities as well as firms in associations.
- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs 3.14, 3.16 and 3.17 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulation for IPF Borrowers, First Published July 2016 and Revised in September, 2025 (7th Edition) ("Procurement Regulations") setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.
- A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultant Qualification Selection (CQS) method set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations.
- Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours, Mondays to Fridays from 0800 to 1700 hours (East Africa Time), excluding public holidays.
- The Expressions of Interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below in person, clearly marked **REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (ESIA) AND RESETTLEMENT ACTION PLAN FOR THE ROADS FOR RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (RREDP) LOT 1; SECTION 1: KERICHO-KENEGUT BORDER ROAD SECTION AND ASSOCIATED SPUR ROADS (110.0KM), AND SECTION 2: KENEGUT BORDER-NYARU ROAD SECTION (150.0KM)**

**TENDER No.:** KeNHA/2961/2026, by Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 1100hrs (East Africa Time). Expressions of Interest delivered in person shall be deposited in the tender box at Barabara Plaza, Block C, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor.

There shall be no public opening of the Expressions of Interest.

#### Supply Chain Management

**Attn: Deputy Director, Supply Chain Management**

**Kenya National Highways Authority,**

**Barabara Plaza, Block C, 2nd Floor, Jomo Kenyatta International Airport (JKIA), off airport South Road,**

**along Mazao Road,**

**P.O. Box 49712 - 00100**

**NAIROBI, KENYA**

**Email address: [procurement@kenha.co.ke](mailto:procurement@kenha.co.ke)**

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**Deputy Director, (Supply Chain Management)**

**For: Director General**

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# Siaya earns Sh9.2bn yearly from agriculture, reveals Orengo

BY PHILIP ONYANGO (KNA)

Agriculture contributes more than Sh9.2 billion annually to Siaya County's economy, underscoring the need to strengthen the sector, Governor James Orengo has said.

According to Orengo, agriculture forms the backbone of the county's economy, accounting for 60 percent of local economic activity. Speaking during the National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project (NAVCDP) Day in Siaya, Orengo, who also presided over the issuance of cheques to cooperative societies, SACCOs and farmer producer

organizations, reaffirmed his government's commitment to building a productive, profitable, resilient and inclusive agricultural economy. He said this will be achieved through strategic investments in farmer institutions, irrigation, value addition and youth-driven agribusiness.

He said it was high time Siaya residents move from viewing agriculture as a subsistence activity to recognizing it as a strategic economic sector driven by productivity, enterprise, resilience and markets.

The Governor noted that Siaya County is leveraging its fertile soils, reliable rainfall, Lake Vic-



Siaya County Governor, James Orengo (second right) tours a demonstration stand during NAVCDP day in Siaya.

toria resources and hardworking farmers to unlock greater agricultural productivity through organization, investment and value addition.

Orengo said the county has established Community Driven Development Committees across all 30 wards and onboarded 30 SACCOs and 13 Farmer Producer

Organizations to strengthen farmer institutions and improve market coordination.

Governor Orengo hailed NAVCDP for supporting key investments in the agricultural sector, among them the construction of the Siriwo Rice Mill paddy curing and storage facility valued at over Sh40 million and

the Kogonga Kayundi Irrigation Project valued at over Sh29 million.

These investments, said the governor, are not isolated interventions but part of a deliberate strategy to build a modern, resilient and commercially viable agricultural economy.

"In Siaya, we are struggling to have a transformation in agriculture because for many years, and even now, we are still largely a peasant economy," he said, adding "we are working hard to change this situation. With the inauguration of Siriwo rice mill, this is evidence that we are changing to an industrial, agricultural-industrial county."

Siaya County Chief Officer of Agriculture Elizabeth Adongo said the county is implementing soil intelligence mapping through the collection of approximately 2,600 soil samples across all wards to improve fertilizer use efficiency, crop suitability and productivity.

Adongo emphasized that agriculture must evolve beyond production to include markets, financing, value addition and strong institutions.

## Strategic alignment drives organizational success

BY SAMUEL LUKANU

The contemporary organizational environment is marked by volatility, uncertainty, complexity, and ambiguity. These conditions demand that organizations rethink how they approach strategy and execution. Success today is not determined solely by the quality of strategic plans but by the ability to implement them effectively while maintaining trust and coherence across diverse stakeholder groups. In this context, the alignment of strategic management and strategic communication has emerged as a critical determinant of organizational performance and the success of development projects.

Strategic management provides the overarching framework for setting goals, allocating resources, and monitoring performance. Strategic communication, on the other hand, ensures that these intentions are clearly articulated, understood, and acted upon by stakeholders both inside and outside the organization. When these two functions are aligned, organizations are better positioned to navigate complex operational environments, foster trust, and achieve coherence across cultural and geographical boundaries. Yet, despite its importance, this relationship remains under-explored in many organizations.

Evidence shows that organizations failing to integrate communication into their strategic pro-

cesses face existential risks. Scholars have observed that corporate crises in recent years often stem from poor communication, which undermines trust and strategic coherence. Research further demonstrates that strategic narratives articulated by top management reduce ambiguity, foster shared interpretations of organizational purpose, and build both affective and cognitive trust among stakeholders. This positions communication not as a peripheral support function but as a constitutive element of strategy itself.

In multinational contexts, where formal control mechanisms are often insufficient, narrative-based communication becomes indispensable. It sustains strategic unity across geographical and cultural boundaries, producing meaning and coherence in diverse operational settings. Pragmatic research confirms that communication shapes how organizational members interpret and enact strategic intentions, directly influencing performance outcomes.

Scholars of organizational communication emphasize that misfits between strategy, structure, and environment often lead to poor performance. To avoid this, organizations must adopt a holistic view that integrates structural components—such as goals, strategies, and organizational design—with human components, including leadership, employees, coordination mechanisms, and incentive systems. Effective communication

bridges these elements, ensuring that strategic intentions are not lost in translation but are instead enacted consistently across the organization.


A narrative review of communication in change management highlights significant benefits of effective communication: improved decision-making, stakeholder alignment, innovation facilitation, reputation management, and talent retention. These outcomes reinforce the importance of aligning communication practices with broader strategic management processes. Organizations that invest in communication infrastructure and capabilities are better equipped to navigate uncertainty and maintain performance during periods of change.

International expansion provides further evidence of the importance of alignment. Companies entering new markets face the challenge of maintaining strategic coherence while adapting to local conditions. Small inconsistencies in communication across markets can compound over time, leading to systematic misalignment. Quick wins in international communication include establishing clear brand guidelines that balance local flexibility with core messaging, investing in translation and localization capabilities, and ensuring communication functions are represented in strategic planning from the outset.


The African continent presents unique characteristics that shape how strategic management and communication alignment must be practiced. Unlike more individualistic Western contexts, African

organizational environments are characterized by high-context communication norms, where meaning is derived not only from explicit messages but also from relationships, history, and social positioning.

Scholars have produced comprehensive studies combining perspectives from strategic communication management and communication for development, specifically focused on Africa.



### KENYA MARITIME AUTHORITY (KMA)



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TENDER NOTICE

Kenya Maritime Authority (KMA) is a state corporation whose mandate is to regulate, co-ordinate and oversee maritime affairs guided by the Kenya Maritime Authority Act No. 5 of 2006 and the Merchant Shipping Act, 2009. KMA invites sealed National tenders as below: -

No	Tender No.	Item/Service Description	Closing Date/Time	Targeted Group
1	KMA/ONT/07/2025-2026	Procurement Of Next Generation Firewall And Security Router For Enhanced Ict Security	3 <sup>rd</sup> June, 2026 at 10:00am	Open
2	KMA/ONT/08/2025-2026	Supply And Delivery Of Maritime Library Books	3 <sup>rd</sup> June, 2026 at 10:00am	Open

Eligible Tenderers may obtain further information and download the Tender Document free of charge from the Kenya Maritime Authority (KMA) website; [www.kma.go.ke](http://www.kma.go.ke) under "Tenders" portal and/or Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) <https://www.tenders.go.ke> respectively. Those who download the document **must** immediately forward their particulars (i.e. Name & Contacts of Applicant) to email; [procurement@kma.go.ke](mailto:procurement@kma.go.ke) and/or [info@kma.go.ke](mailto:info@kma.go.ke) for purposes of registration and any further tender clarifications and addendum.

Original, Completed Tender documents plus one copy should be enclosed in plain sealed envelope, clearly marked with tender reference name & number and should be deposited in the Tender Box located at 4<sup>th</sup> Floor of Kenya Maritime Authority's Headquarter Offices; Bahari Towers, Mombasa addressed to: -


**Director General**  
Kenya Maritime Authority  
P. O. Box 95076-80104  
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so as to be received on or before **3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2026 at 10.00 am.**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the Candidates or their representatives who choose to attend at the **4<sup>th</sup> Floor KMA Board Room- Bahari Towers, Mbaraki Road, Mombasa.**

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

**DIRECTOR GENERAL**  
**KENYA MARITIME AUTHORITY**



# Kwale residents to benefit from quarry mining revenues under new plan

BY CHARI SUCHE (KNA)

Residents living near quarry mining sites in Kasemeni Ward, Kwale County, are set to benefit directly from mining activities following the initiation of a process to operationalize Community Development Agreement Committees (CDACs), a legal framework aimed at ensuring equitable sharing of mining revenues.

The initiative was discussed during a consultative meeting that brought together officials from the Ministry of Mining, the County Commissioner's Office, quarry operators, and representatives from the county government to deliberate on the establishment of the committees in quarry mining areas within Kasemeni Ward.

Speaking during the meeting, Kasemeni Member of County



Mining stakeholders pose for a group photo during a consultative meeting in Kasemeni Ward, Kwale County.

Assembly Victor Safari Nyanje said mining laws require quarry operators to remit one percent of their profits to communities

affected by mining activities. "For many years, we have been advocating for quarry operators to support local communities, but

now there is a law that ensures communities do not lose out completely from resources extracted from their land," Nyanje said.

He said stakeholders had agreed to begin public participation forums to sensitize residents on the law establishing CDACs, outline the responsibilities of operators and allow communities to present their expectations before the committees are elected.

Nyanje noted that within the next two months, stakeholders are expected to finalize discussions and sign agreements to operationalize the committees, paving the way for quarry operators to begin remitting royalties to fund community development projects. He also raised concerns over the environmental and social impacts of quarry mining, including land degradation, health challenges, damaged infrastructure

and structural cracks in buildings and schools.

"Communities have suffered for years without meaningful support from these operators. In many cases, I have had to use county funds to repair roads damaged by heavy quarry trucks shortly after construction," he said.

Kwale County Economic Advisor, Antony Yama who represented Governor Fatuma Achani at the meeting, said the initiative seeks to implement constitutional provisions requiring mining companies to share part of their revenue with host communities.

"Today's meeting marks the beginning of a process to establish CDACs in affected areas of Kasemeni. Legally, the one percent contribution from mining companies should directly support development projects in these communities," Yama said.

## Strengthening internal audit functions key to accountability in organisations

BY EUGENE OTIENO

Kenya's public and private institutions have been urged to strengthen internal audit functions to safeguard accountability, prevent losses, and build resilience amid rising economic uncertainty, cyber threats and public scrutiny.

Speaking during Internal Audit Month, the Chairperson of the Institute of Internal Auditors, Lilian Mwangi (pictured), warned that weak audit structures expose organisations to governance failures and misuse of resources.

"Internal auditors are enablers of sustainable growth, good governance, and institutional resilience. When they are silenced or under-resourced, institutions become weaker," Mwangi said, warning that victimisation and retaliation against auditors remain widespread.

Professionals who expose weaknesses in governance or misuse of resources often face intimidation, unfair transfers, or even dismissal, she added.

Mwangi, said the profession is under strain from inadequate resourcing, limited staffing, and outdated tools, leaving many audit departments



unable to conduct comprehensive reviews or adopt modern, technology-driven practices.

She noted that the shortage of specialised skills in areas such as cybersecurity, forensic investigations, and environmental governance further compounds the problem.

Mwangi also raised concern over the positioning of internal audit functions within organisations.

While many Heads of Internal Audit formally report to Board Audit Committees and Chief Executive Officers, they are frequently excluded from strategic leadership meetings and graded below senior executives.

This disparity, she explained, undermines independence and limits the authority of audit leaders to influence governance outcomes.

Despite these challenges,

Mwangi pointed to reforms that signal progress. The proposed Internal Auditors' Bill, currently under stakeholder review, seeks to establish a legal framework for registration, compliance with professional standards and protection mechanisms for auditors.

Amendments to the Public Finance Management Act, 2012, spearheaded by the National Treasury, aim to strengthen audit committees and oversight in public institutions.

In addition, the Zero Fault Directive issued by the Head of Public Service underscores the growing recognition of internal auditors as key drivers of accountability within government.

"Strong internal audit functions are critical to institutional sustainability and maintaining public confidence," Mwangi said, calling on both public and private sector leaders to act decisively in strengthening the independence and strategic positioning of the profession.

As Kenya observes Internal Audit Month, she affirmed that internal auditors must be empowered to safeguard transparency, protect resources and reinforce the foundations of good governance.



### TENDER NOTICE

The Geothermal Development Company Limited (GDC) invites sealed tenders from eligible candidates for the following:

TENDER NO.	TENDER DESCRIPTION	TARGET GROUP	TENDER SECURITY AMOUNT	CLOSING DATE
GDC/891/0068/2025-2026	Tender for Supply and Delivery of White Meat and Other Related Products	Youth Only	N/A	02.06.2026 at 11.45am
GDC/891/0060/2025-2026	Tender for Supply and Delivery of Fruits	Youth Only	N/A	03.06.2026 at 11.45am
GDC/891/0058/2025-2026	Tender for Supply and Delivery of Vegetables	Youth & Women Only	N/A	08.06.2026 at 11.45am
GDC/891/0008/2025-2026	Tender for Supply and Delivery of 30T Rough Terrain Crane	Open to All	Ksh 500,000.00	15.06.2026 at 11.00am
GDC/SC/REG/007/2025-2026	Registration of Suppliers for Financial Year 2026-2027 & 2027-2028	Open to All & AGPO	N/A	10.06.2026 at 2.00Pm

Tenders are open to all qualified and interested tenderers who must be fully registered on e-gp. Qualified and interested tenderers are requested to view and download a complete set of the tender documents from the website <https://egpkenya.go.ke> free of charge. All enquiries and clarification for Tender Reference 0068/0060/0058/0066/0008 should be sent via the website <https://egpkenya.go.ke> and completed tender should be submitted electronically via the same website. For Tender Reference GDC/SC/REG/007/2025-2026 – Registration of Suppliers visit GDC Website.

Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified in tender document. Tenders will be publicly opened electronically in the presence of all bidders who wish to attend the virtual tender opening.

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FEATURE: NEW PUSH TO TRANSFORM BEEKEEPING

# Government promotes beekeeping to tap premium global honey markets

BY ANITA OMWENGA (KNA)

The Government is intensifying efforts to promote beekeeping as a key economic activity aimed at improving household incomes, enhancing food security, and increasing Kenya's honey exports to premium international markets.

Speaking during World Bee Day celebrations held in Mombasa County, Principal Secretary for Livestock Development Jonathan Mueke said the Government is stepping up efforts to transform beekeeping into a major economic activity capable of boosting rural incomes, empowering women and youth, and increasing exports to international markets such as Europe.

The celebrations were held under the global theme, "Bee Together for People and the Planet - A Partnership that Sustains Us All," which highlights the critical relationship between people and pollinators in sustaining food systems, biodiversity, and environmental health.

Mueke noted that beekeeping is among the few economic activities that provide opportunities for men, women and youth at the grassroots level due to its low start-up costs and accessibility.

He said bees play a critical role in impacting crop production, nutrition security and ecosystems



balance, making their protection essential for sustainable food systems.

Mueke identified Kitui, Baringo, Taita Taveta and Tana River counties among the leading honey producers in the country and encouraged more Kenyans to venture into beekeeping since it can be practised even within homesteads.

The PS said the government

has continued to support the sector through subsidized bee hives, training programmes and collaboration with partners and the State Department of Forestry to establish hives in forest ecosystems where bees thrive best.

"We have also strengthened the National Beekeeping Institute, which offers short courses on modern beekeeping,

1. **Principal Secretary for Livestock Development, Jonathan Mueke, speaking during the World Bee Day celebrations held in Mombasa County. Photo courtesy Anita Omwenga**
2. **Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Representative to Kenya, Farayi Zimudzi (second left), visiting an exhibition stand during the World Bee Day celebrations held in Mombasa County.**

PHOTOS: ANITA OMWENGA

hive management and value addition through products such as beeswax, lotions, soaps and medicinal products," he said.

Mueke added that the government has developed a residue monitoring plan to ensure Kenyan honey meets international export standards, particularly for the European market where demand for quality honey remains high.

"Our aim is not only to produce honey here in Kenya, but to produce high-quality honey that can be exported to premium markets such as Europe, where there is high demand," said the PS, adding, "This will help our farmers earn more income and improve their livelihoods."

According to the PS, the government has nearly doubled the budget allocation to the National Beekeeping Institute in the coming Financial Year due to increasing demand for training.

The celebrations also featured tree planting activities at Ronald Ngala Comprehensive Primary School in Mombasa

aimed at supporting pollination and environmental conservation while sensitizing learners on the importance of bees.

The PS emphasized the importance of involving learners in environmental conservation efforts, as schools remain key platforms for shaping awareness among the younger generation

Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Representative to Kenya Farayi Zimudzi underscored the important role bees play in food production and environmental conservation.

"Without bees, we would not have enough food because bees are essential in pollinating food crops and trees," she said.

Zimudzi noted that apart from honey production, bee products such as bee venom and beeswax have economic value in medicinal and cosmetic industries.

She called for the protection of bees through environmentally friendly farming practices, warning that excessive use of harmful chemicals on farms threatens bee populations and food security.

"We need to protect our bees and our environment because if we fail to do so, at some point we may not produce enough food to feed ourselves," she said.

Mombasa County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock and Blue Economy, Ibrahim Khamis, said the event emphasized the important role bees and other pollinators play in keeping both people and the planet healthy, while also drawing attention to the growing challenges threatening their survival.

## New cybersecurity boot camp to equip students with digital defence skills as threats rise

BY PASKAL OSONGA AND ACHIENG NICOLE (KNA)

The Communications Authority of Kenya (CA) and Huawei have reaffirmed their commitment to strengthening Kenya's cybersecurity workforce through a national cybersecurity boot camp designed to equip students with practical digital security skills. CA Director General David Mugonyi noted that Kenya's rapidly growing digital economy has increased the country's exposure to cyber threats, making cybersecurity capacity building critical. In a speech read on his behalf by the Director Universal Service Fund (USF) Eng. Dennis Chepkwony during the closing ceremony of the national cybersecurity boot camp, Mugonyi said that there is no doubt that

Kenya's digital transformation has been rapid and powerful, spanning mobile money, online public services and cloud adoption, creating new opportunities for businesses and citizens.

However, he warned that the increased digitisation had widened the country's cyber-attack surface. He revealed that between January and March this year, the National Kenya Computer Incident Response Team Coordination Centre (KE-CIRT/CC) detected more than 3.3 million cyber threat events targeting Kenya's digital infrastructure.

"System attacks made up the largest share, with spikes witnessed in malware attempts, brute force and web application attacks," he said.

According to Mugonyi, govern-

ment agencies, internet service providers, universities and banks were among the most targeted institutions during the period. He added that over 20.5 million cyber threat advisories had been issued in response to emerging threats, underscoring the urgent need for local cybersecurity expertise.

Citing global studies, Mugonyi said the cybersecurity workforce shortage remains a major challenge worldwide. He referenced estimates by the International Information Systems Security Certification Consortium (ISC2), which place the global cybersecurity workforce gap at approximately 4.8 million professionals.

He cited the Africa Perspectives on Cybersecurity Report 2025 by Check Point Software Technologies, which estimated that Africa currently faces more than 200,000 unfilled cybersecurity positions.

"To close the cybersecurity gap effectively, Kenya must build its own pipeline of talent, from engineers and analysts to incident responders who understand our networks and our context," he said.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

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NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE GENERAL SERVICE UNIT

## PUBLIC AUCTION NOTICE

## SALE OF BOARDED MOTOR VEHICLES AND USED STORE ITEMS BY PUBLIC AUCTION

The National Police Service through the General Service Unit (GSU) in conjunction with the appointed registered auctioneer M/s Whitestone and Company Auctioneers of P.O. Box 79157-00400, Nairobi hereby invite interested bidders for the sale of boarded motor vehicles and used store items by public auction on "as-is-where-is" basis.

The Public Auction will take place on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2026** at the General Service Unit (GSU) headquarters, Ruaraka along Thika Road, Nairobi starting at 10:00am.

Catalogue containing details, conditions for sale and location of the items to be auctioned may be downloaded for free from the following websites: [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) and [www.nationalpolice.go.ke](http://www.nationalpolice.go.ke).

The items can be viewed in the locations stated in the catalogue from **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2026 to 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2026** starting at 9:00am to 4:00pm excluding weekends and public holidays.

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## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (Consulting Services – Firms Selection)

Country:	Kenya
Project Name:	Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP)
Grant No.:	E5930
Assignment Title:	Consultancy Services For The Preparation Of The Environmental And Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) And Resettlement Action Plan For The Roads For Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP) Lot 2; Section 1: Neissuit-Embomoss Road Section And Associated Spur Roads(133.0km), and Section 2: Embomoss-Mariwa Road Section (143.0km)
Reference No.:	KeNHA/2962/2026

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received a grant from the World Bank towards the cost of the proposed Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for Consulting Services.
- The Consulting Services ("*the Services*") include preparation of ESIA and RAP for the Neissuit –Embomoss- Dikkir- Kilgoris - Mariwa road section and other major spur roads to reflect engineering designs, project scope and the existing environmental and social baseline conditions.
- The period of the consultancy service is 6 months and the estimated number of person-months of key professional personnel is forty-three (43)

The Detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website:  
[www.kenha.co.ke](http://www.kenha.co.ke)

- The Kenya National Highways Authority, a State Corporation under the Ministry of Roads and Transport established under the Kenya Roads Act, 2007, now invites eligible consulting firms ("*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:
  - Firm Registration.** The firm shall have at least 15 years' experience in the preparation of Environmental and Social Impact Assessments (ESIA) and Resettlement Action Plans (RAP) for infrastructure projects.
  - Firm Experience.** The firm shall demonstrate capacity and experience in undertaking Environmental and Social Impact Assessments (ESIA) and Resettlement Action Plans (RAP) for infrastructure projects for a period of not less than fifteen (15) years. The firm shall have successfully undertaken at least five (5) similar assignments in scope and operating environment within the last fifteen (15) years.
  - Firm Technical Capacity.** The firm must demonstrate a staffing establishment that specifically meets the qualification requirements for all key expert positions defined in the Terms of Reference.

Key Experts will **NOT** be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

- Due to the need for brevity, interested Consultants should only provide sufficient information that will enable the Implementing Agency to determine the Consultant's capabilities in the field of the assignment, but legal documents such as certificates of incorporations, power of attorney, or translations of standard brochures should not be submitted at this stage. The maximum page limit for the EOI, including any annexes, shall therefore not exceed 20 pages. This limit applies for single entities as well as firms in associations.
- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs 3.14, 3.16 and 3.17 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulation for IPF Borrowers, First Published July 2016 and Revised in September, 2025 (7th Edition) ("*Procurement Regulations*") setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.
- A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultant Qualification Selection (CQS) method set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations.
- Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours, Mondays to Fridays from 0800 to 1700 hours (East Africa Time), excluding public holidays.
- The Expressions of Interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below in person, clearly marked **REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR THE PREPARATION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT (ESIA) AND RESETTLEMENT ACTION PLAN FOR THE ROADS FOR RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (RREDP) LOT 2; SECTION 1: NEISSUIT-EMBOMOSS ROAD SECTION AND ASSOCIATED SPUR ROADS(133.0KM), AND SECTION 2: EMBOMOSS-MARIWA ROAD SECTION (143.0KM)**

**TENDER No.:** KeNHA/2962/2026, by Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 1100hrs (East Africa Time). Expressions of Interest delivered in person shall be deposited in the tender box at Barabara Plaza, Block C, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor.

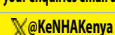
There shall be no public opening of the Expressions of Interest.

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Country:	Kenya
Project Name:	Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP)
Grant No.:	E5930
Assignment Title:	Consultancy Services for Socio-Economic Infrastructure Needs Assessment Study for Communities along the Rural Roads for Economic Development Project Transport Corridors in Nakuru, Kericho, Bomet, Uasin Gishu, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nandi, and Narok Counties
Reference No.:	KeNHA/2960/2026

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received a grant from the World Bank towards the cost of the proposed Roads for Rural Economic Development Project (RREDP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for Consulting Services.
- The Consulting Services ("*the Services*") include a comprehensive Socio-Economic Infrastructure Needs Assessment for communities located within the project corridors {(Kericho–Ainamoi–Fort Ternan–Kenengut Border–Mbogo Valley–Kamelilo–Sirwa–Kipkabus–Nyarur, approximately 260.6 km) and (Neissuit–Embomoss–Mariwa, approximately 276 km)} spanning Nakuru, Kericho, Bomet, Uasin Gishu, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nandi, and Narok Counties. The area of coverage extends to a 10 km radius on either side of the road along both project corridors
- The period of the consultancy service is 6 months and the estimated number of person-months of key professional personnel is forty (40) staff-months. The Detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website:  
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  - Firm Experience.** The firm shall demonstrate capacity and experience in undertaking socio-economic infrastructure needs assessments, sector diagnostics, investment planning, and/or corridor development studies for a period of not less than ten (10) years. The firm shall have successfully undertaken at least three (3) similar assignments in scope and operating environment within the last ten (10) years. Similar assignments include, but are not limited to, socio-economic baseline studies, integrated infrastructure needs assessments, investment plans, or sector development studies for rural road corridors, agricultural value chain corridors, or similar multi-county/multi-sector contexts in Sub-Saharan Africa.
  - Firm Technical Capacity.** The firm must demonstrate a staffing establishment that specifically meets the qualification requirements for all key expert positions defined in the Terms of Reference.

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# State distributes milk coolers to curb losses, boost earnings

BY ANITA KARIUKI AND LILIAN GICHOHI (KNA)

The Government has distributed milk coolers in a major move aimed at strengthening Kenya's dairy sector, reducing post-harvest losses, and improving farmers' earnings across the country.

Speaking during the flagging-off ceremony in Nairobi, Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture and Livestock Development Mutahi Kagwe said the initiative will enhance milk preservation, improve quality standards, and support value addition in the dairy industry.

Kagwe noted that milk hawking remains a major challenge in the sector, warning that unregulated milk trade poses serious health risks to consumers and limits opportunities for value addition.

"Hawking is dangerous in many ways because it interferes with our ability to produce by-products such as cheese and yoghurt, but more importantly, it becomes a health issue because we cannot guarantee the safety of unprocessed milk," he said.

The CS urged parents, especially mothers with young children, to ensure they purchase processed and certified milk products to avoid diseases associated with contaminated milk.

He called on milk processors to work closely with farmers in monitoring production and supply, saying proper records would help streamline the dairy value chain and protect the market from exploitation by middlemen.

On production costs, Kagwe said the government is implementing measures to lower expenses incurred by dairy



Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture and Livestock Development Mutahi Kagwe (3rd right, front row) and Non-Executive Chairperson National Livestock Development and Promotion Services Mohamed Elmi (right) during the launch and flagging off 25 milk coolers for different counties each receiving one that will boost dairy farming production at Uhuru Park, Nairobi. Photo by Aron Kinyamasyo

farmers through the promotion of large-scale farming of yellow maize and soya for animal feed production.

According to the CS, the government is leasing public land to investors willing to engage in feed production in order to reduce the cost of livestock feeds, which remains one of the biggest challenges facing dairy farmers.

He added that the rollout of solar-powered milk coolers is intended to reduce electricity costs for cooperatives and milk collection centres.

"The reason we are doing this is so that the farmer can earn more money. When a farmer is doing well, the country is also doing well," Kagwe stated.

He observed that the dairy sector continues to create employment opportunities through milk processing industries producing products such as yoghurt, cheese and milk powder.

The CS assured farmers that the government is fully committed to

ensuring stability in milk prices by expanding milk powder processing capacity.

Kagwe explained that processing excess milk into milk powder would help address seasonal surpluses and open export opportunities in African markets.

"We want to ensure that there is never a glut of milk in the country. Milk powder has a huge market across Africa and that is why we are encouraging processors to invest in milk powder production," he said.

He disclosed that the Ministry is engaging the National Treasury to remove import duty on equipment used in milk powder processing to encourage investment in the dairy processing industry.

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"The Ministry purchases sexed semen at about Sh9,000, but farmers are accessing it at subsidised rates of about Sh1,500 to help improve the quality of dairy cows," he said.

## Wajir to benefit from Sh7.7 billion power projects, says Wandayi

BY HAMDY BUTHUL (KNA)

Wajir County will benefit from increased electricity connectivity and power infrastructure projects worth Sh7.7 billion under the national government's rural electrification programme, Energy Cabinet Secretary James Opiyo Wandayi has said.

Speaking during the launch of the Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation (REREC) Last Mile Connectivity Programme (LMCP) at Bula Kisumu village in Wajir East Constituency, Wandayi said the government was committed to expanding electricity access in the county and ending years of unreliable power supply.

The CS, said the projects formed part of the government's

broader plan to improve electricity access and spur economic growth in northern Kenya.

"Wajir County has for many years remained in darkness, but that is the situation the government has decided to change," said Wandayi.

He noted that the allocation would support implementation of Last Mile Connectivity projects, other electricity expansion initiatives, and completion of ongoing power projects financed through development partners, including the French Development Agency.

Wandayi assured residents that the government would continue investing in electricity infrastructure in the county, saying improved power connectivity would transform livelihoods and support economic development.



Energy Cabinet Secretary, Opiyo Wandayi, and Wajir County Governor, Ahmed Abdullahi, inspect electricity infrastructure during the launch of the REREC Last Mile Connectivity Programme at Bula Kisumu village in Wajir East Constituency.

**“We understand the concerns wananchi have regarding fuel prices, and the government is actively addressing the matter”**

He further said he would continue working closely with local leaders to ensure the projects are completed successfully.

The CS also appealed for calm and patience among Kenyans over the rising fuel prices, describing the situation as a global challenge linked to inter-

At the same time, Kagwe said the government is shifting focus from quantity to quality milk production through improved dairy cattle breeds and better animal husbandry practices.

He challenged institutions such as the Kenya Agricultural and Livestock Research Organization (KALRO) and Agricultural Development Corporation (ADC) to increase production of affordable high-quality dairy cows for farmers.

According to the CS, the government is subsidising sexed semen to improve dairy genetics and increase milk productivity among farmers.

"The Ministry purchases sexed semen at about Sh9,000, but farmers are accessing it at subsidised rates of about Sh1,500 to help improve the quality of dairy cows," he said.

He called upon public institutions with livestock breeding capacity to bridge the gap by producing quality breeds at affordable prices.

The CS underscored the importance of training farmers on proper livestock management and animal welfare, saying dairy farming requires professional skills and proper handling of animals to maximise productivity.

"There is need to utilise trained personnel in the dairy sector because proper feeding and management can significantly increase milk production even with limited resources," he added.

Kagwe encouraged farmers to remain committed to dairy farming, describing the sector as a profitable venture capable of transforming livelihoods and improving household incomes.

He assured cooperatives that the government would continue expanding support programmes in line with increased milk production and market demand.

"My ministry is about ensuring that farmers become rich because when farmers prosper, the entire country prospers," Kagwe said.

national geopolitical tensions.

"We understand the concerns wananchi have regarding fuel prices, and the government is actively addressing the matter," he said.

Wandayi disclosed that the government had convened a meeting with public transport sector leaders to discuss concerns arising from the increase in fuel costs and explore possible interventions.

Wajir County Governor, Ahmed Abdullahi, lauded the Ministry of Energy, REREC and KPLC for stabilizing electricity supply in Wajir town following years of persistent blackouts.

"There was a time residents threatened to burn down the KPLC station because of constant outages, but we are now past that stage," said the governor.

Ahmed noted that Wajir was among the fastest-growing towns in the country and called for increased power supply and connection of the county to the national grid to support industrialization and economic growth.

# State Department steps up mental wellness campaign for civil servants

BY CALEB WANENE (PCA)

The State Department for Public Service and Human Capital Development has intensified efforts to address mental health challenges in the public sector through a nationwide capaci-

ty-building programme targeting civil servants. During a three-week training programme held at the Dairy Training Institute in Naivasha, public officers were trained to strengthen workplace mental wellness. Through the programme, spearheaded by the Direc-

torate of Counselling and Wellness Services, some 119 participants drawn from Ministries, Departments, Agencies and Counties (MDACs) were trained as Public Service mental health champions.

These are expected to promote psychological wellbeing, offer peer support and facilitate referrals to professional mental health services within their workplaces.

According to the Counselling Acting Director, Willis Ayub Ombima, the move is informed by the growing recognition that

mental health is critical to effective service delivery.

“Civil servants often operate under intense pressure, including heavy workloads, limited resources and high public expectations factors that can negatively affect their wellbeing and performance if left unaddressed,” he said.

Ombima said unmanaged mental health challenges at the workplace has been linked to absenteeism, reduced productivity and strained professional relationships, which ultimately affects

the quality of services offered to citizens.

The Director noted that the mental health champions will act as the first line of support by identifying early signs of distress among colleagues and guiding them to appropriate care before issues escalate.

He said the programme is part of a broader government target to train 300 mental health champions during the 2025/2026 financial year.

Some 181 officers were trained in the first phase conducted between

November and December 2025, bringing the total of trained officers to 300.

“The phased approach reflects a long-term strategy to institutionalise mental health support systems across the public service, shifting from one-off wellness activities to structured and sustainable interventions,” the Counselling director said.

He expressed confidence that the initiative will foster a more resilient, productive and responsive workforce, ultimately improving service delivery.



## AGRICULTURE AND FOOD AUTHORITY

### REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE AMMENDMENTS TO THE CROPS (NUTS & OILS CROPS) REGULATIONS, 2020

Agriculture and Food Authority is in the process of amending the Crops (Nuts and Oil Crop) Regulations, 2020 as provided under section 40 of the Crops Act, 2013, to facilitate the establishment of a Nuts and Oil Crops Pricing Formulae Committee to the benefit of the stakeholders.

The Constitution of Kenya and the Statutory Instruments Act, 2013 require the public to participate in the decision-making process through submission of comments. It is in this spirit that the Authority requests the public to participate by submitting comments through the email address provided. The Crops (Nuts and Oil Crops) (amended) Regulations, 2025 are available on [www.afa.go.ke](http://www.afa.go.ke).

All interested Stakeholders should send written submissions on the Crops (Nuts and Oil Crops) (amended) regulations, 2025 to reach the undersigned not later than fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice. Duly filled comments feedback forms may also be submitted back via the following address:

**Agriculture and Food Authority**  
Tea House, Naivasha Road off Ngong Road,  
P.O Box 37962-00 100  
Nairobi.

Or Email: [infonocd@afa.go.ke](mailto:infonocd@afa.go.ke)

In addition, there will be physical meetings for the stakeholder consultations on the draft Crops (Nuts and Oil Crops) (amended) Regulations, 2025 to be held from **15<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026**.

REGION (CLUSTERED COUNTIES)	VENUE	DATE	TIME
<b>Cluster 3</b> - Bungoma, Uasin Gishu, Nandi	Eldoret National polytechnic, Eldoret	15th June ,2026	8:30-11:30 am
<b>Cluster 10</b> - Kitui, Machakos, Makueni	Semara Hotel, Machakos	15th June ,2026	8:30-11:30 am
<b>Cluster 6</b> - Nakuru, Kericho, Bomet, Narok, Nyandarua, Samburu	Agricultural Training Centre(ATC) , Nakuru	15th June ,2026	8:30-11:30 am
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<b>Cluster 5</b> - Elgeyo Marakwet, Baringo	Kenya School of Government , Baringo	17th June ,2026	8:30-11:30 am
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<b>Cluster 1</b> - Kisii, Migori, Nyamira, Homa Bay	Kisii ATC, Kisii	19th June ,2026	8:30-11:30 am

**Note:** Members of the public are requested to make their own logistical arrangements to and from the venue.

**CALISTUS KUNDU**  
FOR: DIRECTOR GENERAL



## AGRICULTURE AND FOOD AUTHORITY

### CALL FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON THE DRAFT NUTS AND OIL CROP STRATEGY, 2025

The Agriculture and Food Authority(AFA) has developed the Nuts and Oil Strategy 2025. Pursuant to article 10 of the Constitution of Kenya, the Agriculture and Food Authority invites individuals, organizations and institutions to submit their comments on the draft Nuts and Oil Crops Strategy.

The Strategy intends to provide an overarching framework for Nuts and Oil Crops sub-sector interventions and articulate the strategic rationale. The draft strategy and the submission forms for input of stakeholders' comments are available on the AFA website: [www.afa.go.ke](http://www.afa.go.ke)

All interested Stakeholders should send written submissions on the Draft Nuts and Oil Crop Strategy, 2025 to reach the undersigned not later than fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this notice.

The submissions may be sent physically to:

**Agriculture and Food Authority**  
Tea House, Naivasha Road off Ngong Road,  
P.O Box 37962-00 100 Nairobi.  
Or Email: [infonocd@afa.go.ke](mailto:infonocd@afa.go.ke)

Physical public engagement meetings will be conducted in 12 regions across the country.


Stakeholders and members of the public are encouraged to attend as per the schedule below;

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**CALISTUS KUNDU**  
FOR: DIRECTOR GENERAL





# MASENO UNIVERSITY



TENDER NOTICE

Maseno University invites tenders from eligible candidates for the following:

S / No.	Tender No	Description of Service	Tender Closing Date	Eligibility
1.	MSU/ONT/002/2025-2026	Provision of Security Services at Maseno University	5th June, 2026 at 11.00 am	Open to All
2.	MSU/ONT/003/2025-2026	Provision of Sanitary Bin Disposal Services at Maseno University	5th June, 2026 at 11.00 am	Open to All

A complete set of tender documents may be downloaded from Maseno University Website [www.maseno.ac.ke](http://www.maseno.ac.ke) or [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) at no cost


Bidder's shall submit an original and a copy of the tender documents clearly marked **"original"** or **"copy"** and packaged together. Sealed and dully completed tender documents in plain envelopes indicating **Tender Number and without identifying the sender** must be addressed to:-


**THE VICE CHANCELLOR  
MASENO UNIVERSITY  
PRIVATE BAG  
MASENO.**


And be deposited in the tender box situated at the entrance to the Administration Block College Campus on or before **5<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 11.00 am**. Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the Procurement Department Boardroom-Main Campus. Interested bidders or their representatives are invited to attend the opening session. **Late bids shall not be accepted.**

**MASENO UNIVERSITY**

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION LICENCES

*(Pursuant to the provisions of section 119 (3) of the Energy Act (NO 1 of 2019)*  
**BY**  
**KENYA ELECTRICITY GENERATING COMPANY PLC**


**NOTICE** is hereby given that Kenya Electricity Generating Company Plc, a public limited company having its registered office at KenGen Pension Plaza II, Kolobot Road, Parklands. P.O. Box 47936-00100, Nairobi in the Republic of Kenya ("The Applicant"), pursuant to the provisions of section 119 (3) of the Energy Act, 2019, will on 2nd of June 2026, make an application to the Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority (the Regulator) for the Electric Power Transmission and Distribution Licenses for **KenGen Green Energy Park**.

The grant of the Licenses will not have any adverse effect on public or local authorities, companies, persons or bodies of persons within the areas of the undertaking.

Printed copies of the application, the Licences once granted and of any other particulars required can be inspected by the public at the registered office of the Company at the Company Secretary's office KenGen Pension Plaza II, Kolobot Road, 10th Floor, KenGen Pension Plaza II, Kolobot Road, Parklands, P.O. Box 47936 - 00100 GPO, Nairobi.

Any public or local authority, person or body of persons desirous of making any representation on or objection to the application must do so by a letter addressed to the Regulator and marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Transmission and Distribution Licences Objection" on or before the expiration of thirty (30) days from the date of application and must forward to the applicant a copy of such representation or objection.

AUSTIN OUKO  
**COMPANY SECRETARY AND GENERAL MANAGER, LEGAL AFFAIRS**





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## KENYA MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

INVITATION TO TENDER

The Kenya Medical Research Institute (KEMRI) is a state corporation, established through the Science and Technology (Amendment) Act of 1979. Its mandate is to conduct research in human health. KEMRI wishes to procure the following.

TENDER NUMBER	TENDER DESCRIPTION	BID BOND AMOUNT	OTHER DETAILS
KEMRI/HQ/016/2025-2026	Tender for provision of Group Life Insurance Services	700,000	Open
KEMRI/HQ/017/2025-2026	Tender for provision of security services for KEMRI Centres	480,000	Open
KEMRI/HQ/018/2025-2026	Supply and Installation of Phase 1 Solar Power system at KEMRI Kisian	380,000	Open
KEMRI/HQ/019/2025-2026	Acquisition of Disaster Recovery Services to Support Enterprise Systems	100,000	Open
KEMRI/HQ/020/2025-2026	Request for engagement of a consultant to develop Human resource instrument.	N/A	Open
KEMRI/HQ/021/2025-2026	Acquisition of Privileged Access Management (PAM) Solution	100,000	Open

Interested eligible and qualified tenderers with relevant experience in similar undertakings are invited to submit their bids. The tender documents may be obtained from the procurement department, KEMRI, headquarters off, Mbagathi way, P. O. Box 54840 - 00200 Nairobi during normal working hours upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Ksh.1,000.00 per set of documents to be deposited in:

**Bank:** Kenya Commercial Bank,  
**Branch:** Kipande House,  
**Name:** Kenya Medical Research Institute, Main Account  
**Account Number:** 1104161362

Alternatively, Tender documents can be downloaded free of charge from our website [www.kemri.go.ke](http://www.kemri.go.ke)

However, candidates who choose to download the documents must notify the procurement office immediately for record purposes by email: [procurement@kemri.go.ke](mailto:procurement@kemri.go.ke)

Those who buy the tenders are advised to take the banking slip to Kenya Medical Research Institute, cashiers office situated on 1<sup>st</sup> floor KEMRI headquarters and be issued with an official receipt before collecting the tender documents.


Instructions to tenderers are in the respective tender documents.

The envelope containing the tender document, bearing no indication of the bidder and clearly marked as indicated in the table above, should be deposited in the tender box at the Reception Area, Ground Floor, KEMRI Headquarters or sent by post to:-


Vice Chancellor  
Kenya Medical Research Institute  
P. O. Box 54840- 00200  
Nairobi

to reach not later than the **Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2026 at 10.00am local time**. Interested bidders or their representatives are invited to witness the opening of the bids, to be held at the, Conference Hall, at KEMRI Headquarters on the same day at 10.00 am. KEMRI may terminate the procurement proceedings prior to entering into a contract and reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders, without being bound to give reasons for its decision or incurring any liability. The Institute is also not obligated to award to the firm that offers the lowest price.

**Ag. VICE CHANCELLOR & CEO,  
KENYA MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE**



## Salaries & Remuneration Commission



TENDER NOTICE

The Salaries and Remuneration Commission was established under the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 with the mandate to set and regularly review the remuneration and benefits of all State Officers and to advise the National and County Governments on the remuneration and benefits of all other public officers.

The Commission Invites bids for:

Item/ Service Description	Tender No.	Closing Date	Eligibility	Bid Security
PROVISION OF TAXI SERVICES (FRAMEWORK CONTRACT)	SRC/OP/93/2025-2026	09.06.2026	OPEN	N/A
LEASE OF OFFICE SPACE	SRC/OP/95/25-26	04.06.2026	OPEN	100,000.00
PROVISION OF THE SRC INTEGRATED BUSINESS SYSTEM: PHASE 1	SRC/OP/98/2025- 2026	04.06.2026	OPEN	100,000.00

Interested eligible candidates may obtain bid document from SRC website [www.src.go.ke](http://www.src.go.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal ([www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)) at no cost.


Complete documents shall be deposited in the Tender Box situated at the entrance of Salaries and Remuneration Commission Offices, 6<sup>th</sup> floor, Williamson House, Nairobi, or to be addressed to:-

**The Commission Secretary  
Salaries and Remuneration Commission  
P.O. Box 43126-00100 NAIROBI**

Bidders **MUST** pay more attention to the tender submission instructions in the bid document.

The tenders will be opened immediately thereafter at SRC meeting room on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor, Williamson House, in the presence of bidders who wish to attend.

**COMMISSION SECRETARY**





REPUBLIC OF KENYA

## THE SELECTION PANEL FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT AS CHAIRPERSON OF THE INDEPENDENT POLICING OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY (IPOA)

### SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF CHAIRPERSON OF THE INDEPENDENT POLICING OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY (IPOA)

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 11(3) of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority Act, Cap 86 the Selection panel invited applications from suitably qualified persons for the position of Chairperson of the Independent Policing Oversight Authority (IPOA) in the print media on **28<sup>th</sup> April 2026** and **30<sup>th</sup> April, 2026**. The advert closed on **19<sup>th</sup> May 2026**.

(List of all applicants for the position of Chairperson is available on [www.publicservice.go.ke](http://www.publicservice.go.ke))

After considering the applications, the Selection Panel shortlisted **Sixteen (16)** candidates for the position of Chairperson to appear for interviews as shown in the schedule below:

#### Shortlisted candidates

Interview Date: **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2026**

S/ No.	Name	Gender	County	Time
1.	Jaafar Mohamed Sabir	Male	Mandera	9.30 a.m.
2.	Patrick Blasius Owiny	Male	Siaya	10.15 a.m.
3.	Demas Tuikong Kiprono	Male	Uasin Gishu	11.00 noon
4.	Kennedy Omoro Mosoti	Male	Nyamira	12.00 noon
5.	Wayongó Cyril Simiyu	Male	Bungoma	12.45 p.m.

Interview Date: **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

S/ No.	Name	Gender	County	Time
1.	Vincent Agala Chokaa	Male	Vihiga	8.30 a.m.
2.	Jacinta Nyaboke Nyamosi	Female	Kisii	9.15 a.m.
3.	Thomas Letangule	Male	Baringo	10.00 a.m.
4.	Elizabeth Atieno Ayoo	Female	Homa Bay	11.00 a.m.
5.	Geoffrey Mogendi Nyaaga	Male	Nyamira	11.45 a.m.
6.	Juliet Wanjiku Murimi	Female	Kiambu	12.30 p.m.

Interview Date: **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

S/ No.	Name	Gender	County	Time
1.	Lilian Bokeyeye Mahiri-Zaja	Female	Migori	8.30 a.m.
2.	Edward Katama Ngeywa (PWD)	Male	Trans Nzoia	9.15 a.m.
3.	Walubengo Waningilo	Male	Trans Nzoia	10.00 a.m.
4.	Duncan Ojwang Oburu	Male	Homa Bay	11.00 a.m.
5.	Longét Terer	Male	Kericho	11.45 a.m.

The Selection Panel informs the shortlisted candidates that the interviews will be conducted on the date and time indicated above at the Public Service Commission, Harambee Avenue, Nairobi. The candidates should be at the venue at least twenty (20) minutes before their scheduled time.

Shortlisted candidates should bring **originals** of the following documents during the interview:

- National Identity Card;
- Academic and professional certificates and transcripts;
- Any other supporting documents and testimonials; and
- Valid and current** clearances from the following bodies:
  - Kenya Revenue Authority;
  - Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission;
  - Higher Education Loans Board;
  - Any of the Registered Credit Reference Bureaus;
  - Directorate of Criminal Investigations (Police Clearance Certificate).
- Letter of recognition of qualifications from the Commission of University Education (CUE) for any degree obtained from foreign universities; and
- Recommendations from relevant professional bodies (where applicable).

#### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public are invited to avail any credible information of interest relating to any of the shortlisted candidates through sworn affidavits by hand delivery to the Office of the Secretary/CEO, Public Service Commission situated on 4<sup>th</sup> floor Commission House, Harambe Avenue, Nairobi on or before **Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026**.

**DR. REUBEN CHIRCHIR, MBS**  
CHAIRPERSON

SELECTION PANEL FOR THE SELECTION OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT  
AS CHAIRPERSON OF INDEPENDENT POLICING OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY



## NATIONAL OPEN TENDER NOTICE

The National Irrigation Authority (Authority) invites sealed tenders for the following:

S/ No.	Tender No.	Tender Name	Tender Submission Deadline	Target Group
1.	NIA/T/023/2025-2026	UPGRADE OF THE ERP SYSTEM – MICROSOFT DYNAMICS 365	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time	GENERAL

Detailed tender document that include mandatory preliminary requirements, technical and financial evaluation criteria may be viewed and obtained by interested and eligible tenderers free of charge from EGP KENYA WEB-SITE: <https://egpkenya.go.ke/tender> as from **02<sup>nd</sup> June 2026**.

### AMENDMENT NO. 1 OF 26<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2026

Reference is made to the publication of the National Open Tender in the Government Advertising Agency's MyGov edition of 19<sup>th</sup> May 2026.

The Procuring Entity, the National Irrigation Authority (the Authority), hereby amends the reservations and submission deadline as follows:

S. No.	Tender No.	Tender Name	Mandatory Pre-tender site visit	Target Group	Amended Category	Amended Tender Submission Deadline
1.	NIA/T/008/2025-2026	Construction works for the Rehabilitation and Upgrading of the existing Main Canal and Solarization of the Nanighi Pumping Station, Bura Irrigation Scheme, Tana River County	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	GENERAL	NOT AMENDED	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time
2.	NIA/T/009/2025-2026	Construction works for Wamuro irrigation development project, Kiambu County	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	WOMEN	NOT AMENDED	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time
3.	NIA/T/010/2025-2026	Rehabilitation works for Oldonyiro Irrigation project, Isiolo County	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	YOUTH	GENERAL	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time
4.	NIA/T/011/2025-2026	Rehabilitation of Ndemu Earth Dam – Kapseret Constituency, Uasin Gichu County	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	PWD	NOT AMENDED	15 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 2.00 PM local time
5.	NIA/T/012/2025-2026	Last mile connectivity for New Kithimu Irrigation Project, Manyatta And Runyenjes Constituencies, Embu County	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	WOMEN	NOT AMENDED	16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time
6.	NIA/T/013/2025-2026	Last mile connectivity for Itambua Muthatari Irrigation Project, Manyatta Constituency, Embu County	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 Amended to 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	GENERAL	NOT AMENDED	16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 2.00 PM local time
7.	NIA/T/014/2025-026	Construction Works for Mulwaper Irrigation Project, Phase 2, Marakwet East Constituency, Elgeyo Marakwet County	26 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	YOUTH	GENERAL	16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 3.00 PM local time
8.	NIA/T/015/2025-2026	Construction Works for the Kiirua Buuri Irrigation development Project, Phase 2, Buuri Constituency, Meru County	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 Amended to 29 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	PWD	WOMEN	16 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 4.00 PM local time
9.	NIA/T/016/2025-2026	Construction Works for the Rukira Irrigation development Project, Othaya Constituency, Nyeri County	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 Amended to 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	GENERAL	WOMEN	17 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time
10.	NIA/T/017/2025-2026	Construction Works for the Korongoi Earth dam Irrigation development Project, Ainabkoi Constituency, Uasin Gishu County	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2026 Amended to 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2026	PWD	GENERAL	17 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 2.00 PM local time
11.	NIA/T/018/2025-2026	Construction Works for the Wanifor Earth dam Irrigation development Project, Ainabkoi Constituency, Uasin Gishu County	28 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	GENERAL	PWD	17 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 3.00 PM local time
12.	NIA/T/019/2025-2026	Construction Works for the Tendwo Cascading Earth dams Irrigation development Project, Ainabkoi/Moiben Constituencies, Uasin Gishu County	29 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	YOUTH	NOT AMENDED	17 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 4.00 PM local time
13.	NIA/T/024/2025-2026	Construction Works for the Kapkoros Irrigation development Project, Phase 2 Nandi County	2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2026	WOMEN	NOT AMENDED	18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 noon local time
14.	NIA/T/020/2025-2026	Provision of general insurance services to National Irrigation Authority for FY 2026/2027		GENERAL	NOT AMENDED	18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 2.00 PM local time
15.	NIA/T/021/2025-2026	Provision of staff & Directors medical Insurance services for the FY 2026/2027		GENERAL	NOT AMENDED	18 <sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 2.30 PM local time

The other details, terms and conditions remain the same.

Tenderers may seek clarification through: [purchasing@irrigationauthority.go.ke](mailto:purchasing@irrigationauthority.go.ke), or [ceo@irrigationauthority.go.ke](mailto:ceo@irrigationauthority.go.ke).

**Physical Address**  
**Chief Executive Officer/CEO**  
**National Irrigation Authority (NIA)**  
**Irrigation House,**  
**Lenana Road, Hurlingham, Nairobi, Kenya**  
**Tel: +254-711061000**

**E-mail: [ceo@irrigationauthority.go.ke](mailto:ceo@irrigationauthority.go.ke); [purchasing@irrigationauthority.go.ke](mailto:purchasing@irrigationauthority.go.ke);**





**THE COMMISSION ON ADMINISTRATIVE JUSTICE**  
(Office of the Ombudsman)  
*Hata Mnyonge ana Haki*

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

The Commission on Administrative Justice (Office of the Ombudsman) is a Constitutional Commission established under Article 59 (4), Chapter fifteen of the Constitution and the Commission on Administrative Justice Act, 2011 with the mandate of addressing maladministration in the public sector. The Commission is also charged with overseeing and enforcing the implementation of the Access to Information Act, 2016.

The Commission seek to fill the following positions: -

NO	DESIGNATIONS	STATION	J/GRADE
1.	Assistant Director- Supply Chain Management	Headquarters	CAJ 3
2.	Assistant Director- Finance & Accounts	Headquarters	CAJ 3

Job specifications and other requirements are available on our website: [www.ombudsman.go.ke](http://www.ombudsman.go.ke)

Interested candidates who meet the qualifications for these positions should submit their application through the CAJ E-recruitment portal accessible via [www.ombudsman.go.ke](http://www.ombudsman.go.ke) by **9<sup>th</sup> June, 2026 at 5.00pm**

Applicants with certificates from foreign institutions must provide prove of recognition and equation by the Commission for University Education (CUE)

**NB: Hard copy applications will not be accepted or considered.**

Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

The Commission is committed to providing equal opportunities to all genders, ethnic groups and persons with disability in accordance with Article 232 (1)



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**INVITATION TO APPLY FOR REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS**

**REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2026-2027 AND 2027-2028**

The Commission on Administrative Justice (CAJ) intends to register firms/companies that may be called upon, as and when the need arises, to provide various goods, services, and works.

S/NO	TENDER REFERENCE NO	TENDER DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBITY	CLOSING DATE
1.	CAJ/RS/01/2025-2026	Registration of suppliers for Goods, Services, and Works for the Financial Years 2026-2027 and 2027-2028	OPEN	10 <sup>th</sup> June 2026

Interested Bidders may view and download the above documents from the Public Procurement Information Portal (PIIP) website [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke) or [www.ombudsman.go.ke](http://www.ombudsman.go.ke). The Submission details of completed documents is as provided in the respective documents.

Applicants eligible under AGPO are required only to complete the AGPO supplier registration form, indicate the categories they are interested in, and enclose the required documents.

All applicants must provide their EGP system registration number. The submission of registration documents shall be continuous, and the supplier list shall be updated periodically.

Applications for Registration should be submitted by hand/courier delivery, clearly marked envelopes, and delivered to the address given below by or before **10<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 12.00 pm**

All applicants should clearly indicate in the envelope the category they are interested in. One document shall present ONLY ONE category. For those interested in various categories, they should submit separate documents in the various categories.

**Contact us for further information and for purchasing tender documents, through:-**

The Commission on Administrative Justice  
Email: [procurement@ombudsman.go.ke](mailto:procurement@ombudsman.go.ke)

**Address for Submission of Tenders**  
The Commission on Administrative Justice  
P.O Box 20414- 0020  
Nairobi, Kenya

**Address for Opening of Tenders.**  
Commission on Administrative Justice  
P.O Box 20414- 00200  
Nairobi, Kenya  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, West End Towers, waiyaki way ,  
**Nairobi**

**Ag. COMMISSION SECRETARY/CEO**



**TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING AUTHORITY**

**VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

Technical and Vocational Education and Training Authority (TVETA) is a State Corporation established under the Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Act CAP 210A to regulate and coordinate training in the country through licensing, registration, and accreditation of programs, institutions and trainers.

The Authority seeks to recruit a qualified person to fill the position of **Director General/ Chief Executive Officer (CEO)**.

<b>Job Title</b>	Director General/CEO, TVETA Grade 1
<b>Ref.</b>	TVETA/1/MAY/2026
<b>Reports To</b>	TVETA Board
<b>Terms of appointment</b>	Five (5) Year contract, eligible for re-appointment for one (1) further term of five years upon the recommendation of the Board.
<b>Job Purpose</b>	Director-General shall be the chief executive officer of the Authority and shall be subject to the directions of the Board, be responsible for the day-to-day management of the affairs of the Authority.

**(a) Duties and Responsibilities**

- Ensuring that the Authority delivers on its mandate as stipulated in the TVET Act CAP 210A;
- Serves as the link between the Board and management, providing regular communication to the Board on all key technical, financial, strategic, administrative and other matters of the Authority;
- Develop and recommend to the Board, the Authority strategic plans, work plans and annual operating budgets
- Shall be ex officio member and secretary to the Board. Executing and communicating the Board's strategies, decisions and policies;
- Ensure the development and implementation of effective financial management policies.
- Ensure the preparation of the annual budget and establishment of proper internal controls;
- Establish Proper Internal Controls systems and procedures;
- Foster a corporate culture that promotes implementation of ethical and good corporate governance practices;
- Act as the official Spokesperson for the Authority;
- Maintain a conducive work environment that attracts, retains and motivates skilled and talented employees;
- Ensure compliance with the Constitution, policies, laws, regulations and procedures;
- Any other duty assigned by the Board from time to time, and consistent with the Constitution and other legal provisions.

**(b) Requirements for Appointment**

- Served in the grade of Director for a minimum period of three (3) years or in a comparable position in the Public Service/ Private Sector;
- Bachelor's degree in Education in a TVET related field;  
**OR**  
Bachelor's degree in any of the following disciplines:- Engineering (Computer, Electrical, Telecommunications, Mechanical, Automotive, Electronics, Construction Plant, Civil, Agricultural, Industrial Technology, Production Technology, Instrumentation and Control); Human Resource Management; Entrepreneurship; Agriculture; Livestock Production; Animal Health; Applied and Health Sciences; Agricultural Economics; Computer Science; Information Communication Technology; Library and Information Science; Commerce; Communication; Tourism; Hospitality Management; Hotel Management; Food Technology; Home Economics; Business Administration; Business Management; Sociology; Economics; Secretarial Studies; Supply Chain Management; Psychological Counseling; and Guidance and Counseling or any other equivalent qualification from a recognized institution and Post-Graduate Diploma in Education or Diploma in Technical Education from a recognized institution;
- Master's degree in any of the following disciplines: Education; Engineering (Electrical, Mechanical, Automotive, Electronics, Telecommunication, Computer Science, Civil, Construction Plant, Agricultural, Industrial Technology, Production Technology, Instrumentation and Control); Information Systems; Information Technology; Library and Information Science; Information Communication Technology; Disaster Management; Agriculture; Livestock Production; Animal Health; Applied and Health Sciences; Agricultural Economics; Project Management; Entrepreneurship; Communication; Human Resource Management; Food Technology; Sociology; Economics; Business Administration; Business Management; Tourism; Supply Chain Management; Guidance and Counseling or any other equivalent qualifications from a recognized institution;
- At least fifteen (15) years' experience in Public or private Institutions, five (5) of which must be in senior Management;
- Has expertise in matters relating to Technical and Vocational Education;
- Doctorate degree in a relevant area will be an added advantage;
- Leadership course lasting not less than four (4) weeks from a recognized institution is an added advantage;
- Membership to a relevant professional body where applicable
- Be a Kenyan citizen
- Meet the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution;
- demonstrate a high degree of professional competence and administrative capability required for effective performance of duties at this level.

**(c) Personal Qualities**

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| i. Adaptability and strategic thinking skills; | (v) Decision-making Skills and Decisiveness;    |
| ii. Strong and effective communication Skills; | (vi) Diplomacy and balanced negotiation Skills; |
| iii. Ethical Leadership Skills;                | (vii) Demonstrate high emotional intelligence;  |
| iv. Resource Mobilization skills;              | (viii) Possess strong team building skills      |

**HOW TO APPLY:**

Interested applicants must submit a detailed application letter, certified true copies of academic and professional certificates, testimonials, a copy of their national ID, and an updated curriculum vitae (CV). Applications may be submitted as either hard copy or soft copy and should be clearly referenced "**Application for the position of Director General/CEO**". All applications must reach the Office of the Chairperson on or before **Tuesday, 9 June 2026, at 5:00 p.m. EAT**

**The Chairperson, Board of Directors**

**TVETA**  
**Utalii Hse. 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Wing A, Office of the Chairperson**  
**PO BOX 35625-00100 Nairobi.**  
**Email: [recruitment@tveta.go.ke](mailto:recruitment@tveta.go.ke)**

Successful candidates will be required to produce valid copies of clearance certificates in fulfillment of the requirements of Chapter Six of the Kenyan Constitution as follows:

- Valid tax compliance certificate from Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA);
- Valid Higher Education Loans Board (HELB) clearance certificate;
- Valid self-declaration forms from Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission specific to this advertisement;
- Police Clearance Certificate from the Directorate of Criminal Investigations (DCI) issued not more than one year ago from the date of this advert;
- Valid Credit Reference Bureau (CRB) clearance.

Technical and Vocational Education and Training Authority (TVETA) is an equal opportunity employer promoting gender, equity and diversity. Persons with Disability (PWDs) and other Minority groups are encouraged to apply.

Note: Names of the applicants and shortlisted candidates will appear on TVETA website: [tveta.go.ke](http://tveta.go.ke).



# Anti-FGM Board calls on clergy to help end the practice

BY HUSSEIN ABDULLAHI  
(KNA)

The Anti-FGM board is actively seeking the support of religious leaders and their institutions in the fight to eliminate Female Genital Mutilation in the society.

Female genital mutilation sometimes called female circumcision, involves the procedure of partial or total removal of the female genitalia and any intrusive procedure to the female

genitalia for non-medical reasons.

The Board is, therefore, urging religious leaders to use their spiritual platforms to create understanding on effects of FGM as well as condemn and help eradicate the harmful traditional practice.

As a semi-autonomous government agency, the Board views faith leaders as 'trusted moral authorities' in the society who can effectively dismantle the cultural myths perpetuating the social vice

rooted in local traditions and cultures.

Anti-FGM board organized a sensitization forum on ending FGM for 150 imams and pastors drawn from Tana River County in Hola town who said the practice has no place in faith.

The forum provided a meaningful dialogue on the collective role of faith leaders in ending FGM and protecting the rights and dignity of girls.

The event was led by Hashim Musa, Director

Policy and Research, who stated that religious leaders are critical in mobilizing communities to educate the people on the dangers of FGM.

Musa says Christian and Muslim religious leaders have the moral duty to speak out against the primitive act of FGM in churches and mosques.

He noted that FGM is a harmful practice with no medical or health benefits that results in severe physical and psychological consequences for women

and girls.

Musa said they are happy that the Hola forum ended with a united call for communities to protect the girl child and work towards ending FGM.

He said it violates the rights of women and girls and causes severe physical, psychological and emotional damage.

Kenya Demographic and Health Survey (KDHS) of 2022 indicated Tana River FGM prevalence rate of 60.1 per cent among women between the reproductive

ages of 15 and 49.

Musa said the health complications as a result of undergoing FGM include loss of sex drive, infertility, stillbirth and increased rate of maternal and infant mortality and complications during delivery.

He said religious leaders remain powerful voices of influence, guidance and hope and can bring about positive social change.

"Faith leaders have the responsibility to educate their congregation on the effects of FGM," he said.

# Engineers Board intensifies push for Washington Accord

BY HILDA CHESHARI  
(MYGOV)

The Engineers Board of Kenya has intensified efforts towards Kenya's full accession to the Washington Accord through a nationwide series of regional training workshops on Outcome-Based Education (OBE) targeting engineering lecturers and university staff.

The initiative, being spearheaded by the Board, is aimed at strengthening the implementation of internationally aligned engineering education standards across universities and training institutions in Kenya.

The latest workshop, organized by the Engineering Accreditation Committee (EAC) of EBK, brought together engineering lecturers and academic staff from institutions within the Rift Valley region, including University of Eldoret, Moi University, Egerton University and Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology.

Speaking during the workshop, EBK Ag. Registrar and CEO Eng. Grace Onyango (pictured), said Kenya's journey towards attaining Full Signatory Status to the Washington Accord by 2029 will largely depend on the successful implementation of Outcome-Based Education at institutional level.

She noted that the training programme seeks to strengthen the capacity of engineering lecturers and university staff to implement Washington Accord-aligned OBE standards and equip them with practical skills in



developing OBE-aligned curricula, course learning outcomes and assessment tools.

"Outcome-Based Education represents a fundamental shift in engineering education. Universities must now focus on student-centered learning, measurable outcomes and continuous quality improvement systems that align with global accreditation standards," said Eng. Onyango.

She emphasized that the Board is committed to supporting universities through capacity building, technical guidance and continuous engagement to ensure all recognized engineering programmes transition effectively to OBE.

Kenya attained Provisional Signatory Status to the Washington Accord in June 2025, marking a major milestone in the international recognition of the country's engineering accreditation framework. Full accession to the Accord will significantly enhance the global recognition, mobility and employability of Kenyan engineering graduates and professionals.

Currently, 77 out of 78 engineering programmes

offered across 18 institutions are recognized by the Board, reflecting significant progress in strengthening quality assurance and regulation of engineering education in the country.

Representing the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Eldoret, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration & Finance) Prof. Wilson Ng'etich observed that universities are operating in an increasingly competitive and globalized environment where graduates are expected to compete effectively at both regional and international levels.

He noted that institutions that fail to align their programmes with internationally recognized standards risk producing graduates whose qualifications may not receive global recognition.

Prof. Ng'etich emphasized that successful implementation of Outcome-Based Education requires strong institutional support, including continuous faculty capacity development, investment in laboratories and infrastructure, enhanced teaching and assessment methods, robust quality assurance systems, industry collaboration and adequate learning resources.

The regional workshops are expected to continue across the country as part of EBK's broader strategy to promote uniform standards, strengthen engineering education and position Kenya for full accession to the Washington Accord by 2029.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA



TANATHI WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

INVITATION FOR BIDS

CONSTRUCTION OF KILOMBO (KWA ISUI) EARTH DAM

1. Tanathi Water Works Development Agency (TAWWDA) has received financing from the Government of Kenya through the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation for the **CONSTRUCTION OF KILOMBO (KWA ISUI) EARTH DAM**.

**Tender No: TAWWDA/010/2025-2026**

2. Bidding will be governed by the Government of Kenya Public Procurement rules and Procedures (The Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act 2015; [www.ppoa.go.ke](http://www.ppoa.go.ke)).

The works shall comprise but not limited to the following:

- Rehabilitation/ Construction of an earth dam
- Rehabilitation/ Construction of a spillway
- Desilting of Dam Reservoir
- Construct of 1 No. cattle trough
- Fencing and Gate for Reservoir area

3. Tanathi Water Works Development Agency now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders to undertake the works described above. The delivery/construction period is 6 months.

4. Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding procedures specified by the Government of Kenya Public Procurement rules and Procedures (The Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act 2015; [www.ppoa.go.ke](http://www.ppoa.go.ke)), and is open to all bidders registered in Kenya as defined in the Bidding Documents.

5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from:

**The Chief Executive Officer**  
Tanathi Water Works Development Agency  
Private Bag  
KITUI, KENYA  
Tel: 0792048012  
Email: [info@tanathi.go.ke](mailto:info@tanathi.go.ke)  
Website: [www.tanathi.go.ke](http://www.tanathi.go.ke)

and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 0800 hours to 1700 hours local time from Monday to Friday, except during lunch hour (1300 hours to 1400 hours), during weekends and public holidays.

6. The Application must be clearly marked "**TENDER FOR CONSTRUCTION OF KILOMBO (KWA ISUI) EARTH DAM**".

7. Qualifications requirements include:

Experience as a prime contractor in the construction of, at least 2 WORKS of a nature and complexity equivalent to the Works over the last **5 YEARS**.

- a. Proposals for the timely acquisition (own, lease, hire, etc.) of the essential equipment
- b. Liquid assets and/or credit facilities, net of other contractual commitments and exclusive of any advance payments which may be made under the Contract, of no less than **KShs 25,000,000**
- c. Only firms registered with the National Construction Authority under category NCA 1 to NCA 6 (**WATER OPTION**) shall be eligible for this tender.
- d. A consistent history of litigation or arbitration awards for the Applicant or any partner of a Joint Venture may result in disqualification.

9. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be inspected and downloaded by interested bidders **free of charge** at [www.tanathi.go.ke](http://www.tanathi.go.ke)

10. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 1200 hours East Africa time on **17<sup>th</sup> June 2026**. Late bids will be rejected and returned to the Bidder un-opened. Bids will be opened physically in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address thereafter.

11. A **MANDATORY** pre-tender site visit shall be held on **3<sup>rd</sup> June 2026** at **Mavivi Chief Office, at 1000Hrs**.

12. All bids shall be accompanied by a **Bid Security Of 2%** of The Bid Price (or equivalent amount in freely convertible currency).

13. The address referred to above is:

**The Chief Executive Officer**  
Tanathi Water Works Development Agency  
Private Bag  
KITUI, KENYA  
Tel: 0792048012  
Email: [info@tanathi.go.ke](mailto:info@tanathi.go.ke)  
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# Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Audited 2025	Audited 2024
Total insurance revenue	17,069,518	18,849,176
Ceding commission	(4,488,196)	(4,697,717)
<b>Insurance revenue</b>	<b>12,581,322</b>	<b>14,151,459</b>
Insurance service expenses	(11,119,692)	(10,493,951)
Net expenses from reinsurance contracts	(1,353,170)	(708,418)
<b>Insurance service result</b>	<b>108,460</b>	<b>2,949,090</b>
Interest revenue calculated using the effective interest method	4,542,384	4,501,757
Impairment gain/(loss) on financial assets	143,287	(217,229)
Share of results of associate	816,498	610,186
Fair value gains on revaluation of investment properties	305,824	343,011
Other investment income	1,035,560	1,112,549
Net foreign exchange (loss)	(247,651)	(1,683,848)
<b>Net investment income</b>	<b>6,595,902</b>	<b>4,666,426</b>
Finance (expenses) from insurance contracts	(252,042)	(637,072)
Finance income/(expenses) from reinsurance contracts	29,823	(79,131)
<b>Net insurance finance (expenses)</b>	<b>(222,219)</b>	<b>(716,203)</b>
<b>Net insurance and investment result</b>	<b>6,482,143</b>	<b>6,899,313</b>
Other income	136,550	113,516
Operating and other expenses	(1,793,498)	(1,364,656)
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	<b>4,825,195</b>	<b>5,648,173</b>
Income tax expense	(901,602)	(1,211,021)
<b>Profit for the year</b>	<b>3,923,593</b>	<b>4,437,152</b>
<b>Other Comprehensive Income</b>		
<i>Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>		
Net gains on revaluation of quoted equity instruments classified as FVTOCI	669,524	368,583
Net gains on revaluation of unquoted equity instruments	122,131	235,324
Share of movement in associate reserves:		
– fair value reserve	269,209	99,963
Share of gain on property revaluation of associate	993	10,603
Remeasurement gain/losses on defined benefit plans, net of tax	37,749	14,067
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:		
Net gains on revaluation of held at FVTOCI government securities	63,973	152,225
Foreign exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	436,930	(1,013,637)
Share of movement in associate reserves:		
– currency translation	157,655	(1,966,666)
<b>Total other comprehensive income/(loss)</b>	<b>1,758,164</b>	<b>(2,099,538)</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income</b>	<b>5,681,757</b>	<b>2,337,614</b>
<b>Earnings per share - basic and diluted</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.79</b>

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Audited 2025	Audited 2024
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Property and equipment	74,812	81,784
Investment properties	13,420,999	13,060,800
Deferred tax asset	225,350	101,507
Defined benefit asset	96,905	60,538
Investment in associate	9,989,115	9,161,534
Intangible assets	76,283	46,280
Mortgage loans	906,443	824,558
Unquoted equity instruments	934,712	603,113
Quoted equity instruments	2,055,301	1,409,983
Corporate bonds	225,595	44,820
Government securities	26,510,495	25,240,439
Inventory	26,205	18,529
Reinsurance contract assets	192,236	606,158
Income tax receivable	1,899,376	166,719
Other receivables	553,378	478,280
Deposits with financial institutions	13,996,911	14,320,929
Cash and bank balances	1,020,600	587,098
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>72,204,716</b>	<b>66,813,069</b>
<b>EQUITY</b>		
Share capital	13,998,982	13,998,982
Revaluation reserve	37,904	36,911
Fair value reserve	1,015,334	(109,503)
Translation reserve	2,090,555	1,495,970
Statutory reserve	10,791,002	10,376,154
Retained earnings	26,580,505	23,873,946
<b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>	<b>54,514,282</b>	<b>49,672,460</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Insurance contract liabilities	13,952,186	13,776,637
Reinsurance contract liabilities	1,060,287	1,022,804
Deferred tax liability	1,702,582	1,419,534
Other payables	975,379	921,634
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>17,690,434</b>	<b>17,140,609</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>	<b>54,514,282</b>	<b>49,672,460</b>

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Share capital	Revaluation reserve	Fair value reserve	Translation reserve	Statutory reserve	Retained earnings	Total
	Sh'000'	Sh'000'	Sh'000'	Sh'000'	Sh'000'	Sh'000'	Sh'000'
<b>At 1 January 2024</b>	<b>6,999,491</b>	<b>26,308</b>	<b>(965,598)</b>	<b>4,476,274</b>	<b>8,584,946</b>	<b>29,053,364</b>	<b>48,174,785</b>
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	1,791,207	2,645,945	4,437,152
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	10,603	856,095	(2,980,303)	-	14,067	(2,099,538)
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,603</b>	<b>856,095</b>	<b>(2,980,303)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14,067</b>	<b>2,337,614</b>
Dividends declared – 2023	-	-	-	-	-	(839,939)	(839,939)
Bonus issue	6,999,491	-	-	-	-	(6,999,491)	-
<b>At 31 December 2024</b>	<b>13,998,982</b>	<b>36,911</b>	<b>(109,503)</b>	<b>1,495,970</b>	<b>10,376,154</b>	<b>23,873,946</b>	<b>49,672,460</b>
<b>At 1 January 2025</b>	<b>13,998,982</b>	<b>36,911</b>	<b>(109,503)</b>	<b>1,495,970</b>	<b>10,376,154</b>	<b>23,873,946</b>	<b>49,672,460</b>
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	414,848	3,508,746	3,923,593
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	993	1,124,837	594,585	-	37,749	1,758,164
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>993</b>	<b>1,124,837</b>	<b>594,585</b>	<b>414,848</b>	<b>3,546,495</b>	<b>5,681,757</b>
Dividends declared – 2024	-	-	-	-	-	(839,936)	(839,936)
<b>At 31 December 2025</b>	<b>13,998,982</b>	<b>37,904</b>	<b>1,015,334</b>	<b>2,090,555</b>	<b>10,791,002</b>	<b>26,580,505</b>	<b>54,514,282</b>

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Audited 2025	Audited 2024
	KShs'000	KShs'000
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Cash flows from (used in)/generated from operating activities	(1,383,249)	2,538,018
Dividends received	182,893	146,247
Interest received	4,487,434	4,501,757
Tax paid in the year	(2,411,144)	(2,760,665)
<b>Net cash generated from operating activities</b>	<b>875,934</b>	<b>4,425,357</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Purchase of investment property	(54,376)	(9,006)
Purchase of property and equipment	(21,180)	(5,358)
Purchase of intangible assets	(36,023)	(23,145)
Purchase of unquoted equity instruments	(209,468)	(12,284)
Purchase of corporate bonds	(181,910)	-
Dividend received from investment in associate	416,775	-
<b>Net cash (used in) investing activities</b>	<b>(86,183)</b>	<b>(49,793)</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Dividends paid	(839,936)	(839,939)
<b>Net cash (used in) financing activities</b>	<b>(839,936)</b>	<b>(839,939)</b>
<b>Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>(50,185)</b>	<b>3,535,625</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January</b>	<b>7,450,706</b>	<b>4,288,728</b>
<b>Effects of Movements in exchange rate on cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>3,792</b>	<b>(373,647)</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalent at 31 December</b>	<b>7,404,313</b>	<b>7,450,706</b>



# Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited

## COMPANY STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Audited 2025 KShs '000	Audited 2024 KShs '000
Total insurance revenue	14,521,866	16,066,157
Ceding commission	(3,874,985)	(3,930,043)
<b>Insurance revenue</b>	<b>10,646,881</b>	<b>12,136,114</b>
Insurance service expenses	(9,973,520)	(8,274,347)
Net expenses from reinsurance contracts	(1,289,296)	(706,712)
<b>Insurance service result</b>	<b>(615,935)</b>	<b>3,155,055</b>
Interest revenue calculated using the effective interest method	4,085,722	4,164,976
Impairment gain/(loss) on financial assets	144,794	(218,120)
Share of results of associate	816,498	610,186
Fair value gains on revaluation of investment properties	305,824	343,011
Other investment income	1,035,560	1,112,549
Net foreign exchange (loss)	(128,921)	(1,729,512)
<b>Net investment income</b>	<b>6,259,477</b>	<b>4,283,090</b>
Finance (expenses) from insurance contracts	(290,693)	(622,930)
Finance income/(expenses) from reinsurance contracts	29,393	(78,780)
<b>Net insurance finance (expenses)</b>	<b>(261,300)</b>	<b>(701,710)</b>
<b>Net insurance and investment result</b>	<b>5,382,242</b>	<b>6,736,435</b>
Other income	136,550	113,516
Operating and other expenses	(1,433,972)	(1,106,755)
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	<b>4,084,820</b>	<b>5,743,196</b>
Income tax expense	(765,996)	(1,205,351)
<b>Profit for the year</b>	<b>3,318,824</b>	<b>4,537,845</b>
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>		
<i>Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>		
Net gains on revaluation of quoted equity instruments classified as FVTOCI	669,524	368,583
Net gains on revaluation of unquoted equity instruments	122,131	235,324
Share of movement in associate reserves:		
– fair value reserve	269,209	99,963
Share of gain on property revaluation of associate	993	10,603
Remeasurement gain/losses on defined benefit plans, net of tax	37,749	14,067
<i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:</i>		
Net gains on revaluation of held at FVTOCI government securities	63,973	152,225
Share of movement in associate reserves:		
– currency translation	157,655	(1,966,666)
<b>Total other comprehensive income/(loss)</b>	<b>1,321,234</b>	<b>(1,085,901)</b>
<b>Total comprehensive income</b>	<b>4,640,058</b>	<b>3,451,944</b>
<b>Earnings per share - basic and diluted</b>	<b>0.59</b>	<b>0.81</b>

## COMPANY STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Share capital Sh'000'	Revaluation reserve Sh'000'	Fair value reserve Sh'000'	Translation reserve Sh'000'	Statutory reserve Sh'000'	Retained earnings Sh'000'	Total Sh'000'
<b>At 1 January 2024</b>	<b>6,999,491</b>	<b>26,308</b>	<b>(965,598)</b>	<b>3,490,332</b>	<b>8,569,566</b>	<b>28,052,548</b>	<b>46,172,647</b>
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	1,787,953	2,749,892	4,537,845
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	10,603	856,095	(1,966,666)	-	14,067	(1,085,901)
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,603</b>	<b>856,095</b>	<b>(1,966,666)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14,067</b>	<b>3,451,944</b>
Dividends declared – 2023	-	-	-	-	-	(839,939)	(839,939)
Bonus issue.	6,999,491	-	-	-	-	(6,999,491)	-
<b>At 31 December 2024</b>	<b>13,998,982</b>	<b>36,911</b>	<b>(109,503)</b>	<b>1,523,666</b>	<b>10,357,519</b>	<b>22,977,077</b>	<b>48,784,652</b>
<b>At 1 January 2025</b>	<b>13,998,982</b>	<b>36,911</b>	<b>(109,503)</b>	<b>1,523,666</b>	<b>10,357,519</b>	<b>22,977,077</b>	<b>48,784,652</b>
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	404,963	2,913,861	3,318,824
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	993	1,124,837	157,655	-	37,749	1,321,234
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>993</b>	<b>1,124,837</b>	<b>157,655</b>	<b>404,963</b>	<b>2,951,610</b>	<b>4,640,058</b>
Dividends declared – 2024	-	-	-	-	-	(839,936)	(839,936)
<b>At 31 December 2025</b>	<b>13,998,982</b>	<b>37,904</b>	<b>1,015,334</b>	<b>1,681,321</b>	<b>10,762,482</b>	<b>25,088,751</b>	<b>52,584,774</b>

## COMPANY STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Audited 2025 KShs '000	Audited 2024 KShs '000
<b>Assets</b>		
Property and equipment	32,229	34,087
Investment properties	13,420,999	13,060,800
Defined benefit asset	66,905	60,538
Investment in subsidiary	3,045,060	2,761,398
Investment in associate	9,989,115	9,161,534
Intangible assets	76,283	46,280
Mortgage loans	873,939	815,527
Unquoted equity instruments	934,712	603,113
Quoted equity instruments	2,055,301	1,409,983
Corporate bonds	225,595	44,820
Government securities	25,034,494	24,410,357
Inventory	19,911	12,953
Reinsurance contract assets	179,587	595,235
Income tax receivable	2,000,179	273,902
Due from related party	194,283	144,822
Other receivables	509,970	451,200
Deposits with financial institutions	9,384,655	10,047,728
Cash and bank balances	476,441	173,762
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>68,549,658</b>	<b>64,108,039</b>
<b>Equity</b>		
Share capital	13,998,982	13,998,982
Revaluation reserve	37,904	36,911
Fair value reserve	1,015,334	(109,503)
Translation reserve	1,681,321	1,523,666
Statutory reserve	10,762,482	10,357,519
Retained earnings	25,088,751	22,977,077
<b>Total equity</b>	<b>52,584,774</b>	<b>48,784,652</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Insurance contract liabilities	12,186,996	11,942,760
Reinsurance contract liabilities	884,555	881,551
Deferred tax liability	1,702,582	1,419,534
Due to related party	363,718	292,843
Other payables	827,033	786,699
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>15,964,884</b>	<b>15,323,387</b>
<b>Net Assets</b>	<b>52,584,774</b>	<b>48,784,652</b>

## COMPANY STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2025

	Audited 2025 KShs '000	Audited 2024 KShs '000
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Cash flows from (used in)/generated from operating activities	994,540	(225,051)
Dividends received	182,893	146,198
Interest received	4,034,962	3,851,907
Tax paid in the year	(2,209,225)	(2,479,641)
<b>Net cash generated from operating activities</b>	<b>3,003,169</b>	<b>1,293,413</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Purchase of investment property	(54,376)	(9,006)
Purchase of property and equipment	(19,031)	(3,577)
Purchase of intangible assets	(36,023)	(23,145)
Purchase of unquoted equity instruments	(209,469)	(12,284)
Purchase of corporate bonds	(181,910)	-
Dividend received from investment in associate	416,775	-
Investment in subsidiary	(283,662)	-
<b>Net cash (used in) investing activities</b>	<b>(367,696)</b>	<b>(48,012)</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Dividends paid	(839,936)	(839,939)
<b>Net cash (used in) financing activities</b>	<b>(839,936)</b>	<b>(839,939)</b>
<b>Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>1,795,537</b>	<b>405,462</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January</b>	<b>3,449,315</b>	<b>3,129,785</b>
<b>Effects of Movements in exchange rate on cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>(85,932)</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalent at 31 December</b>	<b>5,245,672</b>	<b>3,449,315</b>

RATIOS	2025	2024
Capital adequacy ratio	551%	687%
Combined ratio	99%	84%

The audited financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 26th March 2026 and were signed on its behalf by:

Dr. Hillary M. Wachinga  
Principal Officer

Mr. Erick Gumbo, MBS  
Chairman

Mr. David Muthusi  
Director



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## NOTICE OF THE 2026 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the **28<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** of **KENYA REINSURANCE CORPORATION LIMITED** will be held electronically on **Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 11.00 a.m.** when the following business will be transacted, namely:

### AGENDA

- Constitution of the Meeting – To read the notice convening the Meeting and determine if a quorum is present.
- To receive, consider and, if approved, adopt the Corporation's audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025 together with the Chairman's, Directors' and Auditors' Reports thereon.
- To approve payment of a first and final dividend of **KShs.0.15** per share for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025 to the shareholders registered in our books as at 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026 to be paid on or about 31<sup>st</sup> July 2026.
- Election of Directors:  
In accordance with Article 110 of the Corporation's Articles of Association, the following directors retire by rotation and being eligible, offer themselves for re-election:
  - Ms. Eunice Nyala
  - Mr. Eric Gumbo
  - Mr. David Muthusi
  - Mr. Irungu Kirika
  - Mr. Omar Shallo
  - Dr. Zachariah Nyaega
  - Hon. Abdirahin Abdi
  - Mrs. Leah Rotich
  - Mrs. Jackline Nyandeje
- To approve the Directors' remuneration report for the period ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025.
- Auditors  
To note that the audit of the Corporation's books of accounts will continue to be undertaken by the Auditor General or an audit firm appointed by her in accordance with Section 23 of the Public Audit Act 2015.
- To authorise the Directors to fix the remuneration of the Auditors.
- To authorise the Directors to appoint members of the Audit Committee of the Board.
- To transact any other business in respect of which due notice has been received.

### By Order of the Board

**Charles N. Kariuki**  
Corporation Secretary,  
Kenya Reinsurance Corporation Limited  
Reinsurance Plaza, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor, Taifa Road  
P.O. Box 30271-00100  
Nairobi

### NOTES:

- Any member may by notice duly signed by him or her and delivered to the Corporation Secretary on the above address, not less than fourteen (14) days and not more than twenty one (21) days before the date appointed for the Annual General Meeting give notice of his intention to propose any other person for election to the Board, such notice to be accompanied by a notice signed by the person proposed of his or her willingness to be elected. The proposed person need not be a member of the Company.
- The company's Articles of Association provide for holding of virtual shareholder meetings.
- Any shareholder wishing to follow the virtual meeting should register for the AGM by doing the following:
  - Dialling \*483\*233# for all networks and follow the various prompts regarding the registration process; or
  - Sending an email request to be registered to [kenyareshares@image.co.ke](mailto:kenyareshares@image.co.ke).
  - Shareholders with email addresses will receive a registration link via email through which they can use to register
 To complete the registration process, shareholders will need to have their ID/Passport Numbers which were used to purchase their shares and/or their CDSC Account Number at hand. For assistance Shareholders should dial the following helpline number: **0709 170 000/0709 170 030** from 9am to 4pm every working day.
- Registration for the AGM **opens on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026** and will close on Wednesday **17<sup>th</sup> June 2026** at 11:00 am.
- In accordance with Section 283 (2) (c) of the Companies Act, the following documents may be viewed on the Company's website <https://www.kenyare.co.ke/>:
  - a copy of this Notice and the proxy form;
  - the Company's audited financial statements for the year 2025

The reports may also be accessed upon request by dialling the USSD code above and selecting the Reports option. The reports and agenda can also be accessed on the livestream link.

- Shareholders wishing to raise any questions or clarifications regarding the AGM may do so by:
  - sending their written questions by email to [Questions.Agm@kenyare.co.ke](mailto:Questions.Agm@kenyare.co.ke) or [kenyareshares@image.co.ke](mailto:kenyareshares@image.co.ke)
  - to the extent possible, physically delivering their written questions with a return physical address or email address to the registered office of the Company at Reinsurance Plaza or Image Registrars offices at 5<sup>th</sup> floor, Absa Towers (formerly Barclays Plaza), Loita Street; or
  - sending their written questions with a return physical address or email address by registered post to the Company's address at P.O. Box 30271-00100 Nairobi.
 Shareholders who will have registered to participate in the meeting shall be able to ask questions via sms by dialling the USSD code above and selecting the option (Ask Question) on the prompts.  
**Shareholders must provide their full details (full names, ID/Passport Number/CDSC Account Number) when submitting their questions and clarifications.**  
 All questions and clarification received by the Company by **Thursday, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2026** at 5:00 pm and during the meeting will be responded to and published on the Company's website after the General Meeting. Some of the questions will also be answered during the meeting.
- In accordance with Section 298(1) of the Companies Act, Shareholders entitled to attend and vote at the AGM are entitled to appoint a proxy to vote on their behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company but if not the Chairman of the AGM, the appointed proxy will need access to a mobile telephone. A proxy form is attached to this Notice and is available on the Company's website via this link: [www.kenyare.co.ke](http://www.kenyare.co.ke). Physical copies of the proxy form are also available at the following address: Image Registrars Limited offices, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Absa Towers (formerly Barclays Plaza), Loita Street. A proxy must be signed by the appointor or his attorney duly authorized in writing, or, if the appointor is a company, either under seal, or under the hand of an officer or attorney duly authorized by the company. A completed form of proxy should be emailed to [kenyareshares@image.co.ke](mailto:kenyareshares@image.co.ke) or delivered to Image Registrars Limited, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Absa Towers (formerly Barclays Plaza), Loita Street, P.O. Box 9287 – 00100 GPO, Nairobi, so as to be received not later than **17<sup>th</sup> June 2026** at 11.00 a.m. Any person appointed as a proxy should submit his/her mobile telephone number or email address to the Company not later than **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2026** 11.00 am. Any proxy registration that is rejected will be communicated to the shareholder concerned no later than 3 pm **17<sup>th</sup> June 2026** to allow time to address any issues.
- The AGM will be streamed live via a link which shall be provided to all shareholders who will have **successfully** registered to participate in the Annual General Meeting. Duly registered shareholders and proxies will receive a short message service (SMS)/USSD prompt on their registered mobile numbers, 24 hours prior to the AGM acting as a reminder of the AGM. A second SMS/USSD prompt shall be sent one hour ahead of the AGM, reminding duly registered shareholders and proxies that the AGM will begin in an hours' time and providing a link to the livestream.
- Duly registered Shareholders and proxies **may access the AGM agenda** and follow the proceedings of the AGM via livestream platform. Duly registered Shareholders and proxies may vote (when prompted by the chairman) via the USSD prompts **as well as through the VOTE tab on the livestream link.**
- A poll shall be conducted for all the resolutions put forward on notice.**
- Results of the AGM shall be published within 48 hours following conclusion of the AGM **on the Company's website [www.kenyare.co.ke](http://www.kenyare.co.ke)**

# e- PMIS rollout on 1st June to transform public service pension administration

BY MICHAEL OBONYO - PCO

The Principal Secretary for Public Investments and Assets Management Mr. Cyrell Wagunda has announced that the Pensions Department under the State Department in the National Treasury will fully roll out the new electronic Pensions Management Information System (e-PMIS) with effect from 1st June 2026 as part of the broader government public financial management and digital transformation agenda.

He noted that e-PMIS is a transformative digital platform designed to modernize the administration of public service pension from end to end. This will ensure that public officers retire with dignity and their pension benefits administered efficiently and transparently while ensuring that the Government's pension obligations remain fiscally sustainable.

The PS said that the development of the e-PMIS was preceded by extensive consultations and business process re-engineering involving ministries, departments and agencies, pensioners and retirees among other key stakeholders ensuring that every stage of pension processing was mapped, bottlenecks identified, and workflows redesigned to eliminate inefficiencies and strengthen controls.

Mr. Wagunda observed that this was not merely an automation exercise but a fundamental re-engineering of pension administration. The PS further noted that after the development of the system, it underwent rigorous testing and pilot implementation, and feedback from participating institutions was incorporated to ensure that the final product is practical, user-friendly, and responsive to operational realities.

Speaking during the inaugural employers' round table conference for Public Service Superannuation Scheme at a Nairobi hotel, Mr. Wagunda emphasized that the e-PMIS will serve as the official end-to-end system of record for the administration of public service pension managed by the Pensions Department, covering the entire pension life cycle.

The PS noted that the key features of the system include initiation and submission of pension claims, automated validation of data, digital document management, workflow approvals and complete audit trails, real-time claim tracking, pension payroll administration, pensioner and

beneficiary self-service, digital life certification, automated notifications and alerts and management reporting and analytics.

He urged all Accounting Officers and Heads of Human Resource Management to provide the leadership and institutional support necessary to ensure the successful implementation of these reforms. The PS further noted that technology alone will not deliver the necessary pension reforms adding that its success will depend on leadership at the Ministries, Departments and Agencies (MDAs) where pension processing begins.

"The quality of employee records, the timeliness of action, and the effectiveness of internal controls within each MDA will directly determine whether retirees receive their benefits promptly and accurately", emphasised Mr. Wagunda.

Speaking during the event, the Pensions Secretary Michael Kagika noted that submission of manual pension claims by MDAs will cease on 31st May, 2026 and that w.e.f 1st June 2026 all pension claims shall be initiated, processed and submitted exclusively through the e-PMIS. He further noted that the National has issued a Circular on the roll-out of the e-PMIS to all MDAs to guide on the implementation.

The conference brought together Accounting Officers and institutional leaders, who play a central role in the successful implementation of the Scheme and was presided over by the Chief of Staff and Head of Public Service Felix Koskei who was represented by the Principal Administrative Secretary in the Executive Office of the Presidency Mr. Arthur Osiya.

In a speech read on his behalf, Mr. Koskei noted that the full roll-out of the e-PMIS due on 1st of June creates new and important obligations for employer institutions/MDAs to ensure integration works and update the requisite employee information to ensure full registration of all eligible civil servants.

Present during the occasion were members of the Board of Trustees of PSSF and the CEO Mr. Jonah Ayabei, CEOs of the Retirement Benefits Authority Charles Machira, National Police Service Commission Peter Lelei, the Commandant General of the National Youth Service James Tembur, the Commissioner General of Prisons Patrick Arandu and the Acting CEO of the Teachers Service Commission Eveleen Mitei among others.

# PSSF records exponential growth, becomes second largest pension scheme nationally

BY JACK MWANIKI AND JANE CHEBET (PCO)

The Public Service Superannuation Fund (PSSF) has achieved remarkable growth in just five years since its establishment, cementing its position as the second largest pension scheme in Kenya.

As of March 31, 2026, the Fund had enrolled 517,236 members, a sharp increase from 330,318 members recorded in January 2021.

This exponential rise in membership has been matched by a significant expansion in financial strength, with the Fund now valued at Sh 322 billion and audited assets standing at Sh242.7 billion according to the 2024/25 financial cycle.

The announcement was made by the Chair of the Board of Trustees, Amb. Hussein Dado, during the inaugural PSSF Employers' Conference held in Nairobi.

The event brought together accounting officers and institutional leaders from across

government, underscoring their critical role in ensuring the successful implementation of the scheme.

The Chief of Staff and Head of the Public Service, Felix Koskei, was represented by Arthur Osiya, Principal Administrative Secretary in the Executive Office of the President.

Also in attendance was Cyrell Wagunda, Principal Secretary for Public Investments and Assets Management, under whose docket PSSF is domiciled.

One of the highlights of the conference was the launch of the Pension Administration System (PAS), a digital platform designed to enhance efficiency and improve customer experience.

Through PAS, members can now access real-time contribution statements, update personal details, and nominate beneficiaries with ease. This innovation marks a significant step in modernizing pension administration in Kenya.

Official statistics reveal that the Teachers Service

Commission (TSC) accounts for the largest share of PSSF membership, with 326,934 members (63.2%).

The disciplined services contribute 116,487 members (22.5%), while the Public Service Commission (PSC) has 57,501 members (11.1%).

County governments represent 16,314 members (3.2%). Amb. Dado noted that the average age of members is 39 years, with 99.5% of them having more than a decade left before retirement.

He attributed the Fund's success to the strong support from employers' ministries, departments, and agencies who have ensured timely remittance of contributions, thereby safeguarding the retirement savings of public servants.

In a speech delivered on his behalf by Osiya, Koskei emphasized that pensions are more than just paychecks; they represent a promise of security and opportunity for millions of public servants.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

COAST DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY



## TENDER NOTICE

Coast Development Authority (CDA), a State Corporation established by an Act of Parliament (CAP. 449) of 1990 with the mandate to plan and coordinate the implementation of Integrated development projects in Coastal region, Southern Garissa and the exclusive economic zone. The Authority hereby invites tenders for supply & delivery of goods and provision of works;

S/ No.	Tender No.	Tender Description	Eligibility	Tender Security	Tender Closing/Opening Date/Venue/Time
1.	CDA/ T 005 /2025-26	Proposed Construction Of Mwele Water Project, Mwele Village, Matuga Sub-County, Kwale County.	OPEN	1 Million	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
2.	CDA/ T 006 /2025-26	Supply, delivery, installation, Testing and Commissioning of 150 KVA Generator to CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County	YOUTH	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
3.	CDA/ T 007 /2025-26	Proposed Drilling & Equipping of Kulikila Borehole, Buguta Location, Voi Sub-County Taita Taveta County.	YOUTH	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
4.	CDA/ T 008 /2025-26	Proposed Drilling & Equipping of Zungulukani Borehole, Makwasinyi Location, Voi Sub-County Taita Taveta County.	WOMEN	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
5.	CDA/ T 009 /2025-26	Proposed Construction of Kwa Nzuveni Water Pan, Ganze Sub-County, Kilifi County.	WOMEN	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
6.	CDA/ T 010 /2025-26	Proposed Construction of Marungu Water Pan in Wundanyi Sub-County, Taita Taveta County.	WOMEN	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
7.	CDA/ T 011 /2025-26	Proposed Drilling & Equipping of Kale borehole in Voi Sub County, Taita Taveta County	PWDS	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
8.	CDA/ T 012 /2025-26	Supply and delivery of Dry Goods at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	OPEN	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
9.	CDA/ T 013 /2025-26	Supply and delivery of Groceries at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	AGPO	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
10.	CDA/ T 014 /2025-26	Supply and delivery of Chicken Fish, Meat, Eggs and Meat Products at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	OPEN	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
11.	CDA/ T 015 /2025-26	Supply and delivery of Stationery and Toners at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	AGPO	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
12.	CDA/ T 016 /2025-26	Supply and delivery of Detergents and Cleaning reagents at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	PWD	N/A	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
13.	CDA/ T 017 /2025-26	Provision of Repair and Maintenance Services at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County.	OPEN	50,000.00	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
14.	CDA/ T 018 /2025-26	Supply and delivery of Electronics, Equipment's (Freezers, Cookers, Fridge, oven etc) and Cutlery, Crockery and Glassware at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	OPEN	50,000.00	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am
15.	CDA/ T 019 /2025-26	Provision of Internet services, surveillance systems and their accessories at CDA Wananchi Cottages in Kilifi Township, Kilifi County on Framework Agreements.	OPEN	50,000.00	9th June 2026 at CDA Main Boardroom at 10.00 am

1. A complete set of Tender documents may be obtained by interested Tenderers free of charge by downloading from the following website(s); Coast Development Authority (CDA) [www.cda.go.ke](http://www.cda.go.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal (PPIP) [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)

2. All interested Tenderers are required to continually check the following website(s); **Coast Development Authority (CDA) [www.cda.go.ke](http://www.cda.go.ke) or Public Procurement Information Portal (PPIP) [www.tenders.go.ke](http://www.tenders.go.ke)** for any tender addendum or clarification that may arise before submission/closing date.

3. Tenderers shall submit the completed Tender Documents; **One (1) original and One (1) copy** in plain sealed envelopes with the Tender Number, Tender Name and Tenderer's Name clearly marked on the envelope delivered by hand or registered mail to the address below **on or before the closing/opening date and time**;

The Ag. Managing Director  
Coast Development Authority  
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MOMBASA, KENYA

4. Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the candidates or their representatives who choose to attend in the CDA Headquarters' Main Boardroom. Late Tenders and Electronic Tenders **SHALL NOT** be permitted.

**Note: Persons with Disability, Youth and Women are highly encouraged to apply.**

Ag. MANAGING DIRECTOR  
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## INVITATION TO TENDER

Kenya Pipeline Company PLC invites tenders from eligible candidates for the following:

NO.	TENDER REFERENCE & DESCRIPTION	VIEWING (Prospective bidders to view the items "as is where is basis")	CLOSING DATE
1.	<b>KPC/PU/OT-248(STORES)NBI/25-26</b> Tender for Disposal of Unserviceable Stores and Equipment	<b>02/06/2026 to 05/06/2026</b> Time: 09.00 hours to 15.45 hours	09-06-2026
2.	<b>KPC/PU/OT-247(STORES)NBI/25-26</b> Tender for Disposal of Used Motor Vehicles.	<b>02/06/2026 to 05/06/2026</b> Time: 09.00 hours to 15.45 hours	09-06-2026

The Tender documents can be viewed and downloaded from the website [www.kpc.co.ke](http://www.kpc.co.ke) (Tenders) and <https://tenders.go.ke> at no cost. Bidders will be required to register their companies on KPC Supplier Relationship Management (SRM) portal and send **ONLY** queries to [stores@kpc.co.ke](mailto:stores@kpc.co.ke). In addition, all addenda will be posted to the website and to those bidders who indicate their intention to participate through the SRM portal.

**No other email addresses shall be used and KPC PLC shall not be liable if bidders choose to send their queries to other email addresses.**

All bidders will be required to submit the tenders online via SRM Portal <https://e-procurement.kpc.co.ke/irj/portal> and all documents **MUST** be uploaded to the **COLLABORATION FOLDER**. Bidders shall not attach their documents at any other tab of the portal. To be received on or before **9th June 2026 at 10.00 a.m.**

**(NO BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED IN THE TENDER BOX EXCEPT FOR THE ORIGINAL BANKERS CHEQUE FOR THE DEPOSIT) "with the correct Tender Ref. No, Tender name and correct closing date"** Opening of the tenders will take place at **10.30 a.m.**

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



## KRA cracks down on smugglers to protect legitimate businesses

BY SITATI REAGAN (KNA)

The Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA) has reaffirmed its commitment to pursuing and prosecuting perpetrators of illicit trade and smuggling, warning that the illegal activities undermine legitimate businesses and distort fair competition in the market.

Speaking during an alma mater visit to Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Secondary School in Mombasa, KRA Commissioner for Investigations and Enforcement, Mohamed Abdul M'maka, said the authority has sufficient capacity, manpower, and strategic partnerships to combat smuggling networks operating across the country.

"We have the capacity in terms of manpower and our strategic partnerships with other government agencies. We have a footprint across border points in the country, where part of the work we do is collect intelligence on the perpetrators of these illicit trade schemes," M'maka said.

He noted that the department's mandate includes the detection, disruption, and deterrence of tax evasion and illicit trade, as well as the investigation and prosecution of offenders.

"We investigate, prosecute, and deter tax evasion schemes perpetrated by



**Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA) Commissioner for Investigations and Enforcement, Mohamed Abdul, briefs the media on the sidelines of a visit to Sheikh Khalifa Secondary School under the Authority's Alma Mater programme in Mombasa. PHOTOS AND CAPTIONS BY ANDREW HINGA/KNA**

offenders," he said, adding that although the majority of taxpayers remain compliant, the department focuses on non-compliant individuals and businesses to safeguard the integrity of the tax system.

M'maka acknowledged the existence of resource constraints but maintained that they do not hinder the department's effectiveness, citing collaboration and intelligence-sharing with other government agencies as key tools in the fight against illicit trade.

The visit was part of KRA's Alma Mater Programme, an initiative that sees the

authority's leadership and staff return to their former schools to mentor students, share personal success stories, and promote tax awareness and civic responsibility among young people.

The programme is currently being rolled out in 32 selected secondary schools across the country, with Sheikh Khalifa Secondary

School among the institutions participating in the initiative.

"The only way we can impart those values is by reaching learners while they are still young and in school," he said. As part of the visit, KRA launched a Tax Club at the school to provide students with a platform to engage in discussions on taxation, civic responsibility, and national development.

School principal, Rishad Ramadhan, welcomed the initiative, describing M'maka's return as a proud moment for the institution and an inspiration to current students.

**“ We investigate, prosecute, and deter tax evasion schemes perpetrated by offenders**

## Kenya positions itself as Africa's digital innovation hub through tech partnerships

BY JOSEPH NG'ANG'A (KNA)

Kenya is accelerating its ambition to become Africa's leading digital economy through stronger public-private partnerships, investments in digital infrastructure, and reforms supporting Artificial Intelligence (AI) and innovation.

Broadcasting and Telecommunications Principal Secretary Stephen Isaboke said that collaboration between governments, technology firms, innovators, and academia is

essential in driving digital transformation and economic growth.

Speaking during the launch of Meta's Economic Impact in Kenya Report, Isaboke emphasized that technology partnerships are no longer optional to national development.

"Whether it is development, tech, or innovation, nothing works in isolation. We succeed through collaboration," he said.

The PS said Kenya is actively implementing policy and regulatory reforms aimed at building a trusted, inclusive, and



**Broadcasting and Telecommunications Principal Secretary Stephen Isaboke speaking during the launch of Meta's Economic Impact in Kenya Report. PHOTO: JAMES EKAI.**

innovation-driven digital economy. He highlighted ongoing efforts around artificial intelligence governance, data protection, platform accountability, and digital inclusion.

According to Isaboke, the government's Digital Master Plan 2032 and Vision 2030 frameworks prioritize universal internet connectivity, digital public infrastructure, digital skills development, and investment in emerging technologies such as AI.

He urged young people to position themselves to benefit from the sector's rapid expansion.

### BRIEFS

#### Farmers receive coffee seedlings, potato seeds in county programme

BY RENNISH OKONG'O (KNA)

The County Government of Elgeyo Marakwet is stepping up efforts to boost agricultural productivity and household incomes by supplying farmers with essential farm inputs.

This is through the distribution of 60,000 coffee seedlings and nearly 900 bags of certified potato seeds to farmers across several wards in the county. The exercise, being undertaken by the Department of Agriculture under the county's agricultural empowerment programme, targets farmers in Cherangany/Chebororwa, Sambirir, Kapyego, Chepkorio, Kamariny, Tambach and Kapchemutwa wards.

The programme seeks to strengthen food security, promote commercial agriculture and improve livelihoods by providing farmers with quality farm inputs.

Speaking during the distribution exercise,

Agriculture Chief Officer Edwin Komen said the county government was committed to empowering farmers through increased access to certified planting materials and modern farming technologies.

"We are distributing certified coffee seedlings and potato seeds to ensure our farmers increase productivity and improve the quality of their produce. Agriculture remains the backbone of our economy, and the county government is determined to support farmers through practical empowerment programmes," said Komen. He noted that coffee farming has significant economic potential for the county and urged farmers to embrace improved agronomic practices in order to maximise yields and enhance earnings.

Komen said the county was investing in agriculture as a long term strategy to address food insecurity and create sustainable economic opportunities for residents.

#### Bomet unveils plan to revive degraded Chepalungu Forest

BY ERICK ONGERI (KNA)

The Bomet County Government has intensified efforts to restore the degraded Chepalungu Forest in a major stride toward environmental conservation.

Governor Prof. Hillary Barchok noted that the initiative, which targets the planting of over 100,000 indigenous and exotic tree seedlings in Chepalungu Forest during the 2026 tree-growing season, is a concerted effort by his administration, national government agencies, and other stakeholders.

The initiative aims to rehabilitate the Chepalungu forest ecosystem, which has suffered severe degradation following extensive human destruction since 2007. Speaking during the tree-planting exercise within the Siongiroi block of the forest, Prof Barchok emphasized that the long-term survival of the forest relies heavily on the mem-

bers of the surrounding community.

He appealed to residents neighbouring the expansive Chepalungu forest to strongly own, secure and protect it from further encroachment and destruction.

The Governor reaffirmed the County Government's commitment to environmental conservation, noting that the restoration of Chepalungu Forest is a flagship project in an ambitious strategy to enhance overall Bomet county tree cover to over 30 percent.

He requested members of the public to embrace the culture of tree growing and natural forest conservation for posterity.

Gracing the occasion, Head of Public Service, Felix Koskei, noted that revitalizing Chepalungu Forest is critical not just for increasing canopy cover, but for restoring biodiversity by bringing back indigenous flora and fauna in the region.