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Duale alisisitiza kuwa mpangilio huo mpya utasaidia taasisi na programu muhimu za afya, ikiwemo huduma za matibabu ya saratani, Taasisi ya Kitaifa ya Afya ya Umma ya Kenya, Mfumo wa Kidijitali wa Huduma za Afya (Digital Health Superhighway), pamoja na hatua za kukabiliana na HIV, kifua kikuu na malaria.

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Kenya na Amerika zasaini mkataba wa Sh218 bilioni



Maafisa wa ngazi ya juu wa serikali kutoka Kenya na Marekani wakati wa utiaji saina wa Makubaliano ya Malengo ya Kimkakati (SOAG) kuhusu Afya katika Makao Makuu ya Hazina ya Taifa jijini Nairobi.

NA JOSEPH NG'ANG'A (KNA)

Kenya na Marekani zimefunga ushirikiano wa afya wenye thamani ya Sh218 bilioni, hatua inayofungua enzi mpya ya ushirikiano wa pande mbili unaojengwa juu ya uwazi, uwajibikaji na wajibu wa pamoja. Mkataba wa Malengo ya Kimkakati ya Afya (SOAG), uliotiwa saina katika makao makuu ya Hazina ya Taifa jijini Nairobi,

unaweka ahadi ya ufadhili wa Sh218 bilioni kutoka Marekani pamoja na uwekezaji wa pamoja wa Sh110 bilioni kutoka Kenya. Hii inaleta jumla ya uwekezaji wa Sh328 bilioni kwa ajili ya kuimarisha sekta ya afya nchini kati ya mwaka 2026 na 2032. Mkataba huo, ulioshuhudiwa na maafisa waandamizi wa serikali kutoka nchi zote mbili, unaashiria mabadiliko makubwa kutoka kwa miradi ya wafadhili

iliyokuwa ikisimamiwa kupitia mashirika ya kati hadi mfumo wa ufadhili wa moja kwa moja

Mpango huu itatoa ufadhili wa ziada kwa biashara ambazo tayari zimenufaika na NYOTA, na hivyo kuziwezesha kupanua shughuli zao

kati ya serikali na serikali (G2G). Waziri wa Hazina ya Taifa na Mipango ya Kiuchumi, John Mbadi, na Kaimu Balozi wa Marekani nchini Kenya, Susan Burns, walitia saina makubaliano hayo mbele ya Waziri wa Afya Aden Duale, ambaye alielezea mkataba huo kama hatua muhimu katika uhusiano kati ya Kenya na Marekani. Bw Duale alisema mpango huo mpya utawezesha taasisi na programu muhimu za afya, ikiwemo huduma za matibabu ya saratani, Taasisi ya Kitaifa ya Afya ya Umma ya Kenya, Barabara Kuu ya Kidijitali ya Afya (Digital Health Superhighway), pamoja na afua zinazolenga kupambana na Virusi vya Ukimwi (HIV), kifua kikuu na malaria. Alibainisha kuwa kuelekeza fedha moja kwa moja kupitia Hazina ya Taifa na Bunge kutaongeza uwazi, kuimarisha usimamizi na kuhakikisha uwajibikaji. “Kwa miaka mingi, ushirikiano wa afya kati ya Marekani na Kenya ulitekelezwa kupitia mashirika washirika. Leo hii, kila kitu kinafanyika kati ya serikali na serikali,” alisema. Mbadi alielezea makubaliano hayo kama hatua ya kihistoria

katika safari ya ufadhili wa afya nchini, akisisitiza kuwa Kenya ndiyo nchi ya kwanza kukumbatia mfumo huo mpya. Alifafanua kuwa mifumo ya awali ya ufadhili kutoka kwa wafadhili mara nyingi ilikosa uwazi wa kutosha, jambo lililofanya mipango kuwa ngumu kwa Hazina ya Taifa na Wizara ya Afya. “Sasa tuna mwonekano kamili kama Hazina ya Taifa, huku wizara inayotekeleza ikiwa na uwajibikaji kamili. Kwa kubonyeza kitufe tu, tunaweza kujua kiasi kinachotumika kwa msaada wa washirika wetu,” alisema, huku akiwahakikishia washirika wa maendeleo kuwa mageuzi yanayoendelea katika usimamizi wa fedha za umma yatahakikisha uwazi na matumizi bora ya fedha hizo. Bi Burns alipongeza ushirikiano kati ya Wizara ya Afya, Hazina ya Taifa na Ofisi ya Mwanasheria Mkuu wa Serikali, akielezea SOAG kama mkataba wa kwanza wa malengo ya kimkakati chini ya Mfumo Mpya wa Ushirikiano wa Afya kati ya Kenya na Marekani. Alisema ushirikiano huo unaonyesha mpito kutoka

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TENDER REF. NO.	KL/PRC/GMC/26-27

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P.O. BOX 10443 - 00100, Nairobi, Kenya. Tel No: (+254) (020) 271 27 67/ 271 92 31
Email: procurement@kenyalaw.org**

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MODE OF APPLICATION

Interested and qualified persons are required to submit their applications in any of the following modes:-

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kwa misaada ya kawaida ya wafadhili kwenda kwenye mfumo wa wajibu wa pamoja. “Tunajaribu kuhamia katika mfumo mpya wa usaidizi unaojengwajuu ya wajibu wa pamoja na ushirikiano wa karibu,” alisema. Burns alikumbusha kuwa Kenya na Marekani zimekuwa zikifanya kazi pamoja kwa miongo kadhaa kupambana na HIV, kifua kikuu na malaria, na kwamba zaidi ya maisha milioni moja yameokolewa kupitia afua za kupambana na HIV pekee. Aliongeza kuwa makubaliano hayo mapya yataunga mkono azma ya Kenya ya kuimarisha mifumo ya afya, kupanua huduma za afya za kidijitali, kuboresha ufanisi na kuhakikisha wananchi wanaendelea kupata huduma bora za afya. SOAG inaaisha vipaumbele vya pamoja, mipango ya ufaadhili, malengo ya utekelezaji na viwango vya kupima utendaji vitakavyoongoza afua za pamoja huku vikidumisha uwajibikaji wa pande zote. Maeneo muhimu ya ushirikiano ni pamoja na mageuzi katika Mamlaka ya Ugavi wa Dawa na Vifaa vya Tiba Kenya (KEMSA), kuimarisha Taasisi ya Kitaifa ya Afya ya Umma ya Kenya, kupanua huduma za afya za kidijitali, kuboresha uimara wa mnyororo wa ugavi, kuimarisha uwezo wa taasisi na kuunga mkono programu za kupambana na HIV, kifua kikuu na malaria.

Mabwawa mawili mapya kusuluhisha changamoto za maji katika Tana River

NA HUSSEIN ABDULLAHI (KNA)

Kwa miongo kadhaa, wakazi wa maeneo ya ndani na ya mbali ya Kaunti ya Tana River wameishi katika hali ngumu. Kila msimu wa kiangazi, familia zililazimika kutembea kilomita nyingi kutafuta maji, watoto walikosa masomo shuleni, mifugo ilikufa, na migogoro kuhusu vyanzo vichache vya maji ilikuwa jambo la kawaida. Hali hiyo sasa huenda ikawa historia katika baadhi ya maeneo ya Kaunti kubwa ya Tana River, ambayo kwa muda mrefu imekuwa ikikumbwa na migogoro inayotokana na rasilimali kati ya jamii za wafugaji wanaohamama na wakulima wanaoishi maeneo ya kudumu kutokana na ushindani wa kupata maji na maeneo ya malisho yanayozidi kupungua. Wachambuzi wanasema kuwa mabadiliko ya tabianchi na ukame wa muda mrefu vimezidisha migogoro hiyo ya msimu, na kuchoea mzunguko wa mara kwa mara wa vurugu. Serikali ya kitaifa imekamilisha ujenzi wa mabwawa



Waziri wa Jumuiya ya Afrika Mashariki, Maeneo Kame na Nusu-Kame, na Maendeleo ya Kikanda, Beatrice Askul Moe, akizungumza katika Kaunti Ndogo ya Bura wakati wa uzinduzi wa miradi miwili ya maji katika eneo hilo.

mawili ya udongo yenye thamani ya karibu Sh190 milioni katika kaunti ndogo za Tana North na Bangale. Uwekezaji huo mkubwa unatarajiwa kubadilisha maisha ya maelfu ya wafugaji katika moja ya maeneo yanayothiriwa zaidi na ukame nchini Kenya. Yakiwa yamejengwa chini ya Mpango wa Kupunguza Athari za Ukame na Kudhibiti Mafuriko kupitia Mamlaka ya Maendeleo ya Pwani (CDA), mabwawa

KWA TAKWIMU

Sh190m

Serikali kuu imekamilisha ujenzi wa mabwawa mawili ya udongo yenye thamani ya karibu Shilingi milioni 190 katika kaunti ndogo za Tana Kaskazini na Bangale; huu ni uwekezaji mkubwa unaotarajiwa kubadilisha maisha ya maelfu ya wafugaji.

ya Miidi na Hambaresa yana uwezo wa kuhifadhi mita za ujazo 100,000 za maji kila moja. Miradi hiyo inalenga kuboresha upatikanaji wa maji, kuimarisha uwezo wa jamii kukabiliana na athari za mabadiliko ya tabianchi, na kuongeza usalama wa chakula na lishe kwa jamii zilizo hatarini ambazo kwa muda mrefu zimekuwa zikikumbwa na ukame wa mara kwa mara. Akizungumza wakati wa uzinduzi wa miradi hiyo, Waziri wa Jumuiya ya Afrika Mashariki, Maeneo Kame na Nusu Kame (ASALs) na Maendeleo ya Kikanda, Beatrice Askul Moe, alisema mabwawa hayo ni ushahidi kuwa uwekezaji wa serikali unawafikia wananchi walio pembezoni zaidi. “Nilichokuja kushuhudia ni thamani ya fedha iliyowekezwa. Huduma zinawafikia walio katika mazingira magumu zaidi, hasa wafugaji wanaotegemea mifugo kwa maisha yao. Kuona uwekezaji kama huu katikati ya Tana River ni ishara kwamba maendeleo ya serikali yanawafikia wale wanaoyahitaji zaidi,” alisema. Moe alisema miradi hiyo katika maeneo ambayo hayajahudumiwa ipasavyo itapunguza mateso ambayo yamekuwa yakiwalazimu wafugaji kuhama kutoka eneo moja hadi jingine kutafuta maji na malisho.



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Hata Mnyonge ana Haki

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Job specification and other requirements are available on our website: www.ombudsman.go.ke

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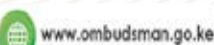
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PUBLIC NOTICE

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The National Construction Authority [NCA] is a State Corporation established under the National Construction Authority Act 2011, with the overall mandate of overseeing the construction industry and coordinating its development.

The Authority wishes to notify all contractors that the renewal window for the 2026/2027 financial year commenced on **1st July, 2026** and will run up to **31st July, 2026**.

The Authority further wishes to inform contractors who may not have attended training in the financial year 2025/2026 that it is mandatory to accrue 10 Continuous Professional Development (CPD) points by attending an NCA or NCA accredited CPD seminar for one to renew their annual practicing license as per Regulation 14 of the NCA Regulations (2014).

The training calendar and registration link are on the NCA website, www.nca.go.ke. Visit www.nca.go.ke to renew today.

Eng. Maurice Akech, MBS

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/REGISTRAR OF CONTRACTORS



Mradi wa maji taka Machakos karibu kukamilika, kufaidi maelfu ya wakazi

NA ANNE KANGERO
(KNA)

Mradi mkubwa wa maji-taka katika Kaunti ya Machakos unatarajiwa kukamilika na kuanza kufanya kazi kikamilifu ifikapo mwisho wa Agosti 2026. Ukikamilika, mradi huo utael-ekeza majitaka ambayo hapo awali yalikuwa yakitiririka kupitia mifereji ya wazi katika Mji wa Machakos na maeneo ya jirani, yakiwemo Muvuti, Kiima Kimwe, Katheka Kai, Mutituni na Mumbuni, hadi kwenye mtandao wa kilomita 65 za mabomba ya chini ya ardhi yaliyounganishwa na mtambo wa kisasa wa kutibu majitaka. Mradi wa Majitaka wa Machakos unaotekelezwa Muvuti chini ya Mpango wa Maji Safi na Usafi wa Mazingira Endelevu kwa Miji ya Kenya (Kenya Towns Sustainable Water Supply and Sanita-



1. Kamishna wa Kaunti ya Machakos, Jackson Ole Chuta (katikati), Mhandisi David Otieno kutoka TANATHI (kulia) na GDU Loice Shuma (kushoto), pamoja na wajumbe wa Kamati ya Usimamizi wa Uratibu wa Utekelezaji wa Kaunti, wakifanya ziara ya ukaguzi wa mradi wa mfumo wa maji

taka wa Machakos ambao umekamilika kwa asilimia 90 na unatarajiwa kunufaisha wakazi 150,000 wa Machakos na maeneo ya jirani. 2. Mradi wa mfumo wa maji taka wa Machakos wa Sh 1b katika eneo la Muvuti, unaotekelezwa chini ya Mpango wa Kenya wa Ugavi Endelevu wa Maji na Usafi.



tion Programme) sasa umefikia asilimia 90 ya utekelezaji. Unatarajiwa kuwaunganisha wakazi wapatao 150,000 wa Mji wa Machakos na maeneo ya jirani na mfumo wa pamoja wa majitaka kwa mara ya kwanza. Wakati wa ziara ya ukaguzi ili-yofanywa na Kamati ya Uratibu na Usimamizi wa Utekelezaji wa

Miradi ya Kaunti ya Machakos (CICMC) ikiongozwa na Kamishna wa Kaunti ya Machakos, Jackson Ole Chuta, wajumbe walipatiwa maelezo ya kina kuhusu maendeleo ya mradi huo na kushuhudia kazi zinazoendelea. Walikaribishwa na Mhandisi David Otieno, Meneja wa Ujenzi na Uendeshaji wa Miradi katika Wakala wa Maendeleo ya Miundombinu ya Maji wa Tanathi (Tanathi Water Works Development Agency). Kwa mujibu wa Mhandisi Otieno, ujenzi wa mradi huo ulianza Juni 2020 kwa bajeti ya Sh840 milioni, huku thamani ya sasa ya mkataba ikifikia Sh1 bilioni baada ya marekebisho. Hadi sasa, mkandarasi ameweka kilomita 65 za mabomba ya majitaka na kujenga mtambo wa kisasa wa kutibu majitaka katika maeneo ya Muvuti, Kimutwa, Kiima Kimwe, Mumbuni, Katheka Kai, Mua na Mutituni. Mtambo huo una uwezo wa kutibu mita za ujazo 6,250 za majitaka kila siku, huku takriban nyumba 3,000 katika Mji wa Machakos na maeneo ya jirani zikiendelea kuunganishwa kwenye mfumo huo.

Kenya na Uholanzi zafanya mkataba kuimarisha usalama wa chakula na kusaka masoko

NA ROP JANET (KNA)

Wakulima wadogo nchini Kenya wanatarajiwa kunufaika na mpango wa pamoja kati ya Kenya na Uholanzi unaolenga kuimarisha usalama wa chakula na kuwaunganisha moja kwa moja na masoko yenye thamani ya juu ya ndani na kimataifa kupitia kilimo endelevu cha bustani. Mpango huo unaojulikana kama GreenLinks Project, ni wa miaka mitatu na unafadhiliwa kwa pamoja na serikali ya Uholanzi kupitia Shirika la Biashara la Uholanzi (Netherlands Enterprise Agency) pamoja na washirika wa sekta binafsi. Uta-saidia wakulima 300 wa kiwango cha chini na cha kati katika kaunti ndogo za Kajiado, Kikuyu na Thika kuzingatia mbinu salama za uzalishaji, kupunguza utegemezi wa viuatilifu vya kemikali na kuwapatia walaji mboga salama zinazoweza kufuatiliwa chanzo chake. Mradi huu unatekelezwa na kampuni za Koppert Biological Systems, Holland Greentech, FutureWater, Latia Agribusiness Solutions na Greenspoon. Unachanganya ubunifu wa kilimo kutoka Uholanzi na utaalamu wa ndani ili kuimarisha mnyororo wa thamani wa mazao ya bustani nchini Kenya.



Mshauri wa Masuala ya Kilimo katika Ubalozi wa Ufalme wa Uholanzi nchini Kenya, Bart Pauwels, akitoa hotuba yake wakati wa uzinduzi wa mradi wa Greenlinks huko Isinya, Kaunti ya Kajiado.

Wakulima watanufaika na mafunzo kuhusu mbinu bora za kilimo (GAP), usimamizi jumuishi wa wadudu waharibifu (IPM), ushughulikiaji wa mazao baada ya kuvuna na uzalishaji endelevu. Pia watapata suluhisho za kibayolojia za kulinda mazao, mbegu bora za kisasa na huduma za ushauri kuhusu umwagiliaji wa kisasa unaotumia takwimu sahihi.

Akizungumza wakati

KWA TAKWIMU

300

Itasaidia wakulima wadogo na wa kati 300 katika kaunti ndogo za Kajiado, Kikuyu na Thika kutumia mbinu salama zaidi za uzalishaji.

wa uzinduzi wa mradi huo mjini Isinya, Kaunti ya Kajiado, Mshauri wa Kilimo katika Ubalozi wa Ufalme wa Uholanzi nchini Kenya, Bart Pauwels, alisema mpango huo unalenga kushughulikia changamoto mbili kuu zina-zowakabili wakulima: uzalishaji salama wa mazao na upatikanaji wa masoko ya uhakika. “Huu ni mmoja wa miradi mitatu tunayoitekeleza kwa ushirikiano na sekta binafsi ili kuimarisha sekta ya kilimo nchini Kenya, hususan kwa wakulima wadogo. Lengo letu ni kuhakikisha tunawaunganisha na masoko endelevu, kuwasaidia kuongeza mavuno yao na kuwawezesha kuhamia hatua kwa hatua kwenye mbinu salama zaidi za uzalishaji,” alisema Pauwels.



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NA CONVIVIAN KHASOHA
NA MAUREEN IMBAYI
(KNA)

Mamia ya wakulima wadogo katika kaunti za Vihiga na Nandi pamoja na maeneo jirani wanaendelea kunu-faika na Mpango wa Rais wa Ruzuku ya Mbolea kupitia Bohari ya Bodi ya Kitaifa ya Nafaka na Mazao (NCPB) ya Hamisi, Kaunti ya Vihiga, kufuatia upatikanaji wa kutosha wa mbolea za kupandia na za kukuzia mazao kwa msimu wa mvua fupi. Meneja wa Bohari ya NCPB Hamisi, Dorothy Awuor Odhiambo, alisema bohari hiyo ilishuhudia mauzo makubwa wakati wa msimu mkuu wa mvua ndefu, baada ya kupokea na kusambaza kwa mafanikio zaidi ya magunia 15,000 ya mbolea ya ruzuku kwa



Wakulima wanachukua mbolea ya ruzuku katika lango la ghala la NCPB Hamisi, huku baadhi wakipakia mifuko kwenye pikipiki ili kuisafirisha hadi mashambani mwao katika kaunti za Vihiga na Nandi.

wakulima katika eneo hilo. Alibainisha kuwa katika msimu uliopita wa mvua ndefu, bohari ilisambaza magunia 15,000 ya mbolea ya kupandia na magunia 10,000 ya mbolea ya

kukuzia mazao, jambo linaloonyesha mahitaji makubwa ya pembejeo za kilimo zinazotolewa kwa ruzuku miongoni mwa wakulima wa eneo hilo. “Bohari ilifunguliwa

KWA TAKWIMU

Sh2,500

Kituo hicho kinatarajia kuhudumia zaidi ya wakulima 6,000 kutoka Vihiga, Nandi, na Kisumu kwa mbolea ya ruzuku inayouzwa kwa Shilingi 2,500

kwa msimu huu tarehe 1 Julai 2026 ikiwa na karibu magunia 5,000 ya mbolea. Tunahifadhi aina mbalimbali za mbolea chini ya mpango wa ruzuku, ikiwemo mbolea ya kupandia ya MAVUNO na mbolea maalum ya chai,” alisema Bi Odhiambo. Aliongeza kuwa mbolea za kukuzia mazao zinazopatikana kwa sasa katika bohari hiyo ni pamoja na mbolea ya kukuzia chai, yurea na mbolea ya kukuzia mahindi. Bi Odhiambo aliwahi-

miza wakulima kutumia fursa ya pembejeo hizi za ruzuku ili kuongeza uzalishaji wa mazao katika msimu wa mvua fupi. Aidha, alisema wakulima wengi wameonyesha kupendelevu mbolea ya Mavuno kutokana na ufanisi wake katika uzalishaji wa mahindi na maharagwe. Bohari hiyo inatarajia kuwahudumia zaidi ya wakulima 6,000 kutoka kaunti za Vihiga, Nandi na Kisumu, huku mbolea ya ruzuku ikiuzwa kwa bei ya Sh2,500 kwa gunia la kilo 50.



TEACHERS SERVICE COMMISSION

VACANCIES FOR POST PRIMARY TEACHER ON P&P TO TEACH JUNIOR SCHOOLS - AUGUST, 2026

The Teachers Service Commission invites applications from qualified candidates to fill 20,000 Post Primary teachers posts in Junior Schools to support the implementation of Competency Based Education.

Interested and qualified candidates should submit their applications online through the Commission's website, www.tsc.go.ke under “Careers” or teachersonline.tsc.go.ke not later than Midnight of **31st August, 2026**.

To qualify for recruitment, a candidate should meet the following minimum requirements:

- Be a Kenyan citizen;
- Must be a holder of at least a diploma in education with a minimum mean Grade of C+ (plus) and C+ (plus) in two teaching Subjects in KCSE or its equivalent.
- Must be a registered teacher with Teachers Service Commission.

NB: For equivalent qualifications, applicants are advised to visit the Teachers Service Commission's website: www.tsc.go.ke

GENERAL INFORMATION

- The Teachers Service Commission's Guidelines for Recruitment of Post Primary Teachers for 2026/2027 Financial Year shall apply.
- Manual applications will not be considered.
- Be unemployed and has no record of exiting teaching service with the Commission due to disciplinary grounds;
- Candidates will be required to present original academic and professional certificates.
- Selection of Candidates will strictly be on merit and based on the number of vacancies per County.
- Successful candidates must not fill more than one application for employment form.
- Successful teacher interns will be retained in their current sub counties/ stations.
- Successful candidates shall be required to teach various learning areas under Junior School Curriculum. Visit the Commission's website (www.tsc.go.ke) for more information.
- The application portal will be opened **Tuesday, 18th August 2026** and closed on **Monday, 31st August, 2026 midnight**.

The Teachers Service Commission is an equal opportunity employer as per the constitutional provisions and law and persons with disabilities (PWDs) are encouraged to apply.

CAUTION:

The recruitment exercise is free of charge. The Teachers Service Commission forewarns applicants against fraudsters who might extort money from unsuspecting persons purporting to assist in recruitment.

REPORTING OF FRAUD

Any fraudulent activity should be reported to the nearest TSC office or Teachers Service Commission headquarters through the following telephone lines: Director Staffing (0202892193) and Deputy Director- Staffing (0202892131) or write to the Commission through the email address dirstaffing@tsc.go.ke

Further, any such fraudulent activity should be reported to the nearest police station.

Details on available vacancies per county and sub-county is in the Teachers Service Commission's website: www.tsc.go.ke

TEACHERS SERVICE COMMISSION



TEACHERS SERVICE COMMISSION

VACANCIES FOR CHIEF PRINCIPAL, SENIOR PRINCIPAL, PRINCIPAL, DEPUTY PRINCIPAL, SENIOR LECTURER, SENIOR MASTER, SECONDARY TEACHER, SENIOR HEADTEACHER, HEADTEACHER, DEPUTY HEAD-TEACHER, SENIOR TEACHER, SENIOR CURRICULUM SUPPORT OFFICER AND CURRICULUM SUPPORT OFFICER

The Teachers Service Commission is a Constitutional Commission established under Article 237 (1) of the Constitution.

Pursuant to this mandate, the Commission invites applications from suitably qualified teachers and Curriculum Support Officers for the posts shown below in line with the Career Progression Guidelines for Teachers, and Curriculum Support Officers.

S/No.	Advert No.	Designation	Grade	T-Scale	Total Vacancies
1	78/2026	Chief Principal – Regular	D5	15	54
2	79 /2026	Chief Principal – TTC	D5	15	7
3	80/2026	Senior Principal - Regular	D4	14	148
4	81 /2026	Senior Principal – TTC	D4	14	7
5	82/2026	Principal – Regular	D3	13	770
6	83 /2026	Principal – TTC	D3	13	7
7	84/2026	Principal – SNE	D3	13	6
8	85/2026	Deputy Principal II - Regular	D2	12	891
9	86/2026	Senior Lecturer I	D2	12	15
10	87/2026	Senior Master I	D2	12	2
11	88/2026	Curriculum Support Officer I	D1	11	34
12	89/2026	Curriculum Support Officer I - SNE	D1	11	7
13	90/2026	Deputy Principal III - Regular	D1	11	1,068
14	91/2026	Deputy Principal III – SNE	D1	11	5
15	92/2026	Senior Headteacher - Regular	D1	11	199
16	93/2026	Senior Headteacher - SNE	D1	11	5
17	94/2026	Senior Lecturer II	D1	11	34
18	95/2026	Senior Master II	D1	11	272
19	96/2026	Curriculum Support Officer II (Regular & SNE)	C5	10	69
20	97/2026	Deputy Headteacher I	C5	10	1,865
21	98/2026	Deputy Headteacher I - SNE	C5	10	20
22	99/2026	Senior Lecturer III	C5	10	44
23	100/2026	Senior Master III	C5	10	1,665
24	101/2026	Deputy Headteacher II - Regular	C4	9	3,075
25	102/2026	Deputy Headteacher II - SNE	C4	9	20
26	103/2026	Senior Lecturer IV	C4	9	51
27	104/2026	Senior Master IV (Regular & SNE)	C4	9	5,956
28	105/2026	Secondary Teacher I	C3	8	20
29	106/2026	Senior Teacher I (Regular & SNE)	C3	8	4,210
30	107/2026	Senior Teacher II (Regular & SNE)	C2	7	13,490
		TOTAL			34,016

Interested candidates, who meet the required qualifications, should submit their applications online through the TSC portal – www.teachersonline.go.ke to be received latest **Monday 10th August 2026 midnight**.

Note

- Successful candidates shall be posted to schools where vacancies are available.
- Manual applications shall not be considered.
- Teachers Service Commission is an equal opportunity employer and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

SECRETARY/CHIEF EXECUTIVE



Wahitimu wa Kiambu Polytechnic wapata mafunzo Ujerumani

NA POLYNE WAKIYU NA GRACE NAISHOO (KNA)

Wahitimu 31 kutoka Chuo cha Kitaifa cha Ufundi cha Kiambu wanatarajiwa kuanza mafunzo ya ufundi na fursa za ajira katika jimbo la Bavaria nchini Ujerumani baada ya kufanikiwa kukamilisha awamu ya kwanza ya Mpango wa Talent Gateway, mpango wa uhamaji wa wafanyakazi unaofadhiliwa na Serikali ya Ujerumani. Wahitimu hao, wanaojumuisha wanafunzi 20 wa ukarimu chini ya mpango wa DEHOGA na wanafunzi 11 wa usanifu na utunzaji wa mandhari (landscaping), walipitia mafunzo makali ya stadi za kiufundi, lugha ya Kijerumani, mawasiliano ya kitamaduni

na maandalizi ya mazingira ya kazi ili kuwawezesha kuishi na kufanya kazi nchini Ujerumani. Akizungumza wakati wa hafla ya kuhitimu, Katibu Mkuu wa Masuala ya Diaspora, Roseline Njogu, aliwapongeza wahitimu hao na kuwahimiza kuwa mabalozi wema wa Kenya. “Mnapoelekea Ujerumani, kumbukeni kuwa mnabeba bendera ya Kenya pamoja nanyi. Dumisheni uadilifu, taaluma na bidii kwa sababu mtawakilisha si nyinyi wenyewe tu, bali pia familia zenu na taifa lenu,” alisema. Katibu wa Elimu ya Ufundi na Mafunzo ya Kazi (TVET), Dkt. Esther Muoria, alisema mpango huo unaonyesha dhamira ya serikali ya kuwapa vijana wa Kenya ujuzi unaoweza kushin-



Katibu Mkuu wa Masuala ya Diaspora, Roseline Njogu, anamkabidhi cheti mhitimu.. PICHA: POLYNE WAKIYU

dana kimataifa na kuunda fursa kupitia ushirikiano wa kimataifa. Alibainisha kuwa Mpango wa Talent Gateway ni mfano ambao utapanuliwa katika taasisi nyingine za TVET ili kuwawezesha wahitimu wengi zaidi kupata fursa za uhamaji wa wafanyakazi zilizopangwa

na salama katika mataifa ya nje. Mkuu wa Chuo cha Kitaifa cha Ufundi cha Kiambu, Sammy Waititu, alielezea mahafali hayo kuwa hatua ya kihistoria kwa taasisi hiyo, akisema kundi la kwanza la washiriki limeweka msingi imara kwa washiriki wa siku zijazo. “Mpango huu umewapa wahitimu

wetu maarifa ya kiufundi, ujuzi wa lugha na kujiamini kuna-kohitajika ili kufanikiwa katika mazingira ya kazi ya kimataifa. Tunajivunia mafanikio yao na tunawatakia kila la heri wana-poelekea Ujerumani,” alisema. Catherine Karanja, msimamizi wa programu ya Hoteli na Migahawa, alisema wanafunzi wa ukarimu walipitia mafunzo ya kina ya vitendo ili kufikia viwango vinavyotarajiwa na waajiri nchini Bavaria. “Wahitimu wetu wanaondoka wakiwa na stadi sahihi za kiufundi, nidhamu na uzoefu wa huduma kwa wateja unaohitajika ili kufanikiwa katika sekta ya ukarimu nchini Ujerumani. Wako tayari kushindana katika kiwango cha juu zaidi,” alisema. Mpango wa Talent Gateway huwapa wahitimu wa TVET nchini Kenya stadi za kiufundi, lugha, utamaduni na mazingira ya kazi zinazohitajika ili kupata fursa salama, za haki na zilizopangwa za mafunzo ya ufundi nchini Ujerumani.



TENDER NOTICE

Kenya Space Agency invites tenders from interested firms (bidders) to apply for Registration and Pre-qualification as Suppliers for of goods,works and services for the period 2026-2028 under the following categories:

CATEGORY NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
KSA/A1/2026-2028	Supply and Delivery of General and Printed Office supplies e.g., stationery, photocopying paper, toner cartridges, Photocopier toners and Computer Consumables, Toiletries, Kitchen Supplies & Consumables etc.	AGPO
KSA/A2/2026-2028	Supply and Delivery of Office Furniture, Furnishings including Blinders & Fittings,	AGPO
KSA/A3/2026-2028	Provision of Design, Branding and Printing of Promotional Materials E.g., Banners, brochures, Research Reports, business cards, staff identification cards, corporate stickers, fliers, booklets, documentary etc.	AGPO
KSA/A4/2026-2028	Supply, Delivery and Installation of IT Equipment e.g., Computers, Laptops, Computer Software and Licenses, Printers, Photocopiers, Scanners, UPS, Telephone and other related ICT Hardware and Accessories etc.	AGPO
KSA/A5/2026-2028	Supply of Space Related Equipment, Telescope, Ground Receiver Station Spare Parts	Open
PROVISION OF SERVICES		
CATEGORY NO.	Item Description	CATEGORY
KSA/B1/2026-2028	Provision of Audio-Visual Production Editing Services (Film, Documentaries, Photography & Videography, Public Address and Related Services.)	Open
KSA/B2/2026-2028	Provision of Clearing and forwarding services (Local/ International]	Open
KSA/B3/2026-2028	Provision of Space Related services	Open
KSA/B4/2026-2028	Provision of Entertainment Services, Master of Ceremony Services DJs	Open
KSA/B5/2026-2028	Provision of Event Management, Interior Decorations and Furnishing Services, Shows and Exhibitions	Open
KSA/B6/2026-2028	Provision of Digital Marketing Services	Open
KSA/B7/2026-2028	Provision of Catering Services (Indoor and Outdoor]	AGPO
KSA/B8/2026-2028	Provision of Comprehensive Office Cleaning, Sanitary Fumigation & Pest Control Services	AGPO
KSA/B9/2026-2028	Provision of Travel Agency and Air Ticketing Services (KCAA REGISTERED FIRMS)	AGPO
KSA/B10/2026-2028	Provision of Transport, Car Hire and Taxi Services	AGPO
KSA/B11/2026-2028	Provision of Hotel (Meals & Accommodation) And Conference Facilities Country Wide.	Open
KSA/B12/2026-2028	Repair of Assorted Electrical Fittings & Lighting Materials	AGPO
KSA/B13/2026-2028	Provision of Bulk Printing, Bulk Photocopying, Binding, Laminating, Framing and Document Management Services	AGPO
KSA/B14/2026-2028	Repair of Office Furniture and Fittings	AGPO
KSA/B15/2026-2028	Provision of Internet Service Providers (ISP) &VPN Connectivity.	Open
KISM/B16/2026-2028	Supply, Installation, Commissioning, Repair and Maintenance of Air Conditioners, Fire Extinguishers, Smoke Detectors, Automatic Fire Suppressions, First Aid Kits and Related Accessories	Open
KSA/B17/2026-2028	Provision and Repair of ICT Infrastructure	Open
KSA/B19/2026-2028	Provision of Website Design, Hosting and Maintenance Services	Open
KSA/B20/2026-2028	Supply, Installation and Commissioning of CCTV, Access Control System, ICT Security & Alarm Systems.	Open

PROVISION OF SERVICES		
KSA/B21/2026-2028	Provision of Medical Insurance	Open
KSA/B22/2026-2028	Provision of Space Related Services	Open
KSA/B23/2026-2028	Provision of Motor Vehicle Insurance Services	Open
KSA/B24/2026-2028	Provision of WIBA and Group Life Insurance	Open
KSA/B25/2026-2028	Provision of Team Building Services	Open
KSA/B26/2026-2028	Provision of OSHA Training, Fire& First Aid Equipment Training Services	Open
PROVISION OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES		
KSA/C1/2026-2028	Provision of Human Resource Consultancy Services, Training and Capacity Building,	Open
KSA/C2/2026-2028	Provision of Space Related Consultancy Services.	Open
KSA/C3/2026-2028	Provision of OSHA Training, Fire& First Aid Equipment Training Services	Open
KSA/C4/2026-2028	Provision of Architectural Services	Open
PROVISION OF WORKS		
KSA/D1/2026-2028	Provision of Small Contractual Works-General Office Designs, Repairs and Maintenance Works, Electricals, Plumbing, Painting Etc. (Registered With NCA)	AGPO
KSA/D3/2026-2028	Provision of Works[Buildings] (Registered With NCA)	Open

PREQUALIFICATION OF SPACE RELATED EQUIPMENTS, CONSULTANCY SERVICES, SERVICES AND WORKS		
KSA/PREQ/A1/2026-2028	Supply of Space Related Equipment, Telescope, Ground Receiver Station Spare Parts	Open
PROVISION OF SERVICE		
KSA/PREQ/B1/2026-2028	Provision of Space Related services	Open
KSA/PREQ/C1/2026-2028	Provision of Space Related Consultancy Services.	Open
KSA/PREQ/C2/2026-2028	Provision of Architectural Services	Open
PROVISION OF WORKS		
KSA/PREQ/D1/2026-2028	Provision of Works (Buildings) (Registered With NCA)	Open

Suppliers who qualify for any or all of the categories may apply for registration and or Pre-qualification. Registration and Pre-qualification documents are obtained and downloaded on the KSA website www.ksa.go.ke

Suppliers and service providers who meet the criteria for registration and prequalification for the categories applied for will form the list of contractors who will be given tender/quotation documents to bid for supply of goods and services and Works under those categories on as and when required basis.

Completed Registration and prequalification documents clearly marked appropriately “Tender No. & Tender Description” along with any other additional information the applicants may wish to provide, should be deposited in the tender box at the Reception on the 2nd Floor so as to reach,

Director General/Chief Executive Officer
KENYA SPACE AGENCY
P. O. Box 7046-00200 NAIROBI

On or before **12th August 2026 at 10:00 am EAT Time** Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter on the closing date shown above in the presence of bidders or their representatives who may choose to attend at the 2nd Floor Boardroom.

Kamati ya Afya yaunga mkono ombi la KEMRI la ufadhili wa Sh 500m

NA ARON KINYAMASYO NA
MICHAEL OMONDI (KNA)

Kamati ya Bunge ya Afya imeeleza kuunga mkono ombi la Taasisi ya Utafiti wa Matibabu Kenya (KEMRI) la kutengewa nyongeza ya Shilingi milioni 500 ili kukamilisha ujenzi wa jengo la kisasa la utafiti wa biomedikali. KEMRI inaona kituo hicho, kilichoko katika Hospitali ya Kitaifa ya Kenyatta (KNH), kuwa muhimu katika kuimarisha mifumo ya nchi ya ufuatiliaji wa magonjwa, uwezo wa kufanya utafiti na maandalizi ya kukabiliana na dharura za kiafya. Kamati hiyo, inayoongozwa na Mbunge wa Seme Dkt. James Nyikal, ilitoa ahadi hiyo wakati wa ziara ya ukaguzi wa maendeleo ya mradi huo unaofa-



Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya Bunge ya Afya, Dkt. James Nyikal, anazungumza na vyombo vya habari jijini Nairobi baada ya kufanya ziara ya ukaguzi katika kituo cha maabara za hatua mbalimbali, mafunzo na ofisi cha Taasisi ya Utafiti wa Kitiba ya Kenya (KEMRI), ambacho kwa sasa kinaendelea kujengwa katika eneo la Hospitali ya Kitaifa ya Kenyatta. Ameambatana na wajumbe wengine wa Kamati hiyo (walio nyuma), Mkurugenzi Mkuu wa KEMRI na Kaimu Makamu Mkuu wa Chuo Prof. Elijah Songok (kushoto), pamoja na mjumbe wa Bodi ya Wakurugenzi ya KEMRI, Dkt. Abdullahi Ali Ibrahim (kulia).

dhiliwa na Hazina ya Taifa. KEMRI ilisema fedha hizo za ziada zinahitajika ili kukamilisha ujenzi wa kituo hicho na kukifanya kianze kufanya kazi kikamilifu. Akizungumza baada ya ziara ya tathmini katika taasisi hiyo, Dkt. Nyikal alisema Kamati iliridhishwa na maendeleo yali-yopatikana katika ujenzi wa kituo hicho na kutambua umuhimu wa kuhakikisha kinakamilishwa ili kiweze kuimarisha uwezo wa nchi katika utafiti wa afya, ubunifu na mafunzo. "Kamati imeona thamani ya uwekezaji huu na inathamini hatua zilizofikiwa hadi sasa. Tutaunga mkono juhudi za kupata fedha kukamilisha mradi huu kwa sababu ni muhimu kwa ajenda ya taifa ya utafiti wa afya," alisisitiza. Mbunge wa Endebess, Dkt. Robert Pukose, ambaye ni Makamu Mwenyekiti wa Kamati ya Bajeti na Matumizi ya Bunge la Kitaifa, alihakikishia KEMRI kuwa Kamati ya Bajeti itazingatia kwa kina ombi la taasisi hiyo wakati wa mchakato wa ugawaji wa fedha. Dkt. Pukose alisema uwekezaji katika miundombinu ya utafiti utaimarisha uwezo wa Kenya katika utafiti wa kisayansi.

Vifaa vya kidijitali kuboresha ukusanyaji wa taarifa za afya

NA ROBERT OJWANG' (KNA)

Kaunti ya Kisumu imegawa vifaa vya kidijitali (tablets) kwa Wasaidizi wa Afya ya Jamii (CHAs) katika hatua inayolenga kuboresha utoaji wa huduma za afya ya msingi, kuimarisha ubora wa takwimu za afya, na kuimarisha huduma za afya zinazotolewa katika ngazi ya jamii. Akizungumza wakati wa hafla ya uzinduzi huo, Mjumbe wa Kamati ya Utendaji ya Kaunti (CECM) anayesimamia sekta ya Afya, Dkt. Gregory Ganda, alieleza mpango huo kama hatua muhimu katika juhudi za kaunti hiyo za kuboresha na kuleta teknolojia ya kisasa katika sekta ya afya. "Afya ya kidijitali si suala la kuwa na kompyuta hospitalini pekee," alisema Dkt. Ganda.

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VACANCIES

CORPORATION SECRETARY PRINCIPAL ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

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

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

The Board of ICT Authority now invites applications from suitably qualified and experienced persons with excellent experience and academic credentials to fill the following position to be based in ICT Authority Headquarters in Nairobi.

No.	Position	Ref	Grade	No. of Positions	Terms and Conditions
1.	Corporation Secretary (Re-advertisement)	ICTA/DSP/10/2026	ICTA 2	1	Contract
2.	Principal Administration Officer	ICTA/DSP/17/2026	ICTA 5	1	Permanent & Pensionable

Documents to be submitted by the applicants

Applications should be accompanied by a detailed curriculum vitae, and shall also include;

1. Application letter
2. Copy of Academic Certificates
3. Copy of Professional Certificates
4. Copy of National ID

Application Process

Qualified candidates interested in the above role are required to submit their applications strictly online, on recruitment.icta.go.ke. A more detailed brief on the vacancy can be obtained from www.icta.go.ke

Applications must be received on or before **11th August 2026**.

Only short-listed candidates shall be contacted for interview.

ICT Authority is an equal opportunity employer. Qualified women, youth, minorities, marginalized and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.



THE INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY KENYA DIGITAL ECONOMY ACCELERATION PROJECT ICTA- PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION UNIT

Name of Assignment:	Framework Agreement for Provision of Broadband Internet Capacity to Selected Government Sites
RFP Reference No.:	KE-ICTA-548097-NC-RFB
Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.:	IDA 7289-KE and 7290-KE
Country:	Kenya
Date:	28TH JULY 2026

ADDENDUM NO. 1

EXTENSION OF BID SUBMISSION DEADLINE

In accordance with Instructions to Bidders (ITB) 8, the Client has extended the bid submission deadline as shown below:

S/No	Section of Bidding Document	Amended Minimum Requirement
1	Bid Data Sheet ITB 22.1	For Bid submission purposes only, the Procuring Agency's address is: The Information and Communications Technology Authority Attention: Chief Executive Officer Street Address: Kenyatta Avenue Floor/ Room number: Telpost Towers 12th Floor Address: P.O. Box 27150 City: Nairobi ZIP/Postal Code: 00100 Country: Kenya The deadline for Bid submission is: Date: 4th August 2026 Time: 10.00 a.m. E.A.T Bidders shall not have the option of submitting their Bids electronically.

Chief Executive Officer
ICT AUTHORITY



Mudavadi azindua mpango muhimu wa kulinda maliasili nchini Kenya



1. Waziri Mkuu wa Baraza la Mawaziri na Waziri wa Mambo ya Nje na Diaspora, Musalia Mudavadi, anapanda mche wa mti wakati wa uzinduzi rasmi wa Mpango Jumuishi wa Usimamizi wa Maliasili (INReMP) katika Chuo Kikuu cha Eldoret, Kaunti ya Uasin Gishu.
2. Waziri Mkuu wa Baraza la Mawaziri na Waziri wa Mambo ya Nje na Diaspora, Musalia Mudavadi, anahutubia wajumbe wakati wa uzinduzi rasmi wa Mpango Jumuishi wa Usimamizi wa Maliasili (INReMP) katika Chuo Kikuu cha Eldoret, Kaunti ya Uasin Gishu.

NA EKWAM SYLVESTER NA NELSON OBWANA (KNA)

Serikali imezindua rasmi Mpango Jumuishi wa Usimamizi wa Rasilimali Asilia (INReMP), mpango wa thamani ya Sh34.1 bilioni

(Dola za Marekani milioni 262) utakaoendeshwa kwa kipindi cha miaka minane kwa lengo la kuimarisha uwezo wa kukabiliana na mabadiliko ya tabianchi, kurejesha mifumo ya ikolojia iliyoharibika, kuboresha usalama wa chakula na kuimarisha maisha

ya zaidi ya Wakenya milioni mbili. Mpango huo, unaofadhiliwa kwa pamoja na Serikali ya Kenya na Mfuko ya Kimataifa wa Maendeleo ya Kilimo (IFAD), utanufaisha kaya 407,176 katika kaunti 10 za magharibi mwa Kenya kupitia uwekezaji katika kilimo kinachozingatia mabadi-

liko ya tabianchi, uhifadhi wa rasilimali asilia na maendeleo endelevu ya maeneo ya vijijini. Mkuu wa Mawaziri na Waziri wa Mambo ya Nje na Diaspora, Musalia Mudavadi, aliongoza uzinduzi wa kitaifa wa mpango huo katika Chuo Kikuu cha Eldoret chini ya kaulimbiu, “Kujenga Maisha Yanayostahimili Mabadi-liko ya Tabianchi Kupitia Maendeleo Jumuishi na Endelevu.” Mudavadi alielezea mpango huo kama hatua muhimu katika juhudi za Kenya za kukabiliana na mabadiliko ya tabianchi huku ikiharakisha mageuzi ya kijamii na kiuchumi kupitia usimamizi endelevu wa rasilimali asilia. Alisema mpango huo utaziwezesha kaunti zilizo na utajiri wa uwezo wa kilimo, bioanuwai na rasilimali za maji kukabiliana vyema na changamoto zinazongezeka za mabadiliko ya tabianchi, uharibifu wa mazingira, ukosefu wa usalama wa chakula na umaskini wa vijijini. “Utekelezaji wa mpango huu unaonyesha dhamira yetu kama taifa ya kubadilisha changamoto hizi kuwa fursa kwa kurejesha mazingira yetu, kuboresha maisha ya wananchi na kuimarisha uwezo wetu wa kustahimili misukosuko. Mpango huu utachangia safari yetu ya mageuzi ya kijamii na kiuchumi na kuhakikisha mustakabali bora kwa vizazi vya sasa na vijavyo,” alisema Mudavadi.

Waziri Mkuu wa Mawaziri alian-damana na Waziri wa Mazingira, Mabadiliko ya Tabianchi na Misitu Dkt. Deborah Mlongo Barasa, Katibu Mkuu wa Kilimo Dkt. Paul Ronoh, Katibu Mkuu wa Mazingira Dkt. Mhandisi Festus Ngeno, Katibu Mkuu wa Hazina Dkt. Chris Kiptoo, Katibu Mkuu wa Jinsia Anne Wang’ombe, Katibu Mkuu wa Biashara Regina Ombam, Gavana wa Uasin Gishu Jonathan Bii Chelilim pamoja na maafisa wengine waandamizi wa serikali za kitaifa na kaunti. Mpango huo utatekelezwa katika kaunti za Elgeyo Marakwet, West Pokot, Trans Nzoia, Uasin Gishu, Nandi, Kakamega, Kericho, Kisumu, Homa Bay na Migori, ambazo zinaendelea kukumbwa na athari zinazongezeka za mabadiliko ya tabianchi zinazogusa kilimo, rasilimali za maji na maisha ya wananchi. Kwa mujibu wa Mudavadi, kuangazia magharibi mwa Kenya kunatokana na hitaji la dharura la kushughulikia uharibifu wa mazingira na kuimarisha ustahimilivu katika mojawapo ya maeneo yenye uzalishaji mkubwa wa kilimo nchini. Alibainisha kuwa Kenya imebarikiwa kuwa na misitu, maeneo oevu, mito, ardhi yenye rutuba kwa kilimo na rasilimali nyingine za asili ambazo ni nguzo muhimu za uzalishaji wa chakula, usalama wa maji, uhifadhi wa bioanuwai na uchumi wa vijijini.

MAKALA: UHIFADHI

Magugu maji yanatoa fursa za kujipatia kipato kwa jamii zinazoishi kando ya ziwa, licha hatari za kiafya

NA REGINA JOY NA DAVIS LANGAT (KNA)

Kando ya mwambao wa Ziwa Victoria katika eneo la Kochia, Kaunti ya Homa Bay, maji yanaonekana kuwa tulivu, huku uso wake ukifunikwa na tabaka nene za gugu maji. Kwa wengi kutoka nje ya eneo hilo, mmea huu vamizi ni ishara ya uharibifu wa mazingira. Hata hivyo, kwa jamii zinazoishi kando ya ziwa, gugu maji lina maana pana zaidi—ni chanzo cha riziki ambacho sasa kinahusishwa kwa karibu na hatari zinazongezeka za kiafya zinazochochewa na mabadiliko ya tabianchi. Kwa vizazi vingi, Ziwa Victoria limekuwa tegemeo la maelfu ya familia kupitia uvuvi na shughuli zina-zohusiana nao. Leo, hata hivyo, mabadiliko ya hali ya hewa, mafuriko na kuenea kwa kasi kwa gugu maji vinabadilisha si tu maisha ya wananchi bali pia afya ya umma. “Ziwa hili linatusaidia kuishi. Wajane, yatima na hata wanafunzi hutegemea ziwa hili kujipatia riziki,” anasema Calvin Mingo, mkazi wa Kochia. “Lakini manufaa yake yamekuja



Wakazi wavua samaki wadogo (nyapos) kutoka chini ya magugu maji Ziwa Victoria eneo la Kochia, Kaunti ya Homa Bay. Samaki hao huuzwa kama chambo cha kuvulia aina kubwa za samaki wa kibiashara, jambo linalowaingizia kipato wakazi.

PICHA: REGINA JOY

pamoja na changamoto.” Kwa wakazi wengi, gugu maji si mmea vamizi tu. Chini ya tabaka lake zito huishi samaki wadogo wanaojulikana kama nyapos, ambao wamekuwa chanzo muhimu cha mapato. “Kunapokuwa na gugu maji, watu hawakosi kazi,” anasema

Peter Oyoma, ambaye huvua nyapos chini ya mimea hiyo inayoelea majini. “Tunawauzia wavuvi na wafanyabiashara kutoka Uganda, Busia, Usenge na hata Tanzania. Soko lake lipo tayari.” Samaki hao wadogo hutumiwa hasa kama chambo cha kuvulia samaki wakubwa wa kibiashara kama sangara na tilapia. Biashara yao huwapatia familia mapato ya msimu yanayowa-saidia kulipa karo za shule, kununua chakula na kugharamia mahitaji ya nyumbani. “Gugu maji linapoondoka, watu wengi hupata shida,” anaongeza Oyoma. “Kitu hiki

huwapatia watu fedha.” Hata hivyo, mapato hayo yana gharama yake. Wavunaji wa nyapos hutumia saa nyingi wakitembea ndani ya maji yaliyotuma ya ziwa, mara nyingi bila viatu, glovu au mavazi ya kujikinga. Wataalamu wa afya wanaonya kuwa kukaa kwa muda mrefu majini kumeongeza hatari ya magonjwa yanayoezwa kupitia maji na magonjwa yaliyopuuzwa ya kitropiki, huku mabadiliko ya tabianchi yakizidisha hali hiyo. “Wagonjwa wetu wengi ni wavuvi ambao hukaa majini kwa muda mrefu,” anasema Molly Ochar, muuguzi na mratibu wa huduma za afya kwa jamii za ufuo. “Mawasiliano hayo ya muda mrefu na maji ndiyo sababu tunaona visa vingi vya magonjwa yaliyopuuzwa ya kitropiki.” Kulingana na Ochar, programu za huduma za afya zinazowafikia wananchi mara kwa mara hubaini magonjwa kama kichocho, minyoo ya tumbo, matende, upofu wa mto na trakoma. “Magonjwa haya hustawi katika maji machafu au yaliyotuma,” anaeleza. “Wakati usafi wa mazingira ni duni na mafuriko yanaposomba taka hadi ziwani, maji hayo hutumiwa kunywa, kupikia na kufulia.”

Athari zake kwa afya ni kubwa. Watoto hupata upungufu wa damu, utapiamlo na kucheleva kukua kutokana na minyoo kuwanyima virutubisho muhimu. Watu wazima hukumbwa na maumivu ya kudumu, kuvimba kwa viungo na kupungua kwa nguvu za mwili, hali inayopunguza uwezo wao wa kujipatia kipato. “Magonjwa haya hayaui mara moja,” anasema Ochar. “Lakini huharibu taratibu uzalishaji na hadhi ya maisha ya mtu.” Mbali na maradhi ya mwili, hali ya kutokuwa na uhakika inayosababishwa na mabadiliko ya tabianchi pia inaathiri afya ya akili ya jamii za wavuvi. “Changamoto kubwa ni kutokujua cha kufanya,” anasema Everline Akoth. “Unaamka kila siku ukiwa na wasiwasi kuhusu chakula, karo ya shule na magonjwa.” Wahudumu wa afya wanasema maradhi ya mara kwa mara, kupungua kwa mapato na ukosefu wa usalama wa chakula vinachangia ongezeko la msongo wa mawazo na unyogovu, hasa miongoni mwa wavuvi wanaoendelea kufanya kazi licha ya afya yao kudhoofika.

KenGen yapata mwekezaji wa tano Hifadhi ya Olkaria ikivutia mabilioni

NA ERASTUS GICHOHI NA ORPAH GESARE (KNA)

Shirika la Kuzalisha Umeme nchini (KenGen) limepokea mwekezaji wake wa tano katika Bustani ya Nishati Safi iliyoko kwenye eneo lenye utajiri wa nishati ya jotoardhi la Olkaria, Naivasha, hatua inayofungua mlango kwa uwekezaji mpya wa mabilioni ya shilingi. Uwekezaji huo wa mabilioni ya shilingi unaonyesha kuongezeka kwa imani ya wawekezaji katika uwezo wa kampuni hiyo kuendesha uzalishaji wa viwandani kwa njia endelevu kupitia matumizi ya nishati safi, hasa nishati ya jotoardhi. Hatua hiyo inajiri baada ya KenGen kutangaza mkakati mpya unao-lenga kuzalisha megawati 5,500 za umeme kutoka kwa vyanzo vya nishati safi ili kukidhi mahitaji yanayoongezeka kutokana na kuimarika kwa uwekezaji kote nchini. Mpango huo pia unasukumwa na imani kubwa ya wawekezaji, hali ambayo imevutia kampuni nyingi zaidi kuanzisha shughuli zake nchini Kenya ili kunufaika na nishati endelevu, ya kua-minika na safi, hususan nishati ya jotoardhi. KenGen pia imeanzisha mpango wa uwekezaji wa mabilioni ya shilingi unaolenga kuongeza mara mbili uwezo wake wa kuzalisha umeme wa



Mkurugenzi Mtendaji wa KenGen, Mhandisi Peter Njenga (kulia), anamkaribisha Mkurugenzi wa Maxim Agri na Samakgro Limited, Joachim Wersterveld, ambaye ni mwekezaji wa tano anayelenga kuanzisha kiwanda cha kuzalisha chakula cha samaki katika eneo lake la nishati jadidifu huko Olkaria, Naivasha, kupitia uwekezaji wa Shilingi bilioni 2.6. Picha: ERASTUS GICHOHI

jotoardhi kutoka megawati 754 za sasa hadi megawati 1,500 ifikapo mwaka 2034 kupitia ushirikiano kati ya sekta ya umma na binafsi. Mahitaji ya umeme nchini yakiwa yamefikia kiwango cha juu zaidi kuwahi kurekodiwa cha megawati 2,550, kampuni hiyo sasa ina-lenga kuharakisha utafiti

KWA TAKWIMU

5,500

Hii inafuatia tangazo la KenGen kuhusu mkakati mpya unao-lenga kuzalisha megawati 5,500 za umeme kutoka vyanzo vya nishati safi, ili kukidhi mahitaji yanayoongezeka

na maendeleo ya vyanzo vingine vya umeme, hasa nishati ya jotoardhi. Kwa mujibu wa Mkurugenzi Mkuu wa KenGen, Mhandisi Peter Njenga, kampuni hiyo inalenga kuongeza uzalishaji wa nishati safi kwa kukarabati vituo vya zamani vya kuzalisha umeme na kuchunguza maeneo mapya yenye jotoardhi katika Bonde la Ufa, ambalo lina utajiri mkubwa wa rasilimali za nishati. Alisema kampuni hiyo itaongeza megawati 63 kupitia ukarabati wa kituo chake cha zamani cha Olkaria I na pia kupata megawati zaidi kutoka maeneo ya Olkaria, Eburru, Suswa na Longonot, ambayo yana uwezo mkubwa wa uzalishaji wa nishati safi.

KFS yapanua uwezo wa uhifadhi kwa kituo kipya cha rasilimali

NA ZIPPORAH ODIONYI
NA SHARON NJERU

Kenya Forest Service (KFS) (KFS) imefungua Kituo cha Rasilimali cha Mradi wa Green-Zones Development Support Project II chenye thamani ya Sh75 milioni katika makao makuu yake jijini Nairobi, hatua inayoimarisha juhudi za kuhifadhi misitu, kuen-deleza taasisi na kukuza uendelevu wa mazingira. Kituo hicho, kilichofadhiliwa na Benki ya Maendeleo ya Afrika (AfDB),

kilizinduliwa rasmi na Mhifadhi Mkuu wa Misitu, Alex Lemarkoko, katika hafla iliyohudhuriwa na maafisa wa serikali, washirika wa maendeleo na viongozi wa kidini. Lemarkoko alisema kituo hicho cha rasilimali kimeanzishwa wakati muhimu ambapo KFS inapitia mabadiliko makubwa kupitia ongezeko la wafanyakazi, mafunzo ya hali ya juu kwa walinzi wa misitu na kuongezeka kwa majukumu katika usimamizi na urejeshaji wa misitu.

“Huduma ya Misitu Kenya inapitia kipindi cha kipekee cha ukuaji na mageuzi,” alisema Lemarkoko, akibainisha kuwa idadi ya wafanyakazi wa taasisi hiyo imeongezeka kutoka takriban 3,000 hadi zaidi ya 6,000. Alisema ongezeko hilo la wafanyakazi limeambatana na kuboreshwa kwa mafunzo ya walinzi wa misitu pamoja na kuajiriwa kwa maafisa wa kiufundi na makadeti ili kuimarisha uwezo wa nchi katika usimamizi na uhifadhi wa rasilimali za misitu.



OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

SELECTION PANEL FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE WAQF COMMISSION

INVITATION OF VIEWS ON SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES

- The Selection Panel for the Waqf Commission advertised eight vacancies for members of the Waqf Commission in the Daily Nation, the Star Newspaper and the Kenya Gazette.
- At the close of the advertisement on 26th June, 2026, a total of one hundred and forty eight (148) applications were received.
- The Selection Panel reviewed the applications and shortlisted the following candidates.

SHORTLISTED CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF MEMBER OF THE WAQF COMMISSION

S/No	NAME	HOME COUNTY
1	ABDI IBRAHIM ABDI	WAJIR
2	ABDULRAHMAN MANSWAB MAHSEN	MOMBASA
3	ABUBAKAR ZUBEIR ATHMAN	LAMU
4	AHMED AHMED OMAR	KILIFI
5	ALI ABDULLAH IBRAHIM	MACHAKOS
6	ASMAN WILLIAM SHARIFF	TRANS NZOIA
7	AYDAROOS MUHSIN SAYYID ALI	LAMU
8	BAJABER AHMED SAID SALIMU	KITUI
9	CHUI KHADIJAH GATIE	TANA RIVER
10	DIRIYE AHMED MOHAMED	WAJIR
11	DR. JADEED MOZA ALLY	MOMBASA
12	DUGOW MUSA IBRAHIM	WAJIR
13	GODANA ABDU DAE	LAMU
14	HACHE HASSAN ISSACK	MANDERA
15	HAJI RAMLA ABDULLAHI ISSACK	MANDERA
16	HAMADI YAYE SHOSI	KILIFI
17	KASMANI ASIYA SALEEM	MOMBASA
18	MABRUK KHAMIS RIZIK	KILIFI
19	MAHAMUD MAHAT ABDI	WAJIR
20	MOHAMED ABDISALAM SHEIKH	GARISSA
21	MUHAMED TALIB BWANA	MOMBASA
22	MUHUMED MOHAMUD SHEIKH	WAJIR
23	MUTUBWA HASSAN MOHAMED	KITUI
24	MWALIMU ABUU MOHAMED	LAMU
25	DR. MWAMBURI ADAM HAMISI	TAITA TAVETA
26	MWATSEFU JUMA MWARIKA	KWALE
27	DR. OMAR RASHID ALI	WAJIR
28	DR. OMARI HASSAN KINYUA	EMBU
29	RAMADHAN ODHAMBO ABDUL	HOMA BAY
30	DR. SALIM ISLAM MOHAMED	MOMBASA
31	SHEIKH ISMAIL MUSA HAJIMALA	KISUMU
32	SHEIKH. ISSACK NABILA IBRAHIM	WAJIR
33	SUMBA HASSAN RAJAB	MOMBASA
34	SWALEH FEISAL HUSSEIN	EMBU
35	ZAINABU ZUWENA	NAIROBI

- The Selection Panel invites the muslim community to submit, in writing, within 14 days from the date of this notice, any information of interest in respect of any shortlisted candidates, through the following channels:

Delivered to :

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NAIROBI**

Or

Emailed to: waqf.recruitment2026@ag.go.ke

- Hard copy submissions should be sealed and marked 'confidential'.
- The Selection Panel may interview any person who has submitted information on a candidate.

**MOHAMED ALAWI HUSSUN
THE CHAIRPERSON
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MODULE II PROGRAMMES

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Tom Mboya University (TMU) is a premier, internationally recognized public university in Kenya, distinguished for excellence in teaching, research, and innovation. The University was awarded a Charter in 2022, making it a fully fledged public university.

TMU offers training at the Postgraduate, Undergraduate, and Diploma levels while actively promoting research and innovation. To enhance efficiency and convenience, the University has developed and implemented a fully digitized, paperless student application process, covering every stage from application to registration.

Admission is offered on a first-come, first-served basis, subject to the availability of spaces in the respective programmes.

Prospective students are therefore encouraged to submit their applications online for the programmes listed below.

S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION/MODE OF STUDY
CMG ARGWINGS KODHEK FACULTY OF LAW			
1.	Bachelor of Laws (LL. B)	Minimum requirements: Mean Grade of C+, and a B Plain in English or Kiswahili Alternative requirements: 3 Principals and a subsidiary at A levels and a credit pass in English OR a C plain with a Diploma Credit Pass from an institution accredited by the Council of Legal Education OR a degree from an institution recognized by the Commission for University Education with a minimum grade B (plain) in English at the Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education or equivalent qualification.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
FACULTY OF BIOLOGICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES			
1	Bachelor of Science (Physics, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and Mean Grade of C in both Physics/Physical Sciences and Mathematics at KCSE or its equivalent	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
2	Bachelor of Science (Basic Science, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and Mean Grade of C in Mathematics and Physics/Physical Sciences or Chemistry or Biology	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
3	Bachelor of Science (Industrial Chemistry, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E at least a Grade B- (B minus) in Chemistry, or physical Science and at least C+ (C Plus) in Physics and Mathematics at KCSE or its equivalent.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
4	Bachelor of Science (Environmental Science, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and at least a Grade B- (B Minus) in Biology or Geography and a C+ (C Plus) in Chemistry and English or Kiswahili.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
5	Bachelor of Science (Actuarial Science, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and must have passed Mathematics with a minimum grade of B at K.C.S.E., or an Equivalent qualification.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
7	Bachelor of Science (Applied Statistics, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and passed Mathematics in the KCSE with a minimum Grade of B-.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
8	Bachelor of Science (Mathematics and Computer Science)	KCSE mean Grade of C+ (C Plus) and at least C+ in Mathematics and pass in Physics and Chemistry.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
10	Bachelor of Science (Mathematical Sciences)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and a passed Mathematics in the KCSE with a minimum Grade of B-.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
11	Bachelor of Science (Agribusiness Management, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and have at least C+ in Biology/Biological Sciences or B- Agriculture and C (Plain) in Mathematics or B (Plain) Business Studies/Commerce at KCSE.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
12	Bachelor of Science (Agronomy, with IT)	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and at least C+ in Biology/Biological Sciences or Agriculture; C (Plain) in Chemistry/Physical Sciences and C- in Mathematics or Physics.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
14	Bachelor of Science (Horticulture, with IT)	(KCSE): Mean Grade of C+ or Grade C Plain with a Diploma in a relevant field.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
15	Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics, with IT	Aggregate Grade of C+ (C Plus) at K.C.S.E and have at least C+ in Biology/Biological Sciences or B- Agriculture and C (Plain) in Mathematics or B (Plain) Business Studies/Commerce at KCSE.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
16	Bachelor of Science in Forensic Science	Be a holder of KCSE with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) for undergraduate programmes. Other admissible requirements may any of the following, be a holder of; KCE Division II with at least a CREDIT in Biology or Biological Sciences, Chemistry and Mathematics/Physics/Physical Sciences KACE with two (2) principal passes in Biology, Chemistry, Physics Mathematics and a subsidiary pass	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
17	Bachelor of Science in Geospatial Engineering	a) Be a holder of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; OR	5 years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)

S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION/MODE OF STUDY
17	Bachelor of Science in Geospatial Engineering	b) Be a holder of Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and one subsidiary pass; OR c) Be a holder of a diploma or professional certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the Senate of the University; OR d) Be a holder of any other qualification accepted by the Senate of the University as equivalent to any of the above. Candidates who hold any of the qualifications (c) or (d) above may, at the discretion of the Senate, be exempted from some courses.	5 years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
18	Bachelor of Science in Computing	KCSE mean Grade of C+ (C Plus) and at least C+ in Mathematics and pass in Physics and Chemistry.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
19	Diploma in Community Health Practice And Systems	A Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education with a mean grade of C- or its equivalent.	2 years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
20	Professional Certificate in Integrated Environmental Impact Assessment/Environmental Audit	First Degree or Equivalent in the following: - Environmental Studies - Biological Sciences - Chemistry - Engineering (Civil, Agriculture, Water) - Process/Chemical - Geography - Earth Sciences - Biophysical Sciences - Natural Sciences - Environmental Socio-cultural Studies - Environmental Law	6 weeks 210 Hours Face to Face/ Online (Blended)
FACULTY OF EDUCATION			
1	Bachelor of Education (French, with IT)	Minimum Mean Grade of C+ (Plus) and Mean of C+ (Plus) in the two teaching subjects	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
2	Bachelor of Education (Home Science, with IT)	Minimum Mean Grade of C+ (Plus) and Mean of C+ (Plus) in the two teaching subjects	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
FACULTY OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS			
1	Bachelor of Arts (Business Studies, with IT)	(i) Be a holder of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; OR (ii) Be a holder of Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and one subsidiary pass; OR (iii) Be a holder of C- with a diploma or professional certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the Senate of the University.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
2	Bachelor of Business Administration with IT	(i) Be a holder of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; OR (ii) Be a holder of Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and one subsidiary pass; OR (iii) Be a holder of C- with a diploma or professional certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the Senate of the University.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
3	Bachelor of Economics with IT	Be a holder of KCSE with a minimum aggregate of with Grade C in Mathematics OR KCE Division II with at least a CREDIT in any relevant subject OR KACE with two (2) principal passes and a subsidiary pass OR Any other qualification accepted by the University Senate as equivalent.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
4	Bachelor of Science in Mathematics and Economics, with IT	KCSE with Grade B (Minus) in Mathematics OR KCE Division II with at least a CREDIT in Mathematics OR KACE with two (2) Principal Passes and a subsidiary pass OR Any other qualification accepted by the University Senate as equivalent.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
5	Bachelor of Science in Mathematics and Business Studies	Be a holder of KCSE with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) for undergraduate programmes with KCSE with Grade C in Mathematics OR KCE Division II with at least a CREDIT in any relevant subject OR KACE with two (2) principal passes and a subsidiary pass	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
6	Bachelor of Commerce	(i) Be a holder of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; OR	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)

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S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION/MODE OF STUDY
6	Bachelor of Commerce	(ii) Be a holder of Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and one subsidiary pass; OR (iii) Be a holder of C- with a diploma or professional certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the Senate of the University.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
7	Bachelor of Science in Employment and Labour Studies	(i) Be a holder of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; OR (ii) Be a holder of Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and one subsidiary pass; OR (iii) Be a holder of a diploma or professional certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the Senate of the University; OR (iv) Be a holder of any other qualification accepted by the Senate of the University as equivalent to any of the above. Candidates who hold any of the qualifications (iii) or (iv) above may, at the discretion of the Senate, be exempted from some courses.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
8	Bachelor of Science in Finanacial Economics	KCSE with Grade B (Minus) in Mathematics OR KCE Division II with at least a CREDIT in Mathematics OR KACE with two (2) Principal Passes and a subsidiary pass OR Any other qualification accepted by the University Senate as equivalent.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
9	Bachelor of Land and Estate Management	KCSE with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) for undergraduate programmes. Other Admission Requirements Be a holder of KCE Division II, OR Be a holder of KACE, OR Be a holder of any other qualification accepted by the University Senate as equivalent	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
10	Bachelor of Science in Marketing	(i) Be a holder of Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; OR (ii) Be a holder of Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (or equivalent examination) certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and one subsidiary pass; OR (iii) Be a holder of C- with a diploma or professional certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the Senate of the University.	4 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
11	Diploma in Project Planning and Management	A Mean Grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE; or a Certificate in the relevant field	2 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
12	Diploma in Human Resource Management	A Mean Grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE; or a Certificate in the relevant field	2 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
13	Diploma in Business Administration	A Mean Grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE; or a Certificate in the relevant field	2 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
14	Diploma in Community Development	• A mean grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE or its equivalent; OR • A mean grade of D+ (Plus) at KCSE with at least a Certificate in a social science course or a related field from a recognized institution.	2 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
15	Diploma in Criminology	• A mean grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE or its equivalent; OR • A mean grade of D+ (Plus) at KCSE with at least a Certificate in a social science course or a related field from a recognized institution.	2 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)
16.	Diploma in Public Administration and Management	• A minimum mean grade of C- (Minus) at KCSE, KCE Division II, or an equivalent qualification; OR • A relevant certificate in project management, social development, social work, community development or a related field from a recognized institution.	2 Years Parallel (Day/Evening/Weekend)

POSTGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMMES

S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION
FACULTY OF BIOLOGICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES			
Masters			
1.	Master of Science in Applied Statistics	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Applied Statistics or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
2.	Master of Science in Actuarial Science	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Actuarial Science or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
3.	Master of Science in Applied Mathematics	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in which Mathematics was taken as a major subject. - At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of Education with Mathematics as a major subject - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
4.	Master of Science in Agri-Business Management	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Agribusiness Management or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years

S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION/MODE OF STUDY
5.	Master of Science in Agricultural Extension	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Agricultural Extension or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent	2 years
6.	Master of Science in Cell & Molecular Biology	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Zoology or in a related field from an institution recognised by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
7.	Master of Science in Applied Parasitology & Vector Biology	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Zoology or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
8.	Master Science in Molecular Microbiology & Biotechnology	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Zoology or in a related field from an institution recognised by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
9.	Master of Science in Pure Mathematics	- Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of science degree in which Mathematics was taken as a major subject. - Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of Education with Mathematics as a major subject - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
10.	Master of Science in Chemistry	- Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of science degree in Chemistry as a single subject or in combination with other science disciplines. - Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of Education with Chemistry as a major subject - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
11.	Master of Science in Physics	- Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of science degree in which Physics was taken as a major subject. - Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of Education with Physics as a major subject - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
12.	Master of Science in Botany	- Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of science degree in Botany or in a related plant sciences from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
13.	Master of Science in Agronomy	- Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of science degree in Agriculture or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
14.	Master of Science in Environmental Sciences	- Atleast an upper second class honors Bachelor of science degree in Enviromental Science or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
15.	Master of Science in Applied Statistics	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Applied Statistics or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
16.	Master of Science in Actuarial Science	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Actuarial Science or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
17.	Master of Science in Applied Mathematics	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in which Mathematics was taken as a major subject. - At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of Education with Mathematics as a major subject - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
18.	Master of Science in Agri-Business Management	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Agribusiness Management or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years
19.	Master of Science in Agricultural Extension	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Agricultural Extension or in a related field from an institution recognized by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent	2 years
20.	Master of Science in Cell & Molecular Biology	- At least an upper second class honours Bachelor of science degree in Zoology or in a related field from an institution recognised by the University Senate - any other qualification that may be considered by the university senate as equivalent.	2 years

Doctor of Philosophy

21.	Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Parasitology & Vector Biology	- Masters degree with specialties in biological or Biomedical sciences. - Any other qualification considered by the University Senate as equivalent	3 years
22.	Doctor of Philosophy in Actuarial Science	- Masters degree in Actuarial Science. - Any other qualification considered by the University Senate as equivalent	3 years

MODULE II PROGRAMMES
UNDERGRADUATE, DIPLOMA & POSTGRADUATE FOR THE 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION/MODE OF STUDY
23.	Doctor of Philosophy in Applied Statistics	- Masters degree in Applied Statistics. - Any other qualification considered by the University Senate as equivalent	3 years
24.	Doctor of Philosophy in Pure Mathematics	- Masters degree in Pure Mathematics. - Any other qualification considered by the University Senate as equivalent	3 years
25.	Doctor of Philosophy in Cell and Molecular Biology	- Masters degree with specialties in biological or Biomedical sciences. - Any other qualification considered by the University Senate as equivalent	3 years
FACULTY OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS			
Masters			
26.	Master of Arts in Counselling Psychology	At least an upper second class honours degree in Social Science or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
27.	Master of Arts in Economics	At least an upper second class honours degree in Economics, Education or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
28.	Master of Arts in History	At least an upper second class honours degree in History or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
29.	Master of Arts in Geography	At least an upper second class honours degree in Geography or Arts in the same field or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
30.	Master of Arts in Literature	At least an upper second class honours degree in Education, Literature or Arts in the same field or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
31.	Master of Arts in Project Planning & Management	At least an upper second class honours degree in Project planning and Management, Social Science or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
32.	Master of Arts in Linguistics	At least an upper second class honours degree in Education, languages or Arts in the same field or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
33.	Master of Arts in Kiswahili	At least an upper second class honours degree in Kiswahili or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
34.	Master of Business Administration (Finance, Human Resource Management, Supply Chain Management, Entrepreneurship, Marketing) options	At least an upper second class honours degree in any of the following fields (Finance, Human Resource Management, Supply Chain Management, Entrepreneurship, Marketing or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
35.	Master of Arts in Sociology	At least an upper second class honours degree in Sociology or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
36.	Masters of Arts in Criminology	At least an upper second class honours degree in Criminology or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
37.	Masters of Arts in Anthropology	At least an upper second class honours degree in Anthropology or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
38.	Masters of Arts in Development Studies	At least an upper second class honours degree in social science or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	2 years
Doctor of Philosophy			
39.	Doctor of Philosophy in Development Studies	A Master's degree in Religion or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
40.	Doctor of Philosophy Literature	A Master's degree in Literature or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
41.	Doctor of Philosophy in Kiswahili	A Master's degree in Kiswahili or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
42.	Doctor of Philosophy in Guidance & Counselling	A Master's degree in social science or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	3 years
43.	Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration	A Master's degree in any of the following Fields (Finance, Human Resource Management, Supply Chain Management, Entrepreneurship, Marketing or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
44.	Doctor of Philosophy in Project planning and Management	A Master's degree in project Planning and Management or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
45.	Doctor of Philosophy in Sociology	A Master's degree in sociology or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
46.	Doctor of Philosophy in Anthropology	A Master's degree in Anthropology or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
47.	Doctor of Philosophy in Criminology	A Master's degree in Criminology or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant Master's degree	3 years
48.	Doctor of Philosophy in Economics	A Master's degree in Economics or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	3 years

S/NO	PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY	DURATION/MODE OF STUDY
49.	Doctor of Philosophy in History	A Master's degree in history or any other qualifications considered by University Senate as equivalent to a relevant degree	3 years
FACULTY OF EDUCATION			
Masters			
50.	Master of Education in Planning & Economics of Education	Bachelor of Education	2 years
51.	Master of Education in Guidance & Counselling	Bachelor of Education	2 years
52.	Master of Education in Educational Psychology	Bachelor of Education	2 years
53.	Master of Education in Special Needs Education	Bachelor of Education(SNE)	2 years
54.	Master of Education in Curriculum Studies	Bachelor of Education	2 years
55.	Master of Education in Educational Technology	Bachelor of Education	2 years
56.	Master of Education in Pedagogy	Bachelor of Education	2 years
57.	Master of Education in Educational Administration	Bachelor of Education	2 years
58.	Master of Education in Educational Management	Bachelor of Education	2 years
Doctor of Philosophy			
59.	Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Administration	Masters of Education in Educational Administration	3 years
60.	Doctor of Philosophy in Philosophy in Education	Masters of Education in Philosophy in Education	3 years
61.	Doctor of Philosophy in Planning & Economics of Education	Masters of Education in Planning & Economics of Education	3 years
62.	Doctor of Philosophy in Special Needs Education	Masters of Education in Special Needs Education	3 years
63.	Doctor of Philosophy in Pedagogy	Masters of Education in Pedagogy	3 years
64.	Doctor of Philosophy in Early Childhood Education	Masters of Education in Early Childhood Education	3 years
65.	Doctor of Philosophy in Educational Psychology	Masters of Education in Educational Psychology	3 years
66.	Doctor of Philosophy in Curriculum Studies	Masters of Education in Curriculum Studies	3 years
67.	Postgraduate Diploma in Education	Be a holder of Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+; (grade C Plus) in KCSE and above and C+ (plus) in the two subjects specialization.	1 year

ONLINE APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- Please read the following application guidelines carefully before you apply:
1. Visit the University website www.tmu.ac.ke and locate the menu "Admissions" or access the URL: <https://apply.tmu.ac.ke/>
 2. On the TMU Online Self Service Page, Click Self Sponsored Application and create account
 3. Enter your personal details.
 4. Re-Login using the email and password you created.
 5. Choose Applications Menu and click New Application
 6. On the new application window enter the following Level of study, Campus(Main), Mode of study, How did you know about us?, Course, Grade attained, Total points then click next
 7. The next page allows you to upload relevant documents pertaining to your application.
 8. Finally you process your admission fee payment using the guidelines below.

Note:
To process the application fee, Use your mpesa menu Pay bill option and enter **Pay bill no. 222222** and the relevant Account No as per the table below.

SERVICE NAME	MPESA PAY BILL ACCOUNT NO.	AMOUNT TO PAY
Application Fee	IJM4	Ksh. 3,000

9. Fill in the reference number for your payment and click **SUBMIT** to complete the application.
10. The application process will be completed internally.
11. The successful applicants will receive their admission offer letters through their website. Once you get the notification, visit website and access "Admission Menu". Login as an existing user and access your admission letter.

The application should be complete and submitted **NOT LATER THAN 20TH AUGUST 2026**. New students will be advised on orientation programme scheduled for the week beginning **31ST AUGUST 2026** in preparation for the academic year that begins on **1ST SEPTEMBER 2026**.

Enquiries or clarification on the application for the programmes above may be made through the dedicated Admissions Office email address: admissions@students.tmu.ac.ke.

Ruto ataja Bwawa la Thwake kichocheo cha mabadiliko katika utoshelevu wa chakula



Thwake Dam.

NA PATRICK NYAKUNDI (KNA)

Rais William Ruto ametaja Bwawa la Matumizi Mengi la Thwake kuwa nguzo muhimu ya Ajenda yake ya Mageuzi ya Kiuchumi kutoka Chini kwenda Juu (BETA), akieleza kuwa umwagiliaji ndio hatua yenye uwezo mkubwa zaidi wa kubadilisha sekta ya kilimo nchini Kenya.

Alisema bwawa la Thwake litakuwa tegemeo muhimu kwa wananchi kwa kuhakikisha uzalishaji wa chakula, kulinda mamili-ioni ya watu dhidi ya ukame, kuchochea maendeleo ya viwanda vipya na kubadilisha eneo la Ukambani Kusini Mashariki kutoka sehemu inayokumbwa na uhaba wa rasilimali kuwa kitovu cha fursa za maendeleo. Katika maeneo yenye joto kali

KWA TAKWIMU

1.3 milioni

Thwake inatarajiwa kusambaza mita za ujazo 150,000 za maji yaliyosafishwa kila siku kwa takriban watu milioni 1.3 katika maeneo ya Makueni, Kitui, na Konza Techno

ya kaunti za Makueni, Kitui na Machakos, familia kwa muda mrefu zimekuwa zikitembea umbali mrefu kutafuta maji, huku wakulima wakishuhudia mazao yao yakinyauka kuto- kana na mvua zisizotabirika na jamii kuishi chini ya tishio la mara kwa mara la ukame. Mradi huu, unaongwa mkono na Serikali ya Kenya pamoja na Benki ya Maendeleo ya Afrika (AfDB), ni miongoni mwa uwekezaji mkubwa zaidi wa miundombinu ya maji nchini. Ukikamilika, Bwawa la Thwake — muundo wa zege wenye urefu wa mita 80.5 na uwezo wa kuhifadhi mita za ujazo milioni 688 za maji — litakuwa hifadhi kubwa zaidi ya maji nchini Kenya na mojawapo ya kubwa zaidi barani Afrika. “Maji ni uhai,” Rais Ruto amesisitiza mara kwa mara, akihusisha moja kwa moja mradi wa Thwake na ajenda ya serikali ya kupanua umwagiliaji na kuimarisha uwezo wa jamii kukabiliana na athari za mabadiliko ya tabianchi. Rais Ruto ameeleza kuwa umwagiliaji ni “suluhisho kuu la kuhakikisha usalama wa chakula nchini,” kauli inayogusa kwa kina wakazi wa eneo ambalo kwa muda mrefu mafanikio au kushindwa kwao yamekuwa yakitegemea kiwango cha mvua. Bwawa la Thwake linatarajiwa

kusambaza mita za ujazo 150,000 za maji yaliyotibiwa kila siku kwa takriban watu milioni 1.3 katika kaunti za Makueni, Kitui na Konza Technopolis iliyoko Machakos. Kwa kaya nyingi, hii itama-anisha upatikanaji wa maji safi karibu na makazi yao, kupunguza muda wa kutembea umbali mrefu kuyatafuta na kutoa nafasi zaidi kwa elimu, kazi na shughuli za kiuchumi. Wanawake na watoto, ambao kwa muda mrefu wamebeba mzigo mkubwa wa kutafuta maji, watanufaika kwa kiasi kikubwa. Awamu ya nne ya programu hiyo itamwagilia hekta 40,000, sawa na takriban ekari 100,000, jambo litakaloweza misimu mingi ya upandaji, kuongeza mavuno na kuimarisha masoko ya ndani. “Ni lazima tuondoke kwenye kilimo kinachotegemea mvua na kuhamia kilimo kinachotegemea umwagiliaji,” alisema Ruto, akisisitiza imani yake kwamba Thwake ndiyo kiungo muhimu kati ya ardhi yenye rutuba na uzalishaji halisi. Uwezo wa bwawa hilo unaenda mbali zaidi ya kilimo. Mipango iliyopo inajumuisha uzalishaji wa umeme wa maji wenye uwezo wa megawati 20, mifumo ya usafi wa mazingira na uchakataji wa maji taka, pamoja na usambazaji wa maji kwa matumizi ya viwandani.



REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS NOTICE

The Office of the Registrar of Political Parties (ORPP) is a state office established under the Political Parties Act, CAP 7D pursuant to provisions of Articles 91 and 92 of the Constitution. The mandate of the Office is to register and regulate political parties as well as administer the Political Parties Fund.

ORPP hereby invites applications from interested and eligible bidders for registration of suppliers for the period **2026/2027 and 2027/2028 Financial Years**. Suppliers currently registered by ORPP are required to register a fresh if they wish to participate.

Interested bidders may view and download the registration document from the ORPP website - <https://www.orpp.or.ke> or Public Procurement Information Portal - <https://tenders.go.ke> **FREE OF CHARGE** from the date of publication of this notice.

Completed registration documents **MUST** be physically submitted in plain and sealed envelope (s) clearly marked;
TENDER NO. ORPP/T/01/2026 -2027 - REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR GOODS, WORKS AND SERVICES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS 2026/2027 AND 2027/2028.
CATEGORY NO
ITEM DESCRIPTION.....
GROUP (OPEN/ AGPO):

Registration documents should be addressed to:
Registrar of Political Parties
Lion Place 1st Floor, Off Waiyaki Way
P.O. Box 1131-00606 NAIROBI.

The registration documents should be placed in the Tender box situated on the 1st floor reception area of **Office of the Registrar of Political Parties, at Lion Place building** during office working hours; Monday through Friday, to be received on or before **18th August, 2026. 11:00 a.m. (1100 HRS EAT)** Registration documents submitted later than the indicated closing date and time shall automatically be disqualified.

To note:
AGPO (Access to Government Procurement Opportunities) Registered: for the purpose of this exercise are; Youth, Women and Persons with Disability who have registered with the National Treasury (Directorate of Procurement)
OPEN: means all eligible bidders can apply.

J.C Lorianokou
Registrar of Political Parties

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REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS, CONTRACTORS, SERVICE PROVIDERS AND CONSULTANTS NOTICE

University of Kabianga invites prospective Suppliers, Contractors, Service Providers and Consultants who would wish to provide goods, works and services for the financial years 2026/2027 and 2027/2028. Existing suppliers, contractors, service providers and consultants who wish to be retained must apply and submit up-to-date information requested in the registration form.

No.	Tender Number	Tender Description	Tender Commencement Date	Eligibility	Closing Date
1	UOK/REG/001/2026/2027	Registration of Suppliers, Contractors, Service Providers and Consultants for Supply / Provision of Goods, Works and Services for a period of two (2) years.	28th July, 2026.	As indicated in the registration form.	11 th August, 2026 (continuous registration will commence one week after closing date).

Registration form with detailed information can be downloaded on the website www.kabianga.ac.ke. Completed registration form can be submitted in soft through email address: suppliers@kabianga.ac.ke or hardcopy to the Procurement Office on or before **11th August, 2026.**

VICE CHANCELLOR



Serikali yazindua mpango kufufua kahawa North Rift

NA EKUWAM SYLVESTER (KNA)

Serikali imeimarisha juhudi za kufufua sekta ya kahawa nchini kupitia uzinduzi wa Mpango wa Uhuishaji wa Kahawa katika eneo la North Rift, unaolenga kuongeza uzalishaji na kupanua kilimo cha kahawa katika maeneo mapya. Akizungumza wakati wa uzinduzi wa mpango huo kwa kaunti za West Pokot, Nandi, Uasin Gishu na Elgeyo-Marakwet katika Taasisi ya Mafunzo ya Ufundi ya Rift Valley (RVTTI) mjini Eldoret, Waziri wa Vyama vya Ushirika na Maendeleo ya Biashara Ndogo na za Kati (MSME), Wycliffe Oparanya, alisema mpango huo unafuatia uzinduzi wa kitaifa uliofanywa na Rais William Ruto wiki mbili zilizopita na unaashiria mwanzo wa utekelezaji wake katika kaunti mbalimbali nchini. Oparanya alisema serikali inalenga kuongeza uzalishaji wa kahawa nchini kutoka tani za metriki 50,000 za sasa hadi tani za metriki 150,000 kufikia mwaka wa kifedha wa 2029/2030. Alisema lengo hilo ni muhimu katika kurejesha nafasi ya Kenya miongoni mwa wazalishaji wakuu wa kahawa duniani. Alibainisha kuwa Kenya ilikuwa wakati mmoja nchi ya pili kwa uzalishaji wa kahawa barani Afrika baada ya Ethiopia, lakini imeshuka hadi nafasi ya tano kutokana na usimamizi duni wa vyama vya ushirika vya kahawa na ukosefu wa msaada wa kutosha kutoka serikalini, hali iliyowafanya wakulima wengi kuachana na zao hilo.



Waziri wa Ushirika na Maendeleo ya Biashara Ndogo na za Kati (MSMEs), Wycliffe Oparanya, akizungumza wakati wa uzinduzi wa kikanda wa Mpango wa Kufufua Sekta ya Kahawa kwa kaunti za West Pokot, Nandi, Uasin Gishu na Elgeyo-Marakwet, katika Taasisi ya Mafunzo ya Kiufundi ya Rift Valley (RVTTI) mjini Eldoret, Kaunti ya Uasin Gishu.

Waziri huyo alisema serikali inashughulikia changamoto hizo kupitia mageuzi ya kina, ikiwemo marekebisha ya Sheria ya Vyama vya Ushirika ambayo kwa sasa yanajadiliwa bungeni. Alieleza matumaini kuwa sheria hiyo itapitishwa ifikapo Septemba, na hivyo kuimarisha usimamizi wa vyama vya ushirika kote nchini. Ili kuunga mkono mpango wa kufufua sekta hiyo, Oparanya alisema serikali ilitenga Sh500 milioni kwa sekta ya kahawa mwaka uliopita na imeongeza mgao huo hadi Sh1 bilioni katika mwakahuu wakifedha ili kufadhili

mageuzi na kusaidia wakulima. Alisema Mpango wa Uhuishaji wa Kahawa unatekelezwa kwa ushirikiano wa taasisi mbalimbali za serikali, ukiwaleta pamoja makamishna wa kaunti, serikali za kaunti, Muungano wa Ushirika wa Wakulima wa Kahawa Kenya (KPCU), Taasisi ya Utafiti wa Kahawa, Soko la Kahawa la Nairobi na wadau wengine ili kuratibu utekelezaji katika ngazi ya kaunti. Kamati za uongozi za kaunti zimepewa jukumu la kuanzisha wakulima wa kahawa, kubaini ukubwa wa mashamba ya kahawa, kutambua aina

zinazofaa za miche, kufuatilia uzalishaji na kuwasilisha ripoti za maendeleo kwa serikali ya kitaifa mara kwa mara. “Taarifa kutoka kaunti zitatuzesha kujua maeneo yanayohitaji miche, mashine na afua nyingine ili kuhakikisha msaada unawafikia wakulima kwa wakati unaofaa,” alisema Oparanya. Waziri huyo pia alitaja mageuzi muhimu ambayo tayari yamefanyika katika sekta ya kahawa, ikiwemo kupunguza muda wa malipo kutoka zaidi ya mwezi mmoja hadi siku tano baada ya mauzo ya kahawa. Aliongeza kuwa mara sheria mpya itakapoanza kutumika, wakulima watapokea asilimia 80 ya mapato yao moja kwa moja kupitia Mfumo wa Malipo ya Moja kwa Moja (DSS), huku asilimia 20 ikienda kwa vyama vyao vya ushirika. Oparanya pia alitangaza kuwa serikali tayari imetoa Sh4 bilioni kufanikisha kufutwa kwa madeni ya muda mrefu ya vyama vya ushirika vya kahawa na inatafuta Sh2.8 bilioni zaidi kupitia bajeti ya nyongeza ili kukamilisha zoezi hilo. Alisema serikali inalenga kuzuia madeni mapya kwa kuimarisha upatikanaji wa mikopo nafuu kupitia Mfuko wa Mzunguko wa Mikopo ya Mapema kwa Kahawa Mabichi (CCARF). Ili kupunguza gharama za uzalishaji, Oparanya alisema serikali kupitia KPCU itaanzisha viwanda vya kimkakati vya kusaga kahawa badala ya kuvilazimisha vyama vya ushirika kununua mashine ghali za kusaga. Eldoret ni miongoni mwa miji iliyopangwa kuwa na kiwanda cha kusaga kahawa kinachoungwa mkono na serikali pamoja na Kakamega na vituo kadhaa katika eneo la Mlima Kenya. Wizara hiyo pia inafanya mazungumzo na watengenezaji wa mashine ili kuwawezesha wakulima kupata mashine za kubangua kahawa kwa bei ya ruzuku.

KWA TAKWIMU

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Ili kuunga mkono mpango huo Oparanya alisema serikali ilitenga Sh500m kwa ajili ya sekta ya kahawa mwaka jana na imeongeza kiasi hicho hadi Sh 1b katika mwaka huu wa fedha ili kufadhili mageuzi ya sekta hiyo

Uwanja wenye uwezo wa kuchukua watazamaji 13,000 wafunguliwa Kwale

NA CHARI SUCHE (KNA)

Ufunguzi wa Uwanja wa Kisasa wa Kwale na Rais William Ruto wakati wa maadhimisho ya Siku ya Mashujaa yaliyofanyika katika Kaunti ya Kwale miaka miwili iliyopita umefungua fursa mpya za michezo kwa vijana na kuinua hadhi ya kaunti hiyo kama moja ya vituo muhimu vya michezo nchini Kenya. Uwanja huo wa kisasa, ambao ni wa kwanza wa aina yake katika eneo la Pwani, una uwezo wa kuchukua takriban watazamaji 13,000 na ulijengwa kupitia ushirikiano kati ya Serikali ya Kitaifa na Serikali ya Kaunti ya Kwale. Gavana wa Kaunti ya Kwale, Fatuma Achani, alisema uwanja huo umekuwa ukipendelewa na vilabu vya soka vya kitaifa

pamoja na mashindano makubwa ya ligi kutokana na viwango vyake vya kimataifa. “Uwanja huu unakidhi viwango vya FIFA na umeiwezesha Kaunti ya Kwale kuwa mwenyeji wa matukio makubwa ya michezo, ikiwemo Kombe la Mozart Bet la mwaka 2026 na mechi za Ligi Kuu ya Kenya. Vilabu maarufu kama Bandari FC, Ulinzi Stars, Tusker FC, Kenya Police FC na Bidco United vimetumia uwanja huu,” alisema Achani. Gavana huyo alibainisha kuwa serikali ya kaunti imekamiliha uwekezaji huo kwa kujenga viwanja 24 vya michezo katika maeneo mbalimbali ya kaunti ili kukuza vipaji vya vijana na kuwasaidia kujiepusha na matumizi ya dawa za kulevya na mihadarati.



PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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INVITATION FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON THE DRAFT HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT POLICY

The Public Service Commission has embarked on reviewing the Human Resource Development Policy for the Public Service. The main objective of the review is to ensure that the policy is aligned to the changes that have occurred in human resource management and development in the public sector. The Draft Revised Human Resource Development Policy is ready for public and stakeholders participation and parties desirous of making submissions are encouraged to study the document and give their feedback, to facilitate finalization.

The Draft Policy can be accessed on the Commission's website <https://www.publicservice.go.ke>.

The Commission invites interested persons to submit comments/feedback in soft copy (MS Word) through email hodhrmd@publicservice.go.ke or in hard signed copies delivered to Secretary/CEO's office on 4th floor, Commission House, to be received on or before **21st August 2026**.

SECRETARY/CEO
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Mkurugenzi katika Idara ya Masuala ya Jumuiya ya Afrika Mashariki, Musa Okwemba, akihitubia wadau katika Kituo cha Mafunzo ya Ufundi Stadi cha Busia.

Soko la Jumuiya kuchochea biashara kwenye mipaka

NA SALOME ALWANDA
NA RODGERS OMONDI

Maandalizi ya kuanzishwa kwa Soko la Kuvuka Mipaka la Jumuiya Busia yamefikia hatua za mwisho, huku serikali ya kitaifa ikieleza imani kuwa kituo hicho kitabadilisha Busia kuwa kitovu cha biashara cha kikanda na kuongeza biashara ya kuvuka mipaka ndani ya Jumuiya ya Afrika Mashariki (EAC). Tangazo hilo lililolewa wakati wa kongamano la uhamasishaji kwa wafanyabiashara wa kuvuka mipaka kuhusu mfumo wa biashara wa EAC lililofanyika Busia. Katika hotuba iliyosomwa kwa niaba yake na Mkurugenzi katika Idara ya Serikali ya EAC, Musa Okwemba, Katibu Mkuu wa Masuala ya Jumuiya ya Afrika Mashariki, Dkt. Carolyn Karugu, alisema serikali inatekeleza agizo la kuanzisha masoko ya Jumuiya katika vituo vya mipakani vya Kenya ili kurahisisha biashara kati ya nchi wanachama wa EAC. “Ninafurahi kubaini kuwa maandalizi ya kuanza kwa Soko la Kuvuka Mipaka la Jumuiya Busia yako katika hatua za juu sana. Mradi huu utabadilisha kwa kiasi kikubwa Busia kuwa kitovu cha biashara cha kikanda. Soko la Jumuiya Busia litakuwa kituo cha majaribio. Masoko haya yatawawezesha wafanyabiashara wadogo, wa kati na wadogo zaidi (MSMEs) kushiriki katika biashara ya kuvuka mipaka kupitia miundombinu ya kisasa na iliyo na vifaa vya kutosha,” ilisema taarifa hiyo.

“Maafisa waliotumwa wanasaidia kuratibu utekelezaji wa ahadi za EAC, kuwezesha utatuzi wa changamoto za biashara ya kuvuka mipaka, kuboresha uratibu kati ya taasisi mbalimbali, na kuhakikisha kuwa wafanyabiashara wanafaidika kikamilifu na ushirikiano wa kikanda,” alisema. Dkt. Karugu pia alieleza nyenzo mbalimbali za kuwezesha biashara ambazo zimeandaliwa na EAC ili kurahisisha shughuli za biashara ya kuvuka mipaka kwa wafanyabiashara. Miongoni mwa nyenzo hizo ni Mwongozo Rahisi wa EAC kwa Biashara Ndogo, za Kati na Ndogo Zaidi (MSMEs), unaotoa taarifa za vitendo kuhusu taratibu za uagizaji na usafirishaji bidhaa nje ya nchi, mahitaji ya forodha, ushuru na kodi, taratibu za mipakani na huduma za usaidizi zinazopatikana. Pia alitaja Mfumo Rahisi wa Biashara wa EAC (STR), Maonesho ya Biashara ya MSMEs ya EAC yanayofanyika kila mwaka, Vituo vya Mipakani vya Huduma kwa Pamoja (OSBPs), na juhudi zinazoendelea za kuondoa vikwazo visivyo vya ushuru katika biashara ndani ya ukanda huo. Waziri wa Kaunti ya Busia anayeshughulikia Biashara, Olekachuna Omuse,

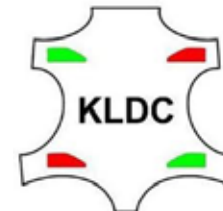
Ninafurahi kubaini kuwa maandalizi ya kuanza kwa Soko la Jumuiya la Busia yamefikia hatua ya juu.

aliharibisha kongamano hilo la uhamasishaji akisema litawasaidia wafanyabiashara kuelewa vyema fursa zinazopatikana chini ya Mfumo Rahisi wa Biashara huku likihamasisha matumizi ya vituo rasmi vya kuvuka mipaka. “Tunahitaji kupunguza matumizi ya njia zisizo rasmi za kuvuka mipaka kwa kuwawezesha wafanyabiashara wetu kuelewa Mfumo Rahisi wa Biashara, jambo ambalo litawahamasisha kutumia vituo rasmi vya kuvuka mipaka badala ya njia zisizo rasmi. Hili litafanikishwa kupitia ujenzi wa uwezo. Pia kuna haja ya kuanzisha kituo cha taarifa mpakani ili wafanyabiashara wote wapate taarifa sawa, hivyo kupunguza upotoshaji wa taarifa ambao mara nyingi husababisha mateso yasiyo ya lazima wanapofanya biashara katika nchi jirani,” alisema. Omuse pia alieleza uwekezaji unaoendelea unaolenga kumimarisha uongezaji thamani wa bidhaa na kupanua biashara katika Kaunti ya Busia. “Sisi ni miongoni mwa kaunti 12 zilizochaguliwa kuwa na Eneo Maalum la Uchakataji wa Mauzo ya Nje (EPZ) na Hifadhi ya Kaunti ya Ukusanyaji na Viwanda (CAIP). Miradi hii itachochea matumizi ya bidhaa zinazozalishwa ndani ya nchi kupitia uongezaji thamani. Miradi hiyo imekamiliwa kwa asilimia 90 kutokana na uwekezaji wa serikali. Tunahitaji wafanyabiashara wetu kujitayarisha ili waweze kunufaika,” aliongeza.



KENYA LEATHER DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

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OPEN CALL TO INVESTORS - KENYA LEATHER INDUSTRIAL PARK (KLIP)

Background:

The Kenya Leather Development Council (KLDC) is a State Corporation established pursuant to the State Corporations Act (Cap.) 446 of the Laws of Kenya through Legal Notice No. 114 of 2011. KLDC is the specialized agency under the State Department for Industry in the Ministry of Investments, Trade and Industry, mandated to drive the development of the Leather sector and promote the leather value chain. As part of its mandate and in alignment with the Bottom-Up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA), KLDC has undertaken the development of the Kenya Leather Industrial Park (KLIP) as a flagship initiative to position Kenya as a regional hub for leather and leather products manufacturing. The Park comprises approximately one hundred (100) acres of land situated on L.R. No. 23961, Kinanie, Machakos County.

KLIP will provide an incentivized and favorable business environment for investors within a clearly delineated special industrial park, with access to shared and integrated infrastructure facilities, including a Common Effluent Treatment Plant (CETP). The Park will operate as a specialized, integrated, and sector-specific leather and leather products manufacturing zone, offering a competitive one-stop-shop solution for industry players. It is envisioned as a sustainable and eco-friendly, world-class leather and leather products production facility, incorporating global best practices in industrial clustering, economic and social infrastructure design, export promotion, effluent treatment, and pollution control.

Scope of Work:

The Kenya Leather Development Council (KLDC) is seeking **Investors** who will develop, equip and operationalize the Kenya Leather Industrial Park as tabulated below:

S/N	Reference	Investment Opportunity	Details	Available
1.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/OLT	Large-Scale Tannery Operations	5,000 m ² Leather Industrial Warehouse	2
2.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/DLT	Large Tannery Development	2-acre Plot	2
3.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/DMT	Medium Tannery Development	1.5-acre Plot	3
4.	KLDC/KLIP/INV/DST	Small Tannery Development	0.7-acre Plot	2
5.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/DLPM	Leather Products Manufacturing	2,500 m ² Leather Industrial Warehouse	2
6.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/DLLPM	Large Leather Products Manufacturing	2-acre Plot	3
7.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/DMLPM	Medium Leather Products Manufacturing	1-acre Plot	10
8.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/MSE	Micro and Small Enterprises (Leather Products)	1 - acre Plot	3
9.	KLDC/KLIP/1/INV/DAI	Auxiliary Industries	1-acre Plot (Tannery Chemicals, Accessories, Cutting Dies, Lasts, Machinery Repairs and Spare Parts)	3

Eligibility and qualification of bidders:

The Kenya Leather Development Council (KLDC) welcomes applications from investors both local and international with demonstrated commercial, technical, and financial capacity in leather and related value chains. Interested investors shall be required to meet the prescribed Occupation Criteria for the respective investment category. Applications will be evaluated on the basis of the information submitted against the **Occupation Criteria**, which can be accessed on the Council's website at www.leathercouncil.go.ke.

Clarification: Requests for clarification may be submitted at any time through: klip@leathercouncil.go.ke

Additional information, updates and related investment information will be available on the Council website: www.leathercouncil.go.ke

The Application should be submitted in sealed envelopes clearly labelled **“OPEN CALL TO INVESTORS- KENYA LEATHER INDUSTRIAL PARK”** and deposited in the tender box located at the Council's headquarters, CPA Centre, 5th Floor, Thika Road, Nairobi, next to KCA University, and addressed to:

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
KENYA LEATHER DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL
P.O BOX 14480 – 00800
NAIROBI – KENYA**

OR

Submitted electronically via email : klip@leathercouncil.go.ke with the subject line clearly indicated as:

“OPEN CALL TO INVESTORS-KENYA LEATHER INDUSTRIAL PARK”

NB:

- This is an open and continuous Investor Application process. Applications shall be received and evaluated on a rolling basis subject to the availability of investment spaces within the Kenya Leather Industrial Park.**
- Only applicants who meet the prescribed Occupation Criteria and investment requirements shall be invited to proceed to the subsequent stages.**

Mpango wa malezi ya watoto wasaidia akina mama wachanga kurejea shuleni

NA PURITY MUGO
(KNA)

Mpango wa malezi ya watoto mchana ulioanzishwa katika kituo cha mafunzo ya ufundi katika Eneo Bunge la Mathioya, Kaunti ya Murang'a, unawawezesha akina mama vijana kurejea shuleni kwa kuwapatia huduma salama za malezi ya watoto wanapoendelea na mafunzo ya stadi mbalimbali. Mpango huo, ulioanzishwa na Taasisi ya 360 Climate Institute, unawasaidia akina mama waliopata ujauzito katika umri mdogo kujenga upya maisha yao baada ya masomo yao kukatizwa na ujauzito. Unawawezesha kusawazisha majukumu ya uzazi na elimu bila kuhatarisha ustawi wa watoto wao. Kiini cha mpango huo ni kituo cha kulelea watoto mchana cha "Cha Mama" Daycare Baby Crèche, ambapo walezi waliopata mafunzo huwalea watoto wachanga na wadogo kuanzia asubuhi hadi jioni huku mama zao wakihudhuria masomo. Mpangilio huo unawawezesha wanafunzi kuzingatia masomo yao huku wakibaki karibu vya kutosha kunyonyesha na kuwaangalia watoto wao wakati wa mapumzikio. Mpango huo ulianzishwa kutokana na kuongezeka kwa idadi ya wanawake vijana waliotaka kurejea masomoni lakini walikosa msaada wa kumminika wa malezi ya watoto. Kwa wanufaika wengi, mpango huo umekuwa njia ya kurejesha kujiamini, kupata stadi zinazohitajika katika soko la ajira na kujihakikishia mustakabali bora wao wenyewe na watoto wao. Jane Njeri, mnufaika kutoka Kaunti ya Nyandarua, alisema



Nancy Gakii, mlezi katika kituo cha kutunza watoto wadogo cha "Cha Mama" kinachoendeshwa na Taasisi ya 360 Climate Institute huko Mathioya, Kaunti ya Murang'a, anamtunza mmoja wa watoto hao huku akina mama vijana wakihudhuria mafunzo ya ufundi. Mpango huo huwawezesha wanufaika kuoanisha majukumu ya uzazi na elimu pamoja na uendelezaji wa ujuzi.

mpango huo umemwezesha kuendelea na kozi ya upishi baada ya kujifungua. Alieleza kuwa alijiunga na taasisi hiyo akiwa mjamzito na baadaye akachukua likizo ya uzazi kabla ya kurejea kukamilisha mafunzo yake kwa msaada wa kituo hicho cha malezi ya watoto. "Nilifahamu kuhusu shule hii kupitia mtandao, nika-tuma maombi na kujiunga kusomea upishi. Wakati huo nilikuwa mjamzito," alisema. Njeri alibainisha kuwa kusawazisha kunyonyesha mtoto pekee kwa maziwa ya mama na masomo si jambo rahisi, lakini alisema kituo hicho cha malezi kimemwezesha kuendelea na elimu bila kumtelekeza mtoto wake.

Alitoa shukrani kwa taasisi hiyo kwa kuunda mazingira yanawawezesha akina mama vijana kuendelea na masomo huku wakitimiza majukumu yao ya ulezi. Mnufaika mwingine, Jane Wanjiru, amepiga hatua kutoka kuwa mmoja wa wanafunzi wa kwanza wa mpango huo hadi kuwa mkufunzi katika taasisi hiyo. Alieleza kuwa mpango huo ulikuwa hatua ya mabadiliko iliyobadili kile kilichoonekana kuwa mwisho wa masomo yake na kuwa fursa ya maendeleo ya kibinafsi na kitaaluma. "Mimi ni mkufunzi na pia mnu-faika wa kituo hiki cha malezi ya watoto. Nisingeweza kufanya kazi bila huduma hii kwa sababu

inanisaidia kusawazisha kazi na majukumu ya uzazi," alisema. Wanjiru aliwahimiza akina mama wengine vijana waliokatiza masomo kutokana na ujauzito kutumia fursa kama hizo na kujitahidi kujenga upya maisha yao ya baadaye. Mafanikio ya mpango huo pia yanahusishwa na walezi kama Nancy Gakii, ambaye huhakiki-

“Mimi ni mkufunzi na pia mnufaika wa kituo cha kulelea watoto mchana. Nisingeweza kufanya kazi bila kituo hiki

sha watoto wanapata chakula cha kutosha, wanakuwa salama na wanatunzwa vyema siku nzima. Kazi yake inawawezesha akina mama kuhudhuria masomo kwa utulivu wa akili wakijua kuwa watoto wao wanapata huduma bora katika mazingira salama. Mpango huo umepata uungwaji mkono kutoka kwa wana-jamii, ambao wanasema una-saidia kupunguza unyanyapaa unaohusishwa mara nyingi na uzazi katika umri mdogo. Mkazi Susan Wangui alisema wazazi wengi hawawezi kuwalea watoto wa mabinti zao mchana kwa sababu wao pia hulazimika kufanya kazi ili kuikimu familia. "Tuna wasichana walioacha shule baada ya kupata ujauzito na wakati mwingine sisi kama wazazi hatuwezi kusaidia kuwalea watoto wao kwa sababu tunalazimika kufanya kazi siku nzima," alisema. Joseph Gikungu aliukaribisha mpango huo akisema unarejesha matumaini kwa akina mama vijana ambao vinginevyo wangepata ugumu kurejea shuleni. "Kuawezesha akina mama vijana kuja shuleni pamoja na watoto wao kunanifurahisha kwa sababu kunawapa matumaini," alisema. Kwa mujibu wa Afisa Mkuu Mtendaji wa Taasisi ya 360 Climate Institute, Daniel Irungu, mpango huo ulianzishwa mwaka 2024 baada ya shirika hilo kubaini hitaji linaloongezeka miongoni mwa akina mama vijana wanaotafuta mafunzo ya ufundi. "Tuligundua kulikuwa na pengo katika jamii tulipoona akina mama wengi vijana waliotaka kupata stadi mbalimbali lakini hawakuwa na mtu wa kuwalea watoto wao wadogo," alisema.

Kamati kupitia upya sheria zilizopitwa na wakati, zisizo halali

NA DOUGLAS NAMUNANE NA
IRENE ATHO (PCO)

Kamati ya sekta mbalimbali kimeanzishwa ili kupitia masharti kadhaa ya kisheria yaliyo katika Katiba ya mwaka 2010 ambayo yamepitwa na wakati au yametangazwa kuwa kinyume cha Katiba na mahakama. Kamati hiyo, inayoongozwa na Mwenyekiti wa Tume ya Marekebisho ya Sheria Kenya (KLRC), Christine Agimba, itapitia na kutathmini masharti ya kisheria na sheria ambazo zimetangazwa kuwa kinyume cha Katiba, batili au zisizolingana na Katiba na mahakama zenye mamlaka ya kufanya hivyo. Akizindua kamati hiyo katika ofisi yake jijini Nairobi, Mwanasheria Mkuu Dorcas Oduor alisema

timu hiyo itafanya mapitio ya kina yanayojikita katika nguzo nne muhimu. Hizi ni pamoja na kuchunguza maamuzi ya kima-hakama, kutathmini masharti ya kisheria na sheria ndogo zilizotangazwa kuwa kinyume cha Katiba, batili au zisizolingana na Katiba na mahakama, pamoja na kupendekeza marekebisho yanayohitajika. Maeneo mengine yatakayopatiwa kipaumbele ni pamoja na kusafisha vitabu vya sheria kwa kubaini na kupendekeza kufutwa kwa sheria zilizopitwa na wakati, zisizo na umuhimu au zilizokosa matumizi ambazo hazina tena manufaa ya kivitendo, kisheria au kiutawala, pamoja na kushughulikia mapengo yaliyopo katika sheria. "Hii si kamati nyingine tu ya



Kamati ya sekta mbalimbali ikiongozwa na Mwenyekiti wa Tume ya Marekebisho ya Sheria ya Kenya, Bi. Christine Agimba (mstari wa mbele, wa pili kutoka kulia), wakati wa uzinduzi rasmi katika Ofisi ya Mwanasheria Mkuu wa Serikali jijini Nairobi.

kiutawala. Inatarajiwa kuwa kitovu muhimu cha ushirikiano wa taasisi mbalimbali kitakachoboresha mfumo wa sheria wa Kenya, kulinda misingi ya utawala wa Katiba na kuhakikisha sheria zetu zinahudumia maslahi ya umma wa kisasa," alisema Oduor. Pia alitangaza kuwa kamati hiyo itachambua mapengo ya kimuundo na kisera yaliyojitokeza kwa muda kutokana na maendeleo ya kikatiba, kimahakama na kitaasisi. Kamati hiyo imepewa jukumu la kuoanisha mfumo wa sheria,

“Kamati itachambua mapungufu ya kimuundo na ya kisera yaliyojitokeza kadiri muda unavyosonga kutokana na mabadiliko ya kikatiba

kuandaa mapendekezo ya kisera, kisheria na kiutawala, yakiwemo ya kufuta, kurekebisha, kuunganisha au kutunga sheria mpya ili kuhakikisha sheria za nchi zinaendana na viwango vya kisasa vya utawala. "Tumejumuika hapa kushughulikia pengo la muda mrefu katika mfumo wetu wa utawala wa sheria, nalo ni kuwepo kwa sheria na vifungu vya sheria ambavyo vimebatilishwa na mahakama lakini bado havi-jarekebishwa, kufutwa au kuoanishwa na Katiba," alisisitiza. Mwanasheria Mkuu alieleza kuwa iwapo sheria au kifungu cha sheria kitatanzwa kuwa kinyume cha Katiba chini ya Ibara ya 24 na Mahakama Kuu, Mahakama ya Rufaa au Mahakama ya Juu Zaidi, sheria hiyo huwa batili kwa kiwango ambacho inakinzana na Katiba. Hata hivyo, alibainisha kuwa maamuzi hayo hayaondoi moja kwa moja maandishi hayo kutoka kwenye vitabu rasmi vya sheria za Kenya.

MAKALA: MAFUNZO YASIYO RASMI

Mpango wa serikali wa utoaji vyeti wafungua fursa kwa mafundi wenye ujuzi

NA MABEL KEYA NA JOHN OCHIENG (KNA)

Utambuzi wa Mafunzo ya Awali (Recognition of Prior Learning – RPL) ulianzishwa rasmi nchini Kenya mwaka 2024 baada ya Baraza la Mawaziri kuidhinisha sera ya kitaifa ya RPL na kuzinduliwa kwa Mfumo wa Sera ya RPL. Mpango wa Utambuzi wa Mafunzo ya Awali (RPL) ni mpango wa serikali unao-tathmini na kuthibitisha ujuzi wa vitendo, maarifa na uzoefu wa mafundi wa sekta ya Jua Kali, mekanika na wafanyakazi wengine wa sekta isiyo rasmi. Mfumo huu unawawezesha watu kupata vyeti vinavyotambuliwa kitaifa kwa umahiri walioupata kupitia uzoefu wa kazi au mafunzo yasiyo rasmi bila kulazimika kupitia mfumo wa kawaida wa masomo darasani. Mpango huo uliundwa kusaaidia mamilioni ya wafanyakazi wa sekta isiyo rasmi kwa kutambua rasmi ujuzi na utaalamu wao walioupata katika mazingira halisi ya kazi. Kwa mafundi wa sekta ya Jua Kali na wafanyakazi wengine wenye ujuzi, vyeti hivi vinafungua njia za kupata ajira rasmi, kupanda ngazi za taaluma na kupata fursa za elimu na mafunzo zaidi. Tathmini na utoaji wa vyeti hufanywa na taasisi zilizodhinishwa na Mamlaka ya Kitaifa ya Sifa za Kitaaluma Kenya (KNQA) pamoja na mashirika husika ya serikali, ikiwemo Mamlaka ya Kitaifa



Brian Ouma akifanya ukarabati wa pikipiki ya zamani katika gereji yake eneo la Mamboleo mjini Kisumu.

ya Mafunzo ya Viwandani (NITA). Kupitia RPL, mtu anaweza kupata cheti rasmi kinachotambuliwa na serikali kwa ujuzi alionao tayari, hata kama hajawahi kuhudhuria chuo au taasisi rasmi ya mafunzo. Hii inawawezesha wafanyakazi wenye uzoefu kutumia utaalumu wao wa vitendo kupata fursa bora za ajira na kuboresha maisha yao. Hadi sasa, serikali ya Kenya imewathibitisha zaidi ya wafanyakazi stadi 60,000 ambao

hapo awali hawakuwa na sifa rasmi za kitaaluma. Kutokana na hilo, wengi wao sasa wako katika nafasi nzuri zaidi ya kupata ajira, kushindania zabuni na kushiriki katika fursa za ununuzi wa bidhaa na huduma za serikali. Sasa tunaangazia simulizi ya mafundi vijana watatu ambao wamefanikiwa kufuzu kupata vyeti vinavyotambua kuwa wameboba katika taaluma ya ufundi wa pikipiki. Sauti ya vyuma vinavyogongana huku nyundo zikigonga chuma inasikika katika mitaa yenye shughuli nyingi ya eneo la Mamboleo, Kaunti ya Kisumu. Harufu ya mafuta ya injini imetanda hewani huku

mafundi wakihamia kutoka pikipiki moja hadi nyingine, mikono yao ikiwa imejaa grisilakini nyuso zao zikionyesha ari na matumaini. Katika kona moja ya Karakana ya Lake View Auto Garage, pikipiki ya zamani ambayo wengi wangeiona kama chuma chakavu inanza kurejea katika hali yake ya awali hatua kwa hatua. Kwa Brian Ouma mwenye umri wa miaka 31, kila pikipiki iliyoharibika ina hadithi yake. Wakati wengine wanaiona kama mashine inayostahili kutupwa kwenye dampo la vyuma chakavu, yeye huona kama fursa.

“Siku zote niliamini kwamba pikipiki ya zamani bado ina thamani ikiwa mtu ana ujuzi na uvumilivu wa kuikarabati,” anasema huku akiimarisha bolti kwenye injini iliyokarabatiwa. Brian alianza karakana hiyo mwaka 2020 baada ya kutumia takriban miaka saba kama mwanafunzi wa ufundi. Akiwa amekulia katika mtaa wa Manyatta, alishuhudia wazazi wake wakihangaika kuihudumia familia. Aliposhindwa kuen-delea na masomo ya chuo kutokana na changamoto za kifedha, aliamua kujifunza ufundi wa pikipiki katika karakana ya jirani. “Haikuwa rahisi mwanzoni,” anakumbuka. “Wakati mwingine nilifanya kazi siku nzima na kupata malipo kidogo sana. Lakini nilijua kwamba nikibobea, siku moja ngingekuwa mmiliki wa karakana yangu mwenyewe.” Leo hii, Brian anafanya kazi pamoja na mafundi wenzake wawili, Kevin Onyango na Peter Ochieng, wakikarabati pikipiki zilizohusika katika ajali au zile zilizotelekezwa kwa sababu wamiliki wake waliona gharama za kuz-irekebisha kuwa kubwa mno. Timu hiyo hununua pikipiki zilizoharibika, hukarabati injini zake, hubadilisha vipuri vilivyochakaa, hupaka rangi upya fremu zake na kisha kuziua kwa bei nafuu. Pia hukarabati pikipiki za wateja, kufanya huduma za kawaida za matengenezo na kuuza vipuri. Karakana yao hupokea wastani wa wateja kati ya 10 na 15 kila siku, wakiwemo waendesha boda boda, wahudumu wa huduma za usafirishaji wa bidhaa na wamiliki binafsi wa pikipiki.

Makueni yagawa baiskeli 385 kwa Wahamasishaji wa Afya ya Jamii

NA PATRICK NYAKUNDI (KNA)

Serikali ya Kaunti ya Makueni Simezindua mpango mkubwa wa kuimarisha huduma za afya katika jamii kwa kusambaza baiskeli 385 kwa Wahamasishaji wa Afya ya Jamii (CHPs) na kuanzisha huduma za ambulansi bila malipo ili kuboresha upatikanaji wa huduma za afya kote kauntini. Gavana Mutula Kilonzo Jr. alizindua usambazaji wa baiskeli hizo katika Hospitali ya Mama na Mtoto ya Wote, akisema kuwa uwekezaji huo wa Sh6 milioni utaimarisha uwezo wa Wahamasishaji wa Afya ya Jamii kusafiri kwa urahisi zaidi na kuwafikia wananchi wengi zaidi kwa ajili ya kutoa huduma muhimu za afya kwa ufanisi. Baiskeli hizo ziligawiwa katika wadi tano, ambapo Ivingoni/

Nzambani ilipokea 239, Kikumbulyu Kusini na Kikumbulyu Kaskazini zilipokea 49 kila moja, huku Masongaleni na Thange zikipokea baiskeli 24 kila moja. Gavana Mutula alisema baiskeli hizo zilinunuliwa baada ya wakazi kueleza changamoto za usafiri zinazowakabili Wahamasishaji wa Afya ya Jamii wakati wa mikutano ya ushirikishwaji wa umma iliyofanyika katika mwaka wa fedha uliopita. Alibainisha kuwa Wahamasishaji wa Afya ya Jamii mara nyingi huwa kituo cha kwanza cha mawasiliano kwa wagonjwa katika ngazi ya jamii, hasa katika maeneo ya mbali, ambako hulazimika kutembea umbali mrefu huku wakibeba vifaa vya matibabu vyenye uzito wa hadi kilo 20. “Kazi inayofanywa na Wahama-



Gavana wa Kaunti ya Makueni, Mutula Kilonzo (kulia), akikagua baiskeli kabla ya kuzikabidhi kwa Wahamasishaji wa Afya ya Jamii wakati wa uzinduzi wa mpango huo katika Hospitali ya Mama na Mtoto mjini Wote, Kaunti ya Makueni. PICHA: PATRICK NYAKUNDI/KNA

sishaji wa Afya ya Jamii ni kubwa sana. Wao ndio mawasiliano ya kwanza katika jamii zetu na mara nyingi husafiri

katika maeneo yenye maz-ingira magumu ili kuwafikia wananchi. Baiskeli hizi zitapunguza mzigo wao na kuboresha

utoaji wa huduma,” alisema. Gavana huyo alisema kuwa kuimarika kwa usafiri kutawawezesha wahamasishaji hao kufikia lengo lao la kutembelea angalau kaya 33 kila mwezi huku wakiboresha ufuatiliaji wa magonjwa, huduma za afya ya mama na mtoto, elimu ya afya na ufuatiliaji wa wagonjwa. Alihimiza wadi 26 zilizosalia katika kaunti hiyo kutenga fedha za kununua baiskeli katika bajeti ijayo ili kuhakikisha Wahamasishaji wote wa Afya ya Jamii wananufaika na mpango huo. Mutula alitangaza kuwa serikali ya kaunti, kwa ushirikiano na mshirika wa maendeleo, inapanga kununua baiskeli nyingine 1,000 katika mwaka huu wa fedha ili kuendelea kuimarisha huduma za afya za jamii. Wakati wa hafla hiyo, Gavana huyo pia alizindua rasmi huduma za ambulansi bila malipo kwa wagonjwa wanaopewa rufaa na wahudumu wa afya pamoja na wale wanaohitaji huduma za dharura ndani na nje ya kaunti.



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JOB ADVERTISEMENT

The Kenya Institute of Supplies Management is a corporate body established through an Act of Parliament, the "Supplies Practitioners Management Act (SPMA), 2007". KISM is mandated to make provision for the training, registration and licensing of supplies practitioners; to regulate their practice and for connected purposes.

Pursuant to this mandate, the Institute seeks to recruit highly motivated, visionary, dynamic and results oriented candidates to fill the under mentioned positions;

REFERENCE NO.	VACANT POSITIONS	KISM GRADE	TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT	NO. OF POSTS
CDA-001/2026	Director, Capacity Development and Accreditation	2	5 years Contract	1
RL-001/2026	Principal Registration Officer	4	Permanent & Pensionable	1
CL-001/2026	Legal Officer	6	Permanent & Pensionable	1

HOW TO APPLY

Qualified and interested candidates are invited to read detailed job profile on our website www.kism.or.ke and apply **online** indicating the job title and the reference number, addressing their application letter to:

**The Chief Executive Officer
Kenya Institute of Supplies Management,
KISM Tower 12th Floor, Ngong Road
P. O Box 30400-00100, Nairobi**

Candidates must attach **PDF** copies of application letter, their CV with full details of educational background, professional qualifications, work experience and copies of Academic and Professional certificates. Candidates who are subsequently invited to attend formal interviews must produce originals of all the scanned documents during the interview.

Applications **MUST** be submitted online via <http://careers.kism.or.ke/> so as to reach the Institute on or before MIDNIGHT on **TUESDAY 18TH AUGUST, 2026**.

KISM is an equal opportunity employer. People living with disability, women and youth are encouraged to apply. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.



REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS, CONTRACTORS, SERVICE PROVIDERS AND CONSULTANTS NOTICE

Nuclear Power and Energy Agency invites prospective Suppliers, Contractors, Service Providers and Consultants who would wish to provide Goods, Works and Services for the financial years 2026-2027 and 2027-2028.

No.	Tender Number	Tender Description	Tender Commencement Date	Tender Closing Date	Eligibility
1	NuPEA/REG/DSCM/001/26-27	Registration of Suppliers, Contractors, Service Providers and Consultants for Supply / Provision of Goods, Works and Services for a Period of Two (2) Years	29th July 2026	12th August 2026	As indicated in the Registration Document

Tender document detailing the requirements of the above registration may be obtained from the Nuclear Power and Energy Agency website (www.nuclear.co.ke) and (www.tenders.go.ke) from the date shown above.

ONLINE SENSITIZATION ON REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS, CONTRACTORS, SERVICE PROVIDERS AND CONSULTANTS NOTICE

The Nuclear Power and Energy Agency (NuPEA) invites you to a virtual training session on our new ERP Supplier Registration Module.

- Date: **Thursday, 30th July 2026**
- Time: **2:30 PM - 3:30 PM**
- Venue: **Online (Virtual)**
- Link: <https://meet.google.com/gif-rdby-aic>

CANCELLATION NOTICE

No.	Tender Number	Tender Description	Tender Commencement Date	Tender Closing Date	Eligibility
1	NuPEA/REG/DSCM/001/25-26	Registration of Suppliers, Contractors, Service Providers and Consultants for Supply / Provision of Goods, Works and Services for a Period of Two (2) Years	20th May 2026	10th June 2026	As indicated in the Registration Document

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



KENYA INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

INVITATION TO TENDER

TENDER FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROPOSED PHASE 2 WORKS FOR THE PROPOSED RESEARCH, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION LABORATORIES AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE ON PLOT L.R. NO. 209/5811 DUNGA ROAD, SOUTH B NAIROBI

The Kenya Industrial Research and Development Institute (KIRDI) invite sealed Technical and Financial bids from eligible contractors who must be registered with National Construction Authority for the construction of the proposed phase 2 works for the Proposed Research, Technology and Innovation Laboratories and Related Infrastructure. Applications are invited for: -

Tender Number	Tender Name	NCA Category	Tender Closing Date	Time
KIRDI 01/2026/2027	Tender for LPG & Compressed Air System, Vacuum System, Kitchen & Laundry Equipment.	2 and above (Mechanical Works)	14 th August 2026	11.00 AM
KIRDI 02/2026/2027	Tender for Boiler (Steam and Hot Water Generation) and Incinerator Installation.	2 and above (Mechanical Works)	14 th August 2026	11.00 AM
KIRDI 03/2026/2027	Tender for Waterproofing Works.	6 and above (Building Works)	14 th August 2026	11.00 AM

The Technical and Financial tender documents detailing the requirements can be viewed and downloaded from the websites www.kirdi.go.ke and on the Public Procurement Information portal www.tenders.go.ke at no cost. Bidders who download the tender document from these websites will be required to email their detailed contact information to directorkirdi@gmail.com or directorgeneral@kirdi.go.ke for recording/further clarifications and addendum. Note that failure to email the contact information will lead to disqualification at the preliminary stage.

Completed tender documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked should be addressed and delivered to:
**The Director General
Kenya Industrial Research and Development Institute
P. O. Box 30650 - 00100 NAIROBI**

or deposited in the tender box at the **KIRDI South "C" Block D** reception so as to be received not later than the dates indicated

The applications will be opened the same day at **11.00 A.M in Block E Board Room**. Applicants or their representatives who wish to witness the opening are invited to attend.

**AG. DIRECTOR GENERAL
KIRDI.**



KENYA INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

REPLACEMENT OF VACANT POSITIONS

Kenya Industrial Research and Development Institute (KIRDI) is a State Corporation, established under the KIRDI Act 2022 and operates under the Ministry of Investment, Trade and Industry. Its mandate is to undertake research, development and innovation in industrial and allied technologies and disseminate research findings to support industrial development. The Institute is expected to play a leading role in supporting the industrialization process in line with Kenya's Bottom-Up Economic Transformation Agenda.

To achieve the mandate, the Institute is seeking to recruit suitable, self-driven, result oriented, highly motivated and qualified personnel to fill the following vacant positions:

S/No.	JOB	TERMS	POST	JOB REF
1.	Corporation Secretary/ Director, Legal Services – Job Grade KIRDI 2	5- Year Contract Renewable Once	1	LS/001/2026
2.	Deputy Director – Human Resource Management - Job Grade KIRDI 3	Permanent & Pensionable	1	HRM/001/2026

Detailed Job description and requirements for the above positions are available in our website www.kirdi.go.ke.

All applications quoting the Job Reference Number on the envelope or email subject should be sent to the address below attaching curriculum vitae, a copy of ID/Passport, scanned copies of academic certificates, testimonials, a filled employment form and any other relevant supporting documents.

All applications should reach the Director-General's office on or before **Tuesday, 18th August 2026 latest by 5.00 p.m. (East African Time)**.

**The Director-General
Kenya Industrial Research and Development Institute (KIRDI)
Popo Road, Nairobi South C
P.O. Box 30650 – 00100
NAIROBI, KENYA**

NB:

1. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted and canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.
2. Applicants living with disability and those from marginalized areas and minority communities are encouraged to apply.
3. KIRDI is an equal opportunity employer.





NATIONAL DROUGHT MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

External Vacancy Announcement

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

The Board of the National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) is seeking to recruit competent individuals to fill the following position within its complement.

S/NO	REF NO	POSITION	GRADE	NO OF POSTS
1.	NDMA I/V/No. 3/4/2026	Supply Chain Management Officer II	NDMA 8	3

Interested qualified applicants are notified of the following:

- Detailed job description, requirements, and the applicant's **bio-data form** are available on the website **www.ndma.go.ke**
- Applicants **MUST fill the Bio-Data Form**, whose link will be available in the Authority's website. Applicants who will not fill the bio data form will have their applications rejected.
- All applications **must** be submitted online on or before **17th August, 2026**, by **5.00 pm**. Physical application will not be accepted.
- NDMA is an equal opportunity employer. Persons with disabilities, marginalized and minorities are encouraged to apply.
- There is NO fee charged by NDMA for any application of these positions
- Canvassing of any form will result in the disqualification of the candidate
- ONLY** shortlisted candidates will be contacted

How to Apply

Interested qualified applicants are requested to submit a filled **Bio-data form**, a cover letter, detailed CV, copies of certificates & testimonial with the title of the position and Reference Number clearly indicated in the email subject line to **hr@ndma.go.ke**. The Bio-data form link will be provided on the Authority's website.

Successful candidates will be required to fulfill the requirements of Chapter Six (6) of the Constitution of Kenya, specifically clearance from the following institutions;

- Kenya Revenue Authority
- Higher Education Loans Board
- Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission
- Directorate of Criminal Investigations (Certificate of Good Conduct)
- Registered Credit Reference Bureau

Applications should be addressed to;

**Chief Executive Officer,
National Drought Management Authority
P. O. Box 53547 00200
NAIROBI, KENYA**



The President's Award - Kenya



SUPPLIERS PREQUALIFICATION NOTICE FOR THE PERIOD 2026-2028

The President's Award – Kenya invites applications from interested and eligible firms for prequalification for the supply and delivery of goods, provision of works and consultancy/non-consultancy services for the period 2026–2028 to prequalify for the listed Tender's below: -

S/ NO.	TENDER NO.	TENDER DESCRIPTION	CLOSING DATE
1.	PA-K/PRE-Q/T001/2026-2028	Prequalification of Suppliers, Contractors and Consultants for the Period 2026–2028	Tuesday, August 11th, 2026, at 1030hours.

Interested candidates may obtain a complete set of tender documents and detailed specifications from the organizations website: **www.presidentsaward.go.ke** and PPIP Portal: **tender.go.ke** free of any charges or from the **Supply Chain Management Office, The President's Award – Kenya on Supplies Branch, Likoni Road, Industrial Area – Nairobi**, during normal working hours upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Kshs. 1,000** per set of tender documents in cash or banker's cheque payable to The President's Award – Kenya.

Bidders who download the Tender Document must register their interest immediately by sending an email to **procurement@presidentsaward.go.ke** stating their names, email, postal & telephone address and tender details in order to facilitate subsequent clarifications and/or addendum.

Completed tender documents should be submitted by postal service, or hand/courier delivery, be deposited in the Tender Box at The President's Award – Kenya on Supplies Branch, Likoni Road, Industrial Area – Nairobi clearly marked envelopes **"Prequalification of Suppliers for Goods, Works and Services for the year 2026-2028"** indicating the Reference Code No. and Item Description and delivered to the address given below: -

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
THE PRESIDENT'S AWARD – KENYA,
P.O BOX 62185 – 00200,
NAIROBI.**

so as to be received on or before **Tuesday, August 11th, 2026 at 1030hours**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the tenderers who choose to attend or their representatives at **The President's Award – Kenya on Supplies Branch, Likoni Road, Industrial Area – Nairobi**.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



TANATHI WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY



PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION NOTICE FOR THE BULK WATER SUPPLY UNDER MWALA CLUSTER WATER SUPPLY PROJECT

Notice is hereby given to the general public, stakeholders, and all interested parties that Tanathi Water Works Development Agency (TAWWDA) intends to undertake public participation meetings regarding the proposed bulk water supply under the Mwala Cluster Water Supply Project proposed to serve the towns of Oldonyo Sapuk, Mbiuni, Kivandini, Mwala, Makutano, and Masii.

The purpose of these meetings is to inform stakeholders about the project and the adoption of bulk water supply by the Agency, receive comments, views, and recommendations from the public, and ensure inclusive participation in accordance with the principles of public participation as required under the laws of Kenya. Members of the public, community leaders, institutions, and other interested stakeholders are invited to attend the public participation meetings which will be held as follows:

Meeting Schedule:

S. No	Location	Date	Time
1	Mbiuni	12th August 2026	10 am
2	Mwala	13th August 2026	10 am
3	Masii	14th August 2026	10 am

The public is encouraged to attend and provide views, comments, or written submissions regarding the project and the adoption of bulk water supply by the Agency. Written comments may also be submitted through the contact below before the finalization of the project documentation.

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact:

**The Chief Executive Officer
Tanathi Water Works Development Agency
Private Bag, Kitui
Telephone: 0792 048 012
Email: info@tanathi.go.ke**



**KOITALEEL SAMOEI
UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE**

(A CONSTITUENT COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI)

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT FOR VACANT POSITIONS TUESDAY JULY 28, 2026

Koitaleel Samoei University College (KSUC) is a Constituent College of the University of Nairobi and the first public University in Nandi County. Founded in the Year 2018 vide Legal Notice No. 177.

In pursuance of its mission and mandate the University College invites applications from suitably qualified candidates to fill the following under listed vacancies:

a) Academic Positions					
S / NO.	DESIGNATION	DEPARTMENT	SCALE	NO. OF POST	ADVERT REF. NO.
1.	Senior Lecturer in Physical Education and Sports	Sports Science in School of Education (SOE)	13A	1	KSUC/AC/01/07/2026
2.	Senior Lecturer in Kiswahili	Literature, Languages and Linguistics - (SOE)	13A	1	KSUC/AC/02/07/2026
3.	Lecturer in Applied Mathematics	Science and Technology	12A	1	KSUC/AC/03/07/2026
4.	Lecturer in Statistics	Science and Technology	12A	1	KSUC/AC/04/07/2026
5.	Lecturer in Geography	Humanities and Social Sciences - (SOE)	12A	1	KSUC/AC/05/07/2026
6.	Lecturer in History		12A	1	KSUC/AC/06/07/2026
7.	Lecturer in Literature		12A	1	KSUC/AC/07/07/2026
8.	Lecturer in Kiswahili		12A	1	KSUC/AC/08/07/2026

b) Administrative Positions				
S/NO.	DESIGNATION	SCALE	NO. OF POST	ADVERT REF. NO.
1.	Deputy Director Finance and Accounts	14	1	KSUC/ADM/05/07/2026
2.	Assistant Director, Finance and Accounts	13	1	KSUC/ADM/06/07/2026
4.	Counsellor II	EF	1	KSUC/ADM/07/07/2026
5.	Pharmaceutical Technologist II	CD	1	KSUC/ADM/08/07/2026
6.	Driver II	IV	1	KSUC/ADM/09/07/2026

Positions and how to apply can be accessed on KSUC Website: **<https://ksu.ac.ke>**

Mfumo wa bayometriki kupunguza muda wa kupata cheti cha rekodi nzuri

NA SHARON NJERU NA ZIPPORAH ODIONYI (KNA)

Serikali imezindua Mfumo mpya wa Utambuzi wa Kibiometriki wa Aina Nyingi (Multi-Biometric Identification System – MBIS) ambao unatarajiwa kupunguza muda wa kuchakata vyeti vya ukaguzi wa maadili (Police Clearance Certificates) hadi chini ya saa 24. Mfumo huo utapunguza muda wa uchakataji wa vyeti hivyo kutoka siku 14 hadi siku moja pekee, huku ukiimarisha uwezo wa wachunguzi kuwatambua washukiwa na kusimamia rekodi za uhalifu kwa ufanisi zaidi. Mfumo huo ulizinduliwa katika makao makuu ya Idara ya Upelelezi wa Jinai (DCI) yaliyoko Barabara ya Kiambu jijini Nairobi. Unajumuisha teknolojia za utambuzi wa alama za vidole, alama za viganja na utambuzi wa sura katika jukwaa moja



Waziri wa Mambo ya Ndani na Utawala wa Kitaifa, Kipchumba Murkomen (katikati), Inspekta Jenerali wa Huduma ya Polisi ya Taifa, Douglas Kanja Kirocho (kushoto), na Mkurugenzi wa DCI, Mohamed I. Amin (kulia), wakati wa uzinduzi wa Mfumo wa Utambuzi wa Vipengele Vingi vya Kibiolojia (MBIS) Toleo la 5 na makabidhiano ya cheti cha ithibati ya ANAB kwa Kitengo cha Kusimamia Ushahidi wa Kiforensiki katika Makao Makuu ya DCI jijini Nairobi.

salama na linaloweza kupanuliwa kulingana na mahitaji. Waziri wa Usalama wa Ndani na Utawala wa Kitaifa, Kipchumba Murkomen, alisema

mfumo huo mpya unaashiria mabadiliko makubwa kutoka kwa mbinu za jadi za upelelezi kuelekea mfumo wa kisasa wa haki ya jinai unaotege-

mea sayansi na teknolojia. Alibainisha kuwa mfumo huo utaongeza uwezo wa hifadhi data ya taarifa za kibiometriki kutoka rekodi milioni mbili hadi milioni 10, huku ukiongeza idadi ya uchunguzi wa alama za vidole unaofanywa kila siku kutoka takriban 4,500 hadi 20,000. “Hatua inayofuata ni Mfumo wa Utambuzi wa Kibiometriki wa Aina Nyingi (MBIS),” alisema Murkomen, akiongeza kuwa teknolojia hiyo itawezesha utambuzi wa haraka, uthibitishaji wa taarifa na ubadilishanaji wa taarifa za kijasusi kwa ufanisi zaidi. Vilevile, Waziri huyo alifichua kuwa Serikali inaendelea na mipango ya kuunganisha mfumo huo na Ofisi ya Kitaifa ya Usajili wa Watu, Mahakama, Idara ya Uhamiaji na Shirika la Kimataifa la Polisi (Interpol), kutegemea marekebisho muhimu ya sheria na sera. Alisisitiza kuwa muunganiko huo

utaimarisha ubadilishanaji wa taarifa za kijasusi kwa wakati halisi, kuboresha ushirikiano wa kuvuka mipaka na kufanya iwe vigumu kwa wahalifu sugu kukwepa kutambuliwa. Murkomen pia alitangaza mipango ya kusambaza huduma za usajili wa taarifa za kibiometriki katika vituo vya polisi kote nchini ili kuleta teknolojia hiyo karibu na wananchi na kuharakisha uchunguzi wa kesi. Uzinduzi huo uliambatana na kukabidhiwa kwa Cheti cha Ithibati kutoka Bodi ya Kitaifa ya Ithibati ya Marekani (ANSI National Accreditation Board – ANAB) kwa Kitengo cha Usimamizi wa Ushahidi wa Kisayansi (Forensic Evidence Management Unit – FEMU), hatua ambayo maafisa walisema itaongeza uadilifu na kuaminika kwa ushahidi wa kisayansi unaotumika katika uchunguzi na mashtaka ya jinai. Kwa mujibu wa maafisa waliohudhuria hafla hiyo, ithibati hiyo inaifanya FEMU katika Maabara ya Uchunguzi wa Kisayansi ya Huduma ya Kitaifa ya Polisi kuwa kitengo cha kwanza barani Afrika cha usimamizi wa ushahidi wa kisayansi kutambuliwa kimataifa.



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MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES AUTHORITY

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR ASSESSMENT OF ECONOMIC VIABILITY AND DEVELOPMENT OF AN OPERATIONAL MODEL FOR CONSTITUENCY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CENTRES (CIDCs)

MICRO AND SMALL ENTERPRISES AUTHORITY (MSEA)

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (REOI)

Reference No.: MSEA/EOI/04/2026-2027

The **Micro and Small Enterprises Authority (MSEA)**, a State Corporation under the Ministry of Cooperatives and MSME Development, invites eligible and qualified consulting firms to submit Expressions of Interest (EOI) for consultancy services to assess the economic viability and develop a sustainable, technology-enabled operational model for **214 Constituency Industrial Development Centres (CIDCs) across Kenya**.

The assignment will include assessment of existing operations, stakeholder engagement, development of a future-ready operational framework, youth and digital innovation strategies, monitoring and evaluation systems, and communication strategies aimed at transforming CIDCs into modern innovation and enterprise hubs.

Eligible firms should demonstrate relevant experience in operational model development, feasibility studies, nationwide assessments, MSME development, stakeholder engagement, digital manufacturing, youth innovation, and resource mobilization.

Interested firms may obtain the detailed REOI document from www.msea.go.ke or <https://tenders.go.ke/> portal.

Submission Deadline: **17th August 2026 at 11:00 a.m. (EAT)**

Completed EOIs should be submitted in sealed envelopes clearly marked:

“Expression of Interest – Consultancy Services for Assessment of Economic Viability and Development of an Operational Model for Constituency Industrial Development Centres (CIDCs)” and addressed to:

**The Director General/CEO
Micro and Small Enterprises Authority (MSEA)
Utalii House, 10th Floor, Left Wing, Utalii Lane, Along Uhuru Highway
P.O. Box 48823-00100, Nairobi, Kenya
For enquiries: procurement@msea.go.ke; wsigey@msea.go.ke**

This Expression of Interest for the above assignment may also be obtained from the MSEA Website: www.msea.go.ke/www.tenders.go.ke at no fee.

Further clarifications may be inquired through 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 17th August 2026**.

**HENRY RITHAA
DIRECTOR GENERAL/CEO**



Kaunti ya Tana River yaanza kuboresha vifaa vya hospitali

NA HUSSEIN ABDULLAHI (KNA)

Serikali ya Kaunti ya Tana River imeanza mpango wa kuboresha vifaa vya hospitali unaolenga kuimarisha ubora wa huduma za afya zinazotolewa katika kaunti hiyo. Hospitali za rufaa za Hola na Ngao zimekuwa vituo vya kwanza vya afya katika kaunti hiyo kubwa kupokea vifaa vya kisasa vya upasuaji na huduma za kitabibu ili kuboresha utoaji wa huduma bora za afya. Hospitali hizo mbili za rufaa za kaunti zimepokea vifaa hivyo kupitia Mpango wa Kitaifa wa Huduma za Vifaa Tiba (NESP), ambao ni ushirikiano kati ya Wizara ya Afya, Baraza la Magavana na Mamlaka ya Afya ya Kijamii (SHA). NESP ni mpango wa afya wenye thamani ya Sh200 bilioni unaolenga kuzipatia hospitali za umma mashine za kisasa za uchunguzi na matibabu kama vile skana za CT, vifaa vya kusafisha damu (dialysis) na mashine za eksirei za kidijitali. Tofauti na mifumo ya zamani ya ukodishaji, mpango huu unatumia mfumo wa Malipo kwa Huduma (Fee-For-Service - FFS), ambapo wasambazaji wa vifaa wanahusika na usakinishaji na matengenezo, na hupipwa kulingana na huduma halisi zinazotumika. Gavana wa Kaunti hiyo, Meja Mstaafu Dhadho Godhana, alizindua rasmi ukumbi wa kisasa wa upasuaji katika Hospitali ya Rufaa ya Kaunti ya Hola. “Hatujapata tu vifaa vya matibabu, bali tunawekeza katika afya na ustawi wa wananchi wetu kwa kuweka msingi wa kuboresha utoaji wa huduma,” alisema. Wakati wauzinduzi huo, Godhana aliandamana na Mjumbe wa Kamati Tendaji ya Kaunti



1. Gavana wa Kaunti ya Tana River, Dhadho Godhana, anasema utawala wake umejitolea kujenga mfumo wa afya imara na thabiti zaidi.
2. Baadhi ya vifaa vya upasuaji vilivyopatikana na Serikali ya Kaunti ya Tana River: Hospitali za rufaa za Hola na Ngao zimepata vifaa vya kisasa vya upasuaji.

(CECM) anayesimamia Afya, Huduma za Matibabu na Usafi wa Mazingira, Kofa Jara, pamoja na Mkurugenzi wa Huduma za Afya, Dkt. Nicholas Mwenda. Gavana Godhana alisema kuwa kumbi za upasuaji za Hola na Ngao zilizokamilishwa na kuwekewa vifaa kamili zina mashine za kisasa

za usingizi wa upasuaji (anesthesia), vifaa vya kufuatilia hali ya wagonjwa, meza zinazoweza kurekebisha kwa upasuaji, taa za LED za upasuaji, mashine za umeme za upasuaji (diathermy), pampu za kuingiza dawa mwilini, mifumo ya kufyonza majimaji wakati wa upasuaji na vifaa vingine muhimu vya kusaidia

upasuaji salama na wenye ufanisi. Alifichua kuwa vituo vya afya katika miji ya Madogo, Bura na Bangale pia vinatarajiwa kupokea vifaa muhimu vya matibabu kupitia mpango wa NESP. “Kumbi hizi mpya za upasuaji zitapanua kwa kiasi kikubwa upatikanaji wa huduma salama na bora za upasuaji, kupunguza rufaa za wagonjwa nje ya kaunti, kupunguza mzigo wa kifedha kwa wagonjwa na familia zao, na kusogeza huduma za afya zinazookoa maisha karibu na wananchi,” alisema. Gavana huyo alisema kuwa afya ni muhimu kwa ustawi wa wananchi na maendeleo ya kijamii na kiuchumi, akibainisha kuwa uwekezaji katika vifaa vya kisasa utaimarisha kwa kiasi kikubwa utoaji wa huduma za

matibabu katika kaunti nzima. Alisema maendeleo hayo ni muhimu kwani wakazi hawatala-zimika tena kusafiri nje ya kaunti kutafuta huduma za upasuaji na matibabu ya wagonjwa mahututi, kwa kuwa sasa wanaweza kupata huduma hizo ndani ya Tana River. Godhana alisema utawala wake utaendelea kuweka kipaumbele katika kushughulikia changamoto zinazoikabili sekta ya afya ili kuimarisha utoaji wa huduma za afya. Hivi karibuni, Timu ya Usimamizi wa Afya ya Kaunti (CHMT) ilibainisha kuwa kufanikisha huduma bora za afya kunahitaji mifumo imara zaidi ya afya, wafanyakazi wenye sifa stahiki, uwekaji wa huduma katika mifumo ya kidijitali na kuzingatia kwa ukamilifu viwango vya kitaaluma. Kwa muda mrefu, wakazi wa Tana River wamekuwa wakilalamikia mapungufu katika huduma za uhamasishaji wa afya, utoro wa wafanyakazi na ucheleweshaji wa huduma za uchunguzi. Godhana pia alitangaza maboresho muhimu katika Hospitali ya Rufaa ya Kaunti ya Hola, ikiwa ni pamoja na uboreshaji wa wodi ya wazazi, Kitengo cha Uangalizi Maalum wa Wagonjwa (HDU), Chumba cha Dharura (ER), huduma za ambulansi na miundombinu mingine muhimu. Alithibitisha kuwa ujenzi wa Hospitali ya Kisasa ya Kiwango cha 5 yenye vitanda 450 katika eneo la Komor Jilla utaanza hivi karibuni na unatarajiwa kukamilika ifikapo mwaka 2027. Ripoti ya afya ya mwaka 2025 inaonyesha kuwa Kaunti ya Tana River ni miongoni mwa maeneo yenye kiwango cha juu cha vifo vya kina mama wakati wa uzazi, ikiwa na takriban vifo 265 kwa kila vizazi hai 100,000. Hali hiyo inachangiwa na kutokwa damu nyingi baada ya kujifungua, maambukizi makali, shinikizo la damu na mapungufu makubwa ya miundombinu ya afya. Godhana alikiri kuwa Tana River bado inakabiliwa na changamoto kubwa za afya ya kina mama na watoto wachanga zinazohitaji hatua za haraka na za makusudi.

Sekta ya elimu yapata mgao mkubwa zaidi wa bajeti tangu uhuru

NA ARON KINYAMASYO (KNA)

Serikali imethibitisha tena dhamira yake ya kuimarisha sekta ya elimu nchini Kenya kupitia kuongeza ufadhili, utafiti, ubunifu na mabadiliko ya kidijitali. Mgao huo umetolewa wakati ambapo vyuo vikuu vya umma vinahimiza kubuni vyanzo mbadala vya mapato ili kuimarisha uendeleo wao wa kifedha kwa muda mrefu. Waziri wa Elimu Julius Ogamba alisema sekta ya elimu imepatiwa mgao wa kihistoria wa Sh784.5 bilioni katika mwaka wa kifedha wa 2026/27, kiwango cha juu zaidi tangu Kenya ipate uhuru, jambo linaloonyesha dhamira ya Serikali ya kuifanya elimu kuwa nguzo muhimu ya maendeleo ya taifa. Akizungumza wakati wa mahafali ya 59 ya Chuo Kikuu cha Kenyatta, Ogamba alisema kuwa mgao huo, unaowakilisha karibu asilimia 30 ya bajeti ya taifa, utagharamia



Waziri wa Elimu Julius Ogamba akiwahutubia wahitimu wakati wa Sherehe za Mahafali ya 59 ya Chuo Kikuu cha Kenyatta. PICHA: ARON KINYAMASYO/KNA

ruzuku za wanafunzi, ufadhili wa masomo, mikopo ya elimu na utekelezaji wa makubaliano ya pamoja ya mishahara ili kudumisha utulivu wa mahusiano ya kikazi katika taasisi za elimu.

“Serikali inaendelea kujitolea kujenga mfumo wa elimu ya juu wenye ushindani, unaojumuisha wote na ulio endelevu kifedha, ambapo hakuna Mkenya mwenye sifa stahiki

atakayesalia nyuma,” alisema. Hata hivyo, Waziri huyo aliwaitaka viongozi wa vyuo vikuu kupunguza utegemezi wao kwa Hazina ya Taifa kwa kuimarisha mikakati ya kupata rasilimali kupitia ruzuku za utafiti, ubunifu, ushirikiano wa kimkakati na msaada kutoka kwa wanafunzi wa zamani. “Enzi ambazo vyuo vikuu vilitegemea karibu kabisa ufadhili wa Serikali zimepita. Taasisi lazima zibadilishe na kupanua vyanzo vyao vya mapato ili kulinda uhuru wao na kuhakikisha mustakabali wao,” alisema. Ogamba alisema Serikali inaendeleza biashara na matumizi ya matokeo ya tafiti za vyuo vikuu ili kuhakikisha ubunifu unaochipuka unachangia uundaji wa ajira, maendeleo ya biashara na ukuaji wa uchumi. Aliongeza kuwa uwekezaji katika miundombinu ya kujifunza kwa njia ya kidijitali na matumizi yenye uwajibikaji

ya akili bandia (AI) utaendelea kuwa sehemu muhimu ya mageuzi yanayolenga kuwaandaa wahitimu kwa uchumi wa dunia unaobadilika kwa kasi. Waziri huyo aliwahimiza viongozi wa vyuo vikuu kuwashirikisha wanafunzi katika mageuzi yanayoendelea ya elimu ya juu, yakiwemo mifumo ya ufadhili, mapitio ya mitaala, elimu ya ufundi na mafunzo ya stadi, pamoja na ujumuishaji wa teknolojia mpya. Akirejelea kaulimbiu ya mahafali hayo, “Ushirikishwaji wa Vijana katika Uundaji wa Elimu Jumuishi,” Ogamba alisema vijana hawapaswi kuonekana kama wapokeaji wa elimu pekee bali kama washirika katika kuunda mfumo wa elimu unaojumuisha wote. Alihimiza kuwepo kwa fursa sawa za elimu kwa wanafunzi kutoka jamii zilizotengwa, watu wanaoishi na ulemavu, wakimbizi na familia zisizojiweza

Kiwanda cha kahawa chamaliza utegemezi wa wasindikaji wa mbali

NA SAMMY MWIBANDA (KNA)

Kiwanda cha kusaga kahawa cha Muungano wa Vyama vya Ushirika vya Wakulima wa Kahawa wa Nandi kilichopo Chebonet katika Wadi ya Songhor-Soba kimeibuka kuwa nguzo kuu ya mpango wa kufufua sekta ya kahawa katika Kaunti ya Nandi. Kituo hicho kinabadilisha maisha ya maelfu ya wakulima wadogo wa kahawa kupitia kuongeza thamani ya mazao, kuboresha masoko na kuimarisha maendeleo ya vyama vya ushirika. Kikiwa katika eneo la kimkakati la Kaunti Ndogo ya Tinderet, kiwanda hicho cha kisasa kimekomesha utegemezi wa miongo mingi kwa wasindikaji wa mbali, na kuwawezesha wakulima kusindika kahawa yao karibu na makazi yao huku wakibakiza thamani zaidi ndani ya uchumi wa kaunti. Uwekezaji huo wa Shilingi milioni 60 umeimarisha mnyororo mzima wa thamani wa kahawa, kuanzia uzalishaji na ukusanyaji wa mazao hadi usagaji, upangaji wa viwango na uuzaji. Kuanzishwa kwa kiwanda hicho ni sehemu ya mkakati mpana wa serikali ya kaunti wa kujenga sekta ya kahawa inayomilikiwa na wakulima na inayotegemea vyama imara vya ushirika badala ya mifumo ya uuzaji ya mtubinafsi. Kituo hicho kinahudumu kama kitovu cha usindikaji kwa Muungano wa Vyama vya Ushirika vya Kahawa wa Nandi, kikishughulikia kahawa kutoka kwa makumi ya vyama vya msingi vya ushirika vilivyoenea kote kaunti. Mjumbe wa Kamati ya Utendaji ya Kaunti (CECM) anayeshughulikia Kilimo na Maendeleo ya Mifugo, Dkt. Benard Lagat, alisema kiwanda hicho kimebadilisha



Muonekano wa Kiwanda cha Ushirika wa Kahawa cha Nandi. Kituo hiki kimekuwa kiini cha mabadiliko katika sekta ya kahawa Kaunti hiyo.

kwa kiwango kikubwa muundo wa sekta ya kahawa katika Nandi. “Chebonet Coffee Mill ni zaidi ya kituo cha usindikaji. Ni mradi wa kuwawezesha kiuchumi wakulima unaomilikiwa na wakulima wenyewe kupitia muungano wao wa ushirika. Kwa kusindika kahawa yetu hapa Nandi, tunahifadhi thamani ndani ya kaunti, tunaboresha ufuatiliaji wa bidhaa, tunaimarisha uhakikisho wa ubora na kuwaunganisha wakulima moja kwa moja na masoko yanayolipa bei bora,” alisema Dkt. Lagat. Alisema kuwa kituo hicho hupokea kahawa kutoka kwa vyama vya msingi vya ush-

irika vilivyo katika maeneo ya Tinderet, Aldai, Chesumei, Mosop, Nandi Hills na sehemu nyingine zinazolima kahawa katika kaunti hiyo, na hivyo kuwa kituo kikuu cha usindikaji wa kahawa ya Nandi. Kwa mujibu wa Dkt. Lagat, kiwanda hicho kilibuniwa kusaidia upanuzi wa haraka wa kilimo cha kahawa ambao umefanya maelfu ya wakulima kufufua mashamba ya zamani huku wengine wengi wakianzisha mashamba mapya kutokana na kuimarika kwa bei katika Soko la Kahawa la Nairobi. Eneo linalohudumiwa na kiwanda hicho limeendelea kupanuka huku vyama vingi

zaidi vya ushirika vikijiunga na Muungano wa Vyama vya Ushirika vya Kahawa wa Nandi, ambao uanachama wake umeongezeka kutoka vyama 18 vya msingi miaka michache iliyopita hadi zaidi ya vyama 100 vilivyoandaliwa kwa sasa. CECM huyo alisema ukuaji huo umeambatana na ongezeko

Tunajitayarisha kwa sababu eneo la mashamba ya kahawa linaendelea kupanuka

kubwa la uzalishaji wa kahawa. Katika msimu wa sasa wa uuzaji, Nandi iliua zaidi ya kilo milioni 2.2 za kahawa safi zenye thamani ya takriban Shilingi bilioni 1.9, na kuiweka kaunti hiyo miongoni mwa maeneo yanayoongoza kwa uzalishaji wa kahawa nchini Kenya. Kiwanda cha Chebonet kimekuwa na mchango mkubwa katika mafanikio hayo kwa kuhakikisha kahawa inasindikwa ndani ya kaunti kabla ya kuuzwa katika Soko la Kahawa la Nairobi. Hapo awali, wakulima walilazimika kugharamia usafirishaji wa kahawa ya maganda hadi kwa wasindikaji walioko nje ya kaunti, hali iliyopunguza mapato yao na kuchelewe-sha malipo. Kituo hicho cha ndani kimepunguza kwa kiasi kikubwa gharama hizo huku kikiboresha ufanisi na uwazi. Kiwanda hicho kina vifaa vya kusafisha, kupanga kwa viwango, kusaga na kuandaa kahawa ya ubora wa kuuza nje ya nchi. Uwekezaji wa hivi karibuni, ikiwemo uwekaji wa daraja la kisasa la kupimia mizigo, umeongeza uwajibikaji katika ushughulikiaji wa kahawa kwa kuhakikisha uzani sahihi na kuboresha usafirishaji wa mizigo mikubwa kutoka kwa vyama vya ushirika. Dkt. Lagat alisema serikali ya kaunti inaendelea kuwekeza katika miundombinu na vifaa vya ziada ili kuongeza uwezo wa kiwanda hicho kadri uzalishaji wa kahawa unavyoongezeka. “Tunajiandaa kwa siku zijazo kwa sababu eneo la kilimo cha kahawa linaendelea kupanuka kila msimu. Kiwanda kina nafasi ya kutosha kwa ajili ya upanuzi, na tunaendelea kuwekeza katika vifaa vitakavyohakikisha wakulima wanapata huduma bora na za haraka kadri uzalishaji unavyoongezeka,” alisema. Serikali ya kaunti imekamilisha uwekezaji huo kwa kusambaza kwa kiwango kikubwa miche bora ya kahawa, kutoa huduma za nyanjani.

Serikali yapeleka mifugo Igembe Kaskazini baada ya uvamizi wa majangili

NA KAMANJA MAERIA (KNA)

Wakazi wa Igembe Kaskazini wanaanza kujenga upya maisha yao kufuatia mpango wa serikali wa kurejesha mifugo, unaolenga kufidia familia zilipoteza ng'ombe kutokana na mashambulizi ya majangili wa mifugo na kurejesha uthabiti wa kiuchumi katika eneo hilo. Zoezi hilo, linaloratibiwa na Serikali ya Kitaifa kwa ushirikiano na viongozi wa eneo pamoja na vyombo vya usalama, lime-shuhudia mamia ya ng'ombe wakigawiwa wanufaika waliothibitishwa ili kufufua ufugaji, kuongeza mapato ya kaya na kuimarisha usalama wa chakula. Akizungumza katika Shule ya Msingi ya Mea wakati wa zoezi hilo, Mkuu wa Kitengo cha Polisi

wa Igembe Kaskazini (OCPD) Jerald Okari Marando alisema usambazaji wa mifugo umeendelea kwa amani licha ya majaribio ya watu wachache kutaka kupata ng'ombe kwanja ya udanganyifu. Marando alisema ng'ombe 175 waligawiwa siku ya kwanza, na kufanya idadi ya ng'ombe waliotolewa chini ya mpango huo kufikia 207. Mpango huo unalenga familia ambazo mifugo yao iliibwa na majangili kati ya mwaka 2023 na 2026. Alisema serikali inapanga kusambaza takriban ng'ombe 600 kupitia mpango huo na kuwahimiza wakazi ambao bado hawajafaidika kuwa na subira kwani mifugo zaidi inatarajiwa kutolewa. OCPD huyo alionya kuwa maafisa wa kutosha wa usalama wametumwa kusimamia zoezi hilo ili kuhakikisha kuwa ni



Wakazi wanaongoza ng'ombe wapya waliosambazwa kupitia Igembe Kaskazini baada ya kuwapokea chini ya mpango wa serikali wa kurudisha mifugo unaolenga kusaidia familia zilizoathiriwa na wizi wa ng'ombe kujenga upya riziki zao.

wanufaika waliotibitishwa pekee wanaopokea mifugo hiyo. “Hatutaruhusu mtu yeyote kuvuruga mchakato huu. Maafisa wa usalama wako eneo la tukio kuhakikisha uwazi na usawa ili waathiriwa halisi wanufaike na mpango huu,” alisema.

Meneja wa Hazina ya Maendeleo ya Maeneo Bunge ya Serikali ya Kitaifa (NG-CDF) katika Igembe Kaskazini, Ronald Mugambi, aliipongeza serikali kwa kuingilia kati na kusaidia kurejesha maisha ya familia zilizopata hasara kubwa kutokana na miaka

ya wizi wa mifugo na ujambazi. Mugambi aliwahimiza wanufaika kutouza mifugo hiyo bali kuitunza kwa ajili ya kuzaliana na uzalishaji wa maziwa, akieleza kuwa lengo la mpango huo ni kujenga upya mifugo, kuongeza uzalishaji wa maziwa, kuboresha mapato ya kaya na kuimarisha usalama wa chakula wa muda mrefu. Wanufaika waliukaribisha mpango huo wakisema umewarejeshea matumaini baada ya miaka ya matatizo na changamoto. Stephen Kamendo kutoka Wadi ya Amwathi aliishukuru serikali kwa msaada huo wa mifugo na kuwaomba wakazi ambao bado hawajapokea ng'ombe kuwa wavumilivu, akieleza imani yake kuwa mifugo zaidi itagawiwa. Joshua Muriki, mkazi wa Mea, alikumbuka uchungu wa kuhuhudia majangili wakiondoka na mifugo yao, akisema familia nyingi zilibaki bila chanzo cha kikuu cha mapato na chakula. Alisema mpango huo wa kurejesha mifugo umezipa kaya zilizoathirika fursa ya kujenga upya maisha yao na kurejesha uwezo wao wa kujitegemea kiuchumi.

MAKALA: KUKIDHI MAHITAJI YANAYOONGEZEKA

Ndani ya mpango kabambe wa Kenya wa kuongeza maradufu uzalishaji wa mchele

NA MABEL KEYA NA TONAE BRYANE (KNA)

Takwimu kutoka Wizara ya Kilimo zinaonyesha kuwa Kenya huagiza kati ya tani za metriki 740,000 na 900,000 za mchele kila mwaka ili kukidhi mahitaji yanayoongezeka. Nchi hutumia zaidi ya tani milioni moja za metriki za mchele kila mwaka, lakini mashamba ya ndani huzalisha kati ya tani za metriki 150,000 na 230,000 pekee, sawa na asilimia 14 hadi 20 ya matumizi ya kitaifa. Upungufu huu umeifanya Kenya kutegemea kwa kiasi kikubwa uagizaji wa mchele kutoka nje, hasa Pakistan, India na Tanzania. Kupitia Ajenda ya Mabadiliko ya Kiuchumi kutoka Chini Kwenda Juu (BETA), serikali inalenga kuongeza uzalishaji wa mchele nchini, kupunguza gharama kubwa za uagizaji na kuimarisha usalama wa chakula. Mkakati huo unahusisha kuhama kutoka kilimo kinachotegemea mvua kwenda kilimo cha umwagiliaji kwa kukarabati ekari 78,341 katika skimu zilizopo na kufungua ekari nyingine 27,500 ili kuongeza uzalishaji wa mchele mara mbili. Kwa miongo kadhaa, Bonde la Kano katika Kaunti ya

Kisumu, eneo linalokumbwa mara kwa mara na mafuriko, limekuwa likikabiliwa na kitendawili kigumu cha kiuchumi. Ingawa maji ya Mto Nyando yanatoa mazingira bora kwa kilimo kikubwa cha mchele, jamii za wakulima wa eneo hilo zimeendelea kuzungukwa na umaskini. Wakulima hawakuwa na chaguo ila kuuza mpunga wao kwa bei ya kutupa kwa madalali kutokana na ukosefu wa mashine za kisasa za kusaga mchele. Walitumia miezi mingi wakifanya kazi chini ya jua kali, lakini walilazimika kupeleka mpunga wao kwenye mashine za zamani na zisizoaminika za vijijini ambazo zilivunja, kuharibu na kuchafua nafaka. Uboza duni wa mchele uliosindikwa ulizidisha matatizo yao, na kuwalazimu wengi kuuza mazao yao kwa madalali ambao mara nyingi waliusafirisha hadi Uganda kwa ajili ya usagaji. Hata hivyo, alama mpya ya maendeleo ya viwanda imebadili kabisa hali hiyo, na sasa wakulima wanavuna matunda ya jasho lao. Haya yote yameto kana na juhudi za Serikali ya Kaunti ya Kisumu. Kinu kipya cha kisasa cha kusaga mchele cha Ahero chenye thamani ya Sh30 milioni, ambacho kimezinduliwa hivi karibuni, kimeleta mapinduzi ya kiteknolojia katika eneo hilo na kuwa injini



- Kiwandakazi cha kisasa cha kusaga mpunga cha Ahero, kilichopo Kaunti ya Kisumu, kimeleta mapinduzi katika shughuli za usindikaji wa mpunga kwa kupunguza hasara baada ya mavuno na kuwezesha wakulima kupata masoko yenye tija.**
- Wakulima katika Mradi wa Umwagiliaji wa Ahero wamekubali kutumia aina ya mpunga wa 'Komboka', ambayo imeongeza tija kutokana na uwezo wake wa kuhimili mafuriko na kutoa kiasi kikubwa cha mchele wakati wa kusaga.**

kuu inayowasukuma wakulima wadogo kuingia katika sekta ya kisasa na yenye faida kubwa ya biashara ya mchele. Kabla ya kuanzishwa kwa kituo hiki cha mamilioni ya shilingi, safari kutoka mavuno hadi

sokoni ilikuwa ndoto mbaya ya kifiedha kwa wakulima. Mbinu za jadi za usagaji wa mchele katika tambarare hizo zilitegemea mashine rahisi za kupitisha nafaka mara moja ambazo hazikuwa na uwezo wa kusafisha, kuondoa mawe au kung'arisha nafaka ipasavyo. Kutokana na udhaifu huo wa mfumo, hadi asilimia 30 ya thamani ya mavuno ya mkulima ilipotea kabisa kwa sababu ya utunzaji duni baada ya mavuno na kuvunjika kwa punje za mchele. Wakulima wa eneo hilo walishindwa kushindana na mchele safi na wa bei nafuu unaoagizwa kutoka nje na kujaa kwenye maduka makubwa ya Jiji la Kisumu. Hivyo walilazimika kuuza mazao yao ya kiwango cha chini kwa madalali walaghai kwa bei ya kutupa ili tu kulipa madeni yao. Kwa hivyo, uwekaji wa

kiwanda hiki cha kisasa umevunja hatua kwa hatua mfumo huo wa unyonyaji kwa kuleta huduma za kuongeza thamani moja kwa moja mahali mazao yanapozalishwa. Kinu cha Mchele cha Ahero si mashine ya kawaida ya kukoboa mpunga, bali ni kiwanda cha kisasa chenye uwezo mkubwa wa kusafisha, kuondoa mawe, kukoboa, kung'arisha na kupanga mchele kwa madaraja tofauti katika mchakato mmoja endelevu na wa kiotomatiki. Mpunga unapoingia katika kituo hicho, hupitia mchakato wa kina wa usafishaji wa kimakanika unaotenganisha vumbi, mabaki ya majani na mawe madogo ambayo mara nyingi hukosa kutambuliwa katika mifumo ya kawaida ya kuchambua nafaka. Mchakato huo huanza kwa kupokea mpunga ghafi, kisha kuondoa mawe na kusafisha kiotomatiki, kufuatiwa na ukoboaji wa makini, kung'arisha na kupanga kwa madaraja kabla ya kufungashwa kwa ajili ya soko la kiwango cha juu. Kwa kuondoa uchafu huo, kinu hicho kinahakikisha kuwa mchele wa eneo hilo unakidhi viwango vya juu vya ubora wa chakula vya kitaifa na kimataifa. Aidha, uwezo wake mkubwa wa kusindika mazao kila siku unasaidia kutatua tatizo kubwa la kuoza kwa mazao baada ya mavuno. Wakati wa misimu ya mavuno mengi, kucheleweshwa kwa usagaji kulisababisha mkusanyiko wa unyevunyevu kwenye magunia ya kuhifadhi mpunga, hali iliyochochea ukuaji wa fangasi kwa haraka.

Kilimo mseto chainua wazalishaji wa mahindi wa North Rift

NA FREDRICK MARITIM (KNA)

Kadri vipindi virefu vya ukame vinavyoendelea kupunguza uzalishaji wa mahindi katika eneo la North Rift, mkulima mmoja kutoka Uasin Gishu ambaye alihamia katika kilimo cha mazao yenye thamani kubwa na yanayostahimili mabadiliko ya tabianchi sasa anapata karibu Sh1 milioni kwa mwaka, akitoa mfano halisi wa jinsi mseto wa mazao unavyoweza kuwakinga wakulima dhidi ya athari za mabadiliko ya tabianchi na misukosuko ya soko. David Kwambai, mwenye umri wa miaka 71 kutoka Kijiji cha Kapsoen katika Kaunti Ndogo ya Moiben, aliachana na utegemezi wa kilimo cha mahindi na

kuwekeza katika kilimo cha kahawa, parachichi na makadamia, akibadilisha shamba lake la ekari nne kuwa biashara yenye faida wakati ambapo wakulima wengi wa mahindi wanakabiliwa na kupungua kwa mavuno. Mafanikio yake yanakuja wakati wataalamu wa kilimo na viongozi wa eneo hilo wanawahimiza wakulima kupunguza utegemezi wao wa mahindi kwa kukumbatia mazao yanayostahimili zaidi mabadiliko ya hali ya hewa na yenye mapato bora sokoni. "Nilianza kilimo cha kahawa mwaka 2015 nikiwa na takribani miche 100, na kadri muda ulivyopita niliongeza idadi hiyo hadi kufikia karibu miti 2,000. Ingawa bei hazikuwa nzuri mwanzoni, niligundua kuwa kahawa ilikuwa na faida zaidi kuliko mahindi," alisema.



David Kwambai anazungumza katika shamba lake lililoko Kijiji cha Kapsoen, Kaunti Ndogo ya Moiben, Kaunti ya Uasin Gishu, ambapo amefanikiwa kubadilisha shughuli zake za kilimo kutoka uzalishaji wa mahindi hadi ule wa kahawa, parachichi na macadamia.

Alisema mavuno yake ya kahawa mwanzoni yalikuwa kati ya kilo 300 na 400, lakini yanatarajiwa kuzidi kilo 1,000 msimu huu kutokana na usimamizi bora wa shamba na bei nzuri sokoni. Kwambai aliuza kahawa yake ya mwaka jana kupitia chama

cha ushirika kwa wastani wa Sh700 kwa kilo, akieleza kuwa uuzaji kupitia vyama vya ushirika ni mojawapo ya sababu kuu zinazoongeza mapato ya wakulima. "Uvunaji wa kahawa huchukua takribani miezi miwili hadi mitatu, lakini kwa utunzaji mzuri, faida yake ni kubwa," alisema, huku akitaja ugonjwa wa matunda ya kahawa (coffee berry disease) kuwa changamoto yake kubwa katika uzalishaji. Akitafuta njia ya kupunguza hatari za hasara, mkulima huo baadaye alianza kulima parachichi na makadamia baada ya kupata hasara katika uzalishaji wa kabichi na matunda ya passion kutokana na milipuko ya magonjwa na masoko yasiyo na uhakika.

Hifadhi mpya za kilimo za KALRO kurahisisha upatikanaji wa mbegu

NA ERASTUS GICHOHI NA ORPAH GESARE (KNA)

Shirika la Utafiti wa Kilimo na Mifugo Kenya (KALRO) limetangaza mipango ya kuanzisha Agri-Parks mpya zitakazokusanya matokeo ya tafiti na teknolojia mpya za kilimo katika sehemu moja ili kuwafikishia wakulima kwa urahisi zaidi. Mpango huo utaleta pamoja teknolojia zilizokwishan-delezwa na tafiti za kisasa kuhusu mifugo, aina za mbegu, lishe ya mifugo na mazao yanayostahimili ukame chini ya paa moja, hivyo kuwawezesha wakulima kupata ubunifu huo kwa urahisi zaidi. KALRO inaendesha vituo 53 vya utafiti kote nchini, kila kimoja kikijikita katika maeneo tofauti ya utafiti wa mazao na mifugo. Hata hivyo, shirika hilo limekuwa likikosa kituo cha pamoja ambapo wakulima wanaweza kupata teknolojia na ubunifu wake wote kwa wakati mmoja. Ili kuziba pengo hilo, KALRO imekuwa ikiandaa maonyesho ya bure kwa wakulima katika vituo vyake vya utafiti ili kuongeza uelewa kuhusu aina mpya za mazao na teknolojia zilizobuniwa pamoja na kuhamasisha matumizi yake. Kwa mujibu wa Mwenyekiti wa Bodi ya KALRO, Dkt. Thuo Mathenge, Agri-Parks zitasaidia kuwasogezea



Mwenyekiti wa Bodi ya KARLO, Dkt. Thuo Mathenge (wa kwanza kulia), akiwa ameandamana na maafisa wa shirika hilo, alitembelea banda la maonyesho wakati wa uzinduzi rasmi wa Hifadhi mpya ya Kilimo (Agri-Park) ambayo italeta pamoja shughuli zote za utafiti na teknolojia katika eneo moja — katika hafla iliyofanyika kwenye kituo hicho kilichopo Naivasha. PICHA ERASTUS GICHOHI

wakulima na watumiaji wengine matokeo ya miaka mingi ya tafiti zilizofanywa na shirika hilo. Akizungumza wakati wa hafla ya uwekaji wa jiwe la msingi la Agri-Park katika kituo cha utafiti cha KALRO kilichoko Naivasha, Dkt. Mathenge alisema ambazo matumizi ya haraka ya teknolojia hizo yataongeza uzalishaji wa kilimo nchini na kupunguza gharama kubwa za kuagiza bidhaa kutoka nje. “Agri-Parks ambazo tumeanzisha zitakusanya tafiti zote za KALRO na teknolojia zilizobuniwa katika sehemu moja ili wakulima waweze kuzipata kwa urahisi, kuongeza matumizi yake na hivyo

kuimarisha uzalishaji pamoja na kukabiliana na magonjwa mapya ya mazao,” alisema Dkt. Mathenge. Hatua hii inakuja wakati ambapo baadhi ya maeneo ya nchi tayari yanashuhudia athari kubwa za ukame, huku viwavyeshi vamizi (fall armyworms) vikien-delea kusababisha uharibifu mkubwa katika maeneo yanayolima mahindi.

Hifadhi za Kilimo (Agri-Parks) tulizozianzisha zitaunganisha tafiti zote za awali za KALRO chini ya paa moja.

Mwenyekiti huyo alisema KALRO tayari imebuni aina za mazao na mbegu zinazoweza kustahimili athari za viwavyeshi hao, lakini changamoto kubwa imekuwa ukosefu wa uelewa miongoni mwa wakulima kuhusu teknolojia hizo. Kwa mujibu wa shirika hilo, maeneo mengi yanayozalisha chakula nchini yameshuhudia mavuno duni kutokana na athari za mabadiliko ya tabianchi na kutotabirika kwa mvua. Mkurugenzi Mkuu wa KALRO, Dkt. Patrick Ketiem, alisema Agri-Parks zitasaidia kuongeza matumizi ya teknolojia mpya katika uzalishaji wa mazao, ufugaji na lishe ya mifugo ili kuimarisha uzalishaji.

India yatoa tani 4.5 za vifaa vya tiba ili kuimarisha utayari dhidi ya Ebola

NA WANGARI NDIRANGU (KNA)

India imetoa awamu ya kwanza ya tani 4.5 za vifaa vya matibabu kusaidia juhudi za Kenya za kujitayarisha na kukabiliana na uwezekano wa kuenea kwa ugonjwa wa Ebola, huku idadi ya vifo kutokana na mlipuko huo katika nchi jirani ya Jamhuri ya Kidemokrasia ya Congo ikikaribia kufikia watu 1,000. Msaada huo wa matibabu ulikabidhiwa na Kamishna Mkuu wa India nchini Kenya, Dkt. Adarsh Swaika, kwa Waziri wa Afya, Aden Duale, katika Uwanja wa



Waziri wa Afya, Aden Duale, na Balozi wa India nchini Kenya, Dkt. Adarsh Swaika, wakiwa katika Uwanja wa Ndege wa Kimataifa wa Jomo Kenyatta (JKIA) wakati wa kukabidhi shehena ya kwanza ya tani 4.5 za vifaa vya tiba kwa Kenya.

Ndege wa Kimataifa wa Jomo Kenyatta (JKIA). Mzigo wa kwanza unajumuisha vifurushi 279 vya vifaa muhimu vya matibabu, vikiwemo vifaa vya kujikinga binafsi (PPE), vifaa vya kusafirisha sampuli, vipimajoto vya miale ya infrared, ngao za uso, buti

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maalumu za kujikinga na vifaa vingine vya kuzuia maambukizi. Awamu ya pili ya msaada huo inatarajiwa kuwasili hivi karibuni. Akipokea msaada huo, Waziri Duale alisema mchango huo umefika wakati ambapo eneo la Afrika Mashariki lin-aendelea kuwa katika hali ya tahadhari kufuatia mlipuko ya Ebola nchini Uganda na Jamhuri ya Kidemokrasia ya Congo. Alibainisha kuwa nafasi ya Kenya kama kitovu cha usafiri na biashara katika kanda inafanya maandalizi dhidi ya magonjwa ya mlipuko kuwa suala la kipaumbele cha usalama wa taifa.

KWA UFUPI

M-PESA yafadhili ujenzi wa jengo la TVET Machakos

NA CELINE MUTHEU NA ANNA MUKULU (KNA)

Chuo Kikuu cha Machakos kimepiga hatua kubwa katika kuimarisha elimu ya kiufundi na mafunzo ya ufundi stadi kufuatia hafla ya uwekaji wa jiwe la msingi kwa ajili ya ujenzi wa jengo la kisasa la Elimu na Mafunzo ya Kiufundi na Ufundi Stadi (TVET), linalofadhiliwa na M-PESA Foundation kwa gharama inayokadiriwa kuwa Sh120 milioni. Jengo hilo la kisasa la TVET linatarajiwa kuwapa wanafunzi ujuzi unaohitajika katika sekta mbalimbali za kazi huku likitoa fursa za mafunzo kwa wanajamii, hivyo kuimarisha uhusiano wa moja kwa moja kati ya elimu, ukuzaji wa ujuzi na ajira katika Kaunti ya Machakos na maeneo mengine. Litakapokamilika, jengo hilo la ghorofa tatu litakuwa na kumbi kadhaa za mihadhara, ofisi za utawala na maeneo ya kazi kwa wafanyakazi, hatua itakayoongeza kwa kiasi kikubwa uwezo wa chuo hicho kutoa elimu na mafunzo ya kiufundi na

ufundi stadi. Makamu Mkuu wa Chuo Kikuu cha Machakos, Profesa Joyce Agalo, aliyizungumza wakati wa hafla ya uwekaji wa jiwe la msingi, alipongeza M-PESA Foundation na Safaricom PLC kwa kuwekeza katika elimu na maendeleo ya ujuzi, akibainisha kuwa mradi huo utanufaisha si wanafunzi wa chuo pekee bali pia jamii inayozunguka eneo hilo. “Tunaipongeza M-PESA Foundation na Safaricom PLC kwa kuwekeza katika elimu na maendeleo ya ujuzi. Taasisi hii haitawanufaisha wanafunzi wetu pekee, bali pia itatoa fursa za mafunzo kwa wanajamii wa maeneo jirani na kuchangia ukuaji wa uchumi wa eneo hili,” alisema Prof. Agalo. Kwa upande wake, Meneja Mkuu wa Safaricom PLC katika Ukanda wa Pwani, Jackson Mutua, alisisitiza kuwa kupanua upatikanaji wa elimu ya kiufundi na mafunzo ya ufundi stadi ni muhimu katika kuwawezesha vijana kupata ujuzi wa vitendo, kukuza ubunifu na ujasiriamali unaokidhi mahitaji yanayobadilika ya soko la ajira.

Shule za Embu zanufaika na mafunzo ya kilimo cha mabadiliko ya tabianchi

NA SAMUEL WAITITU

Wanafunzi kutoka shule 22 katika Kaunti ya Embu wamenufaika na mafunzo kuhusu uhifadhi wa mazingira na kilimo bora kupitia ushirikiano kati ya shirika lisilo la kiserikali la Rainforest Alliance na Chama cha Skauti cha Kenya (KSA). Kupitia Mpango wa Mandhari Endelevu na Maisha Bora wa Mlima Kenya (MSULLI), Rainforest Alliance imewapa skauti wa shule na wanafunzi ujuzi wa vitendo katika kilimo bora ili kuimarisha usalama wa chakula na kuchangia juhudi za kukabiliana na mabadiliko ya tabianchi. Mpango huo umewawezesha wanafunzi kupata ujuzi wa kubadilisha maeneo katika shule na nyumbani kuwa mashamba ya kisasa kwa kutumia mbinu rafiki kwa mazingira kama vile uhi-fadhi wa udongo, uvunaji wa maji, mseto wa mazao, na uanzishaji wa bustani

za ghorofa na bustani za jikoni. “Kupitia mpango huu, vijana katika shule tunazoshirikiana nazo wanajitahidi kuhifadhi mazingira yao huku wakianzisha bustani za jikoni ambako mazao ya chakula hulimwa ili kuimarisha usalama wa chakula katika shule zao,” alisema Meneja wa Mpango wa MSULLI, Dida Wario. Alisema kuwa katika kila moja ya shule hizo, wamefanikiwa kuanzisha mashamba ya kisasa ambapo mazao kama mboga mboga hulimwa kwa ajili ya kuongezea mpango wa lishe shuleni, huku ziada ikiuzwa ili kuzalisha mapato. Wario alibainisha kuwa mashamba hayo ya kisasa hayatoi tu suluhisho la mahitaji ya haraka ya chakula, bali pia yanawawezesha vijana kupata ujuzi wa muda mrefu wa kukabiliana na athari za mabadiliko ya tabianchi.