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Gov't to establish sports academies in all counties

BY MUTAI KIPNGETICH
(KNA)

State Department for Sports and Arts PS Jonathan Mueke says the Talanta Hela program started by the government which seeks to develop and monetize talents across the country will rely on stadiums as hardware

The State Department for Sports and Arts will set up sports academies in all major stadiums across the country to promote sports and tap talents among the youth.

Speaking at Wang'uru Stadium in Mwea in Kirinyaga county during an inspection tour of stadiums in the Central Belt Region which are under construction, the Principal Secretary Jonathan Mueke said the facility was 99 per cent complete and the



Jonathan Mueke, Principal Secretary (PS) for Sports and Arts at the Wang'uru Stadium, Kirinyaga.

contractor was doing final touches before officially handing it over to the local people, through the county government.

15,000
Capacity of Wanguru Stadium that is set to reopen to the public

The 15,000-capacity stadium hosted the 2021 Mashujaa Day celebrations, before it was closed for further improvements.

Mueke added that the government is keen to deliver a quality and high standard facility to the people of Kirinyaga by the

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CS unveils ambitious plan to eradicate malnutrition by 2027

BY JUDY SHERI (PCO)

The Government will eliminate all forms of malnutrition in the country by 2027 through a collaborative approach between government ministries and non-state actors.

Speaking during a high-level orientation meeting for Nutrition Improvement through Cash and Health Education (NICHE) project, Health Cabinet Secretary Dr. Susan Nakhumicha expressed her ministry's resolve to wipe out malnutrition by partnering with other state and non-state actors.

This collaborative approach, Dr. Nakhumicha said, is informed by her ministry's resolve to eradicate food insecurity in the country in an effort to en-



Dr. Susan Nakhumicha addresses high-level orientation meeting for the NICHE project.

sure all Kenyans have food.

Dr. Nakhumicha said the Ministry of Health will pursue the goal of eradicating the critical issue of malnutrition with the urgency it deserves in order

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Germany to boost Kenya's Geothermal potential



President William Ruto (right) with Chancellor of Germany Olaf Scholz at State House, Nairobi. Germany has committed to fund the expansion of the Olkaria Geothermal Station to increase its capacity. Photo: PCS.

The Week In numbers

3,000

Households in Murang'a to be included in a World Bank funded poverty alleviation programme

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New municipalities established in Homa Bay County in a bid to improve service delivery

1.7 B

Amount of money a local IPP Sosian Menengai Geothermal Power will now pay GDC per year for the next 25 years

15,000

The number of people Wang'uru Stadium in Mwea in Kirinyaga hosted during the 2021 Mashujaa Day celebrations

955.4M

Cost of a program funded by Italy that the Government will from July start implementing in Kilifi County

1500

Number of delegates who attended the 2023 World Congress hosted by the World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics.

Gov't to set up sports academies in all counties to nurture talents



An aerial view of Wang'uru stadium in Kirinyaga County (File PHOTO).

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end of this year.

Accompanied by Sports Kenya staff who run sporting facilities in the country, Mueke said the Talanta Hela program started by the government which seeks to develop and monetize talents across the country will rely on stadiums as hardware.

The PS had earlier visited Kirigiti Stadium, Kiambu, where Phase I is complete and the contractor is at the final stages of Phase II. The stadium has football, volleyball, netball, and basketball pitches.

He further noted that after consultations, the contractor at Karatu stadium in Gatundu South has agreed to return to the site to continue with the works.

Mueke said with the establishment of sports academies across the country, the ministry will be sending scouts to search for talents.

“Once we build sports academies inside our stadiums, we will be sending scouts from Kasarani to search for talents countrywide. Monetizing talents is part of job creation and source of livelihood,” the PS said.

Kirinyaga County Deputy Governor David Githanda, who was present, said the community is eager to have an international standard stadium.

Githanda said the county had already registered 200 football teams from the ward level to participate in the Governor's Cup this year, and the stadium will play an integral part in the

tournament. The deputy governor also said that the county will partner with the ministry in construction of modern stalls in the stadium, which can be used for business activities as sporting activities go on.

“The PS has agreed to work with us on various issues raised by the teams and the neighboring community,” Githanda said.

He reiterated that sporting activities will keep youth busy, hence reducing criminal activities.

Area Member of Parliament Mary Maingi said, once the stadium is opened, more people within and outside Kirinyaga will be visiting Mwea region, which will improve business activities especially on rice sales.

CS unveils ambitious plan to eradicate malnutrition in Kenya by 2027



Cabinet Secretary Nakhumicha S. Wafula and delegates from various government ministries and organizations at the high-level orientation meeting for the NICHE project in Mombasa.

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to have a healthy population in the country.

She lauded the steadfast commitment of the Kenya Kwanza Government to feed all Kenyans and underlined the need for a comprehensive approach to tackle malnutrition in the country.

However, the CS expressed the importance of political will in fighting the scourge of malnutrition and prioritization of the goals in pursuit of this goal.

To achieve the goal of eradicating malnutrition in the country, the CS said the government will provide fertilizer subsidies

and revitalize irrigation schemes to ensure a sustainable and dependable food supply for the entire population.

“We will deploy a collaborative approach as a key component of the government's approach to fight hunger and under-feeding among the populace”, said the Cabinet Secretary.

She further commended the joint efforts of the Ministry of Health and that of Labour and Social Protection in implementing the NICHE project to feed vulnerable groups like the elderly, HIV/Aids orphans and People Living with Disabilities through cash transfer programmes.



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S/No	Tender Number	Tender Name	Tender Security	Eligibility	Closing date
1.	KSL/OT/005/2022-2023	Tender for Provision of Staff Medical Insurance Cover 2023-2024	Kshs. 540,000	Open	23 RD May 2023 at 12 noon

Interested eligible candidates may obtain tender documents at the supply chain management office located at administration block gate C, Kenya School of Law, Langata South Road during normal working hours upon payment of non-refundable tender fee of **kshs.1,000.00** per set or download **free of charge** from the School website: www.ksl.ac.ke or PPIP Portal. All bidders who download the Tender document **MUST** register with the supply chain management office by sending an email to: tender@ksl.ac.ke

Tenders must be accompanied by a Tender security in the format provided.

Completed documents shall be deposited in the Tender box located at the reception administration block Gate C area. Bid documents will be opened immediately thereafter in the Boardroom in the presence of tenderers or their representatives who wish to witness.

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REPUBLIC OF KENYA



National Environment Management Authority

OPEN NATIONAL TENDER

REF. NO.	DESCRIPTION	CLOSING DATE AND TIME
NEMA/T/20/2022-2023	Supply and Installation of routers, server memory and upgrade of network storage (Re-Advertisement).	23/5/2023-10.00AM
NEMA/T/21/2022-2023	Supply and Installation of automatic power generator (Re-Advertisement).	23/5/2023-10.00AM
NEMA/T/29/2022-2023	Tender for Revaluation of Assets	23/5/2023-10.00AM
NEMA/T/30/2022-2023	Tender for Supply and Delivery of Motor Vehicle Tyres	23/5/2023-10.00AM

National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) invites tenders from eligible firms for the above listed Tenders.

Detailed Bid documents should be downloaded from our website www.nema.go.ke or public procurement information portal free of charge and a non-refundable fee of **Ksh 1,000** if obtained from NEMA Procurement Section at **NEMA Headquarters situated along Popo Road, Off Mombasa Road**. Tender fee should be in Bankers Cheque or deposit the cash in the **NEMA Revenue Account, KCB – KICC Branch, Account Number 1102298158**, and submit the deposit slip, at the Cash Office on **Ground Floor Eland House NEMA Headquarters**. **Kindly note that cash will not be accepted.**

Complete bid documents in plain sealed envelopes and clearly marked with the **TENDER NUMBER** and **DESCRIPTION** should be addressed to:-

The Director General,
National Environment Management Authority,
Eland House, Popo Road, Off Mombasa Road,
P.O. Box 67839 – 00200.
NAIROBI

And be placed in the Tender Box provided at the **NEMA Reception area, Eland House, Popo Road, off Mombasa Road** so as to be received on or before the dates indicated. **Documents submitted after this time will not be accepted.**

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Constitutional experts engage Kenyans towards establishing EAC political confederation

BY YOBESH ONWONG'A
(MYGOV)

Constitutional experts are holding public consultations on the proposed East African Community (EAC) Political Confederation that is geared towards strengthening the integration process in East Africa.

Speaking during the inaugural national stakeholders' consultations in Mombasa, Rebecca Miano, Cabinet Secretary for East African Community (EAC), Arid and Semi-Arid Lands (ASALs) and Regional Development said that the EAC Summit of Heads of State decided to adopt a Political Confederation Model as a stepping-stone towards building a political federation.

"This a crucial engagement in the context of EAC's efforts towards promoting popular participation which in turn will inform the policy decision to be made thereafter. This is an excellent way of enforcing the spirit of true ownership of the envisaged process and outcomes thereof," Miano said.



Rebecca Miano, Cabinet Secretary for East African Community (EAC), Arid and Semi-Arid Lands (ASALs) and Regional Development.

The CS noted that Article 7 of the Treaty for the Establishment of the East African Community was enacted to govern the pathway to institute a people-centred co-operation involving a wide range of stakeholders.

"Since the revival of the EAC in the year 2000, great strides have been made in the implementation of various pillars of EAC integration; the Customs Union Protocol, the EAC Common Market Protocol and the Monetary Union Protocol," said Miano.

The CS disclosed that apart from the Political Federation Framework that is taking shape, "We have made significant progress in our shared economic and social-cultural cooperation and productive and services sectors and more recently, we have enhanced cooperation in defence and interstate security."

Despite the impressive achievements, the CS lamented that the overwhelming majority of the

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Italy sets aside Sh944.5m for development projects in Kilifi

BY EMMANUEL MASHA
(KNA)

The Government will from July start implementing a Sh955.4 million Italian Government-funded programme aimed at improving the social and economic development of Malindi and Magarini sub-counties of Kilifi County.

The Malindi Integrated Social and Health Development Programme (MISHDP-II) will be implemented by the Coast Development Authority (CDA) through a concessional loan from the Italian Agency for Development Cooperation (AICS).

The Principal Secretary for the ASALs and Regional Development Dr. Idris Dokota said the programme was designed to improve the social and economic development of the two sub-counties in terms of infrastructure, education facilities and school enrolment, as well as improving health facilities and access.

Speaking at a Malindi hotel during a national project steering committee meeting Dr. Dokota



Residents of Burangi area in Magarini constituency prepare to cross the River Sabaki using a dugout canoe.

PHOTO: EMMANUEL MASHA

said the cost of the project would be Sh944.5 million at prevailing foreign exchange rates.

Among the major projects to be implemented are the tarmacking of the 11.5-kilometre Mjanaheri-Ngomeni road that leads to the Italian Government-owned San Marco Broglio Space Centre and the construction of an Intensive Care Unit (ICU) at the Malindi Sub-County Hospital, which have been allocated Sh565.5 million and Sh55.08 million respectively. Ngomeni Secondary School, which was constructed in Phase One of the programme, will re-

ceive an additional Sh43.6 million for infrastructure development while Burangi Primary School has been allocated Sh27.6 million to have it relocated to another site to prevent it from being washed away by the Sabaki River.

Other projects include the construction of a foot bridge across River Sabaki to connect Burangi and Sabaki villages (Sh58.6 million) as well as the provision of educational facilities at Rasi and Mido-doni Primary Schools, the construction of a CDA office and the rehabilitation of the Ngomeni assistant chief's office.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA



MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND SOCIAL PROTECTION State Department for Labour and Skills Development

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

NATIONAL ONLINE EMPLOYMENT SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

The State Department for Labour and Skills Development in collaboration with AJIRA invites applications for the National Online Employment Skills Development Programme to be delivered virtually.

The objective of the programme is to equip the youth with the requisite knowledge, skills and attitudes to access and participate effectively in online work.

Eligibility: An applicant must be: -

- A Kenyan citizen;
- Aged between 18-35 years
- In possession of a Diploma and above
- Proficient in computer skills

Requirements

Interested and qualified applicants are requested to submit the following documents (**in soft format**) to the Principal Secretary, State Department for Labour and Skills Development, using the following email address: skills@posttraining.go.ke

- Curriculum Vitae (CV) and specify your county of residence
- Copy of National Identity Card/Passport;
- Copy of the highest Academic Certificate;
- Application letter (1 page) specifying training area of interest (**see AJIRA website for details**).

Women and persons with disabilities who meet the specified requirements are encouraged to apply and also indicate so in their applications. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Application deadline

The closing date for applications is **29th May 2023**.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

THE NATIONAL TREASURY AND ECONOMIC PLANNING

PUBLIC NOTICE

BUDGET TIPS/SUGGESTIONS TO THE CABINET SECRETARY, NATIONAL TREASURY AND ECONOMIC PLANNING FOR CONSIDERATION WHILE PREPARING THE FY 2023/24 BUDGET STATEMENT

The Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury and Economic Planning, Prof. Njuguna Ndung'u, CBS is expected to deliver the Budget Statement for the FY 2023/24 to Parliament on **8th June, 2023**. While finalizing the Statement, the Cabinet Secretary would appreciate contributions and ideas on economic policy and tax measures from Kenyans for the FY 2023/24 Budget. Your proposals should be centered on the following broad areas:

- Measures to accelerate economic recovery and enhance economic resilience;
- Ways to bring down the cost of living, eradicate hunger, create jobs, expand the tax base, improve foreign exchange balance and inclusive growth;
- Suggestions on how to strengthen implementation of Government priority programmes under the Bottom-Up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA) geared towards economic turnaround and inclusive growth;
- Specific ways to accelerate recovery and growth of the private sector and MSMEs;
- Tips on how to foster a secure and conducive business environment to promote investment growth, businesses recovery and jobs creation;
- How to integrate the youth and women into accelerating sustainable economic recovery;
- Ways to enhance revenue mobilization and prudently manage public resources; and
- Any other Budget tips or suggestions.

In this respect, please share specific or general tips for the FY 2023/24 Budget Statement to the email budgetstatement@treasury.go.ke with a copy to budgetstatement@gmail.com.

Please share your tips or suggestions with the National Treasury by close of business on **12th May, 2023** for consideration.

PROF. NJUGUNA NDUNG'U, CBS
CABINET SECRETARY/THE NATIONAL TREASURY & ECONOMIC PLANNING



3,000 households in Murang'a enlisted in a WB poverty alleviation project

BY BERNARD MUNYAO (KNA)

Some 3,000 destitute families in Murang'a County will be included in a government programme aimed at uplifting poor homesteads from poverty.

The targeted homesteads to be drawn from two sub counties will benefit from the Kenya Social Economic Inclusion programme (KSEIP) from June this year.

This comes after the end of piloting of the programme where 1,500 poor families have benefited in the initiative funded by the World Bank in partnership with the Kenyan government.

Murang'a County Director of Social Services Ms Lucy Gakere told KNA that the pilot programme which ends before June was successful and the government is working to include other poor families so as to get assistance to start small income generating projects.

She observed that in KSEIP, every family

Those in Murang'a South have managed to save more than Sh. 2 million," Gakere

benefited with Sh30,000 to establish small enterprises and another Sh24,000 which was paid as a stipend of Sh 2,000 on monthly basis for consumption support.

Gakere disclosed that 25 per cent of the beneficiaries were drawn from those already listed in Inua Jamii Cash Transfer Programme.

"The programme benefited 750 families from Murang'a East Sub County and another similar number from Murang'a south. The beneficiaries are doing well since they can now raise their income without depending on the govern-



A dairy goat's shade belonging to Mercy Wanjiku. She received funding from KSEIP towards the end of 2022.

ment's cash transfer funds," noted Gakere.

Piloting of the programme, she observed, kicked off in 2019 and was done in five counties, including Murang'a, Makueni,

Taita Taveta, Marsabit and Kisumu.


The director said the World Bank had engaged a consortium entrusted to help the beneficiaries identify viable enterprises of

their choice. "In Murang'a, all the beneficiaries did well apart from some challenges posed by prolonged drought which affected those who ventured into horticulture. Now the families can sustain themselves as we start to pick other poor homesteads and include them in the programme," she added.

Those who have benefited in the programme, the director said, were registered in village savings and loans associations.

She noted that the associations enable the members to save part of the income raised on a daily basis.

"Those in Murang'a South have managed to save more than Sh. 2 million and those from Murang'a East have saved more than Sh. 4 million. The associations will help the beneficiaries source for funds and boost their businesses after the end of the programme," she said.



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TENDER NOTICE

University of Eldoret invites interested and eligible bidders to submit bids for the tender listed below:

ADVERTISEMENT OF TENDERS

NO	TENDER NO	ITEM DESCRIPTION	BID SECURITY	CLOSING & OPENING DATES	TIME
1	UoE/SOFTWARE/19/2022 - 2023	Supply, Delivery, Configuration and Training of Anti-Plagiarism Software	N/A	Tuesday, 16 th May, 2023	11.00 AM
2	UoE/BK/MACHINE/20/2022 - 2023	Supply, Delivery, Installation and Testing of An Automatic Book Digitization Machine	N/A	Tuesday, 16 th May, 2023	11.00 AM

Tender requirements, instructions and complete tender documents may be obtained from Procurement Office during normal working hours (**Monday-Friday**) from 8.00 am to 1.00 pm and from 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm upon payment of non-refundable fee of KES.1000/- in bankers cheque or direct deposit to the University of Eldoret Account or be downloaded from the University of Eldoret website www.uoeld.ac.ke or www.tenders.go.ke free of charge.

Tender requirements and instructions can be downloaded from the University website: www.uoeld.ac.ke/tenders.

Submission of complete tender documents in hard copies in a plain sealed envelope clearly marked with the Tender name and Tender Reference Number should be addressed and delivered to:

**Vice-Chancellor
University of Eldoret
P.O Box 1125-30100
Eldoret.**

Or deposited in the **Tender Box 'A'** at University of Eldoret Administration Block so as to be received on or before **16th May, 2023 at 11.00 am local time.**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders/their representatives who choose to attend, at the Forestry Complex Boardroom.


University shall strictly adhere to guidelines issued by the Government on COVID-19 pandemic during opening of the tenders.


Late tenders shall not be accepted.

Youth, women and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

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INVITATION TO TENDER

Wildlife Research and Training Institute (WRTI) has received funding from the Tourism Promotion Fund (TPF) and now invites sealed tenders from Interested and eligible national candidates for the tender listed below;

NO	TENDER REFERENCE NO.	TENDER NAME	BID SECURITY AMOUNT (KSH)	ORGANIZED SITE VISIT DATE	CLOSING DATE	ELIGIBILITY
1	WRTI/OT/CS/07/2022-2023	CONSTRUCTION OF 8No. STRANDS ELECTRIC FENCE AT NAIVASHA GAME FARM (12KM)	450,000.00	15th May 2023	22nd May 2023	OPEN TO ALL
2	WRTI/OT/HR/08/2022-2023	PROVISION OF GROUP LIFE ASSURANCE SERVICES AND GROUP PERSONAL ACCIDENT - WIBA	120,000.00	N/A	22nd May 2023	OPEN TO ALL

Tender documents containing detailed terms of reference can be downloaded for free at our website; www.wrti.go.ke and at the Public Procurement Information Portal www.tenders.go.ke. Interested candidates may also seek further information from the Procurement office, Tel. 0700 000 321 Extension, or email: tenders@wrti.go.ke. Any addendums or clarifications in respect to this tender will be available in our WRTI website www.wrti.go.ke and on the Public Procurement Information Portal www.tenders.go.ke

All bidders are advised to regularly check the website during the bidding period. An organized site visit for **ITEM NO 1 ONLY** will be held on **15th May 2023.**

Bid documents must be accompanied by an Original Tender Security as indicated the schedule above, issued in Kenya shillings or a freely convertible currency and in the form of bank guarantee or an insurance guarantee from PPRA approved insurance company/ deposit taking microfinance institutions


Prices quoted should be net inclusive of all taxes and must be in Kenya Shillings and should remain valid for **120 days** after date of tender opening

The completed bids in plain sealed envelope marked with tender reference number and tender name, and addressed to **the Director, Wildlife Research and Training Institute, P.O. Box 842 - 20117 Naivasha** shall be deposited into the Tender Box at the entrance of Main Reception, Wildlife Research Headquarters, Naivasha Town. On or before **12:00 Noon on 22nd May 2023**

Returned request for proposal (RFP) documents will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders of their representatives who chose to attend.

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

DIRECTOR/CEO



Governor disburses cheques worth Sh138m to farmers in Machakos

BY ANNE KANGERO (KNA)

The county government of Machakos has rolled out a farmer empowerment programme by issuing cheques worth Sh138,180,837 to facilitate the procurement of farm inputs to promote production in the area which faces food deficits once rains fail.

Launching the Programme, Governor Ms Wavinya Ndeti expressed optimism that the noble gesture would spur higher yields and ensure the needed food security among group and individual farmers by boosting productivity and creation of wealth in the county.

The Governor was speaking during the launch of #Chakula Mezani Pesa Mfukoni Programme at the International Convention Centre in Machakos which



Machakos Governor (in the middle) while issuing farmers with cheques to help in farming production at the International convention center in Machakos.

brought together stakeholders in the agricultural sector and other development partners.

“As I promised, my government will progressively

continue to support our farmers as per my pre-election manifesto as we focus on making Machakos stable and food secure,” said Wavinya.

She urged the residents to exploit the available opportunities in crop production, fish farming, dairy and livestock production to increase production through the es-

tablished channels, including the extension services.

Wavinya pointed out that in Machakos, agriculture contributes to 70 per cent of household incomes which is a key sector in the county since it helps in achieving food and nutrition security, alleviating poverty and creation of wealth for the residents.

She added that some interventions were initiated to enhance agricultural productivity such as the issuance of free crop seeds, seedlings, pesticides, fertilizer free chicks, goats’ incubators, pond liners and free tractor service among others. The governor urged all farmers to be in the front-line in planting fruit trees so as to mitigate the risk posed by climate change which is a major threat to agricultural production.

She said that this being a recovery period, her government is committed to building resilience among the farming communities and ensuring that farmers recover from the effects of drought.

“I urge farmers to take care of their crops and livestock so that we can lower the high cost of living in the county,” Wavinya said.

Wavinya added that her government is working closely with the National Government to ensure subsidized fertilizer was available at the National Cereals and Produce Board for ease of access.

She announced plans to transform the Machakos Agricultural Training Center to a modern facility for field research, seed propagation, training and demonstrations.

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OFFICE OF THE VICE CHANCELLOR

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Laikipia University invites interested eligible suppliers to apply for Provision of General Insurance Services for Financial Year 2023/2024.

NO	TENDER NO	DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	TENDER/BID SECURITY
1.	LU/TEN/03/2022/2023	PROVISION OF GENERAL INSURANCE SERVICES (MOTOR VEHICLE, FIRE & PERILS ETC)	OPEN	KSH.500,000

Documents can also be downloaded from the University Website at www.laikipia.ac.ke

Dully filled Tender Documents in plain sealed envelopes, clearly marked with Tender Number, and Tender description, bearing no indication of the applicant should be deposited in the Tender Box provided at the Security office at the Laikipia University Main Campus or be addressed and posted to:

**THE Vice Chancellor
Laikipia University
P.O Box 1100-20300
Nyahururu**

So as to reach Laikipia University Main- Campus **NOT LATER THAN Thursday 18th May, 2023 at 12:00 Noon.**

Bid Documents shall be opened immediately thereafter at University Boardroom in the presence of applicants and/or their representatives who choose to attend.

Youths Women and Persons with disability are encouraged to apply.

PUBLIC AUCTION

NO	DESCRIPTION	DATE OF THE AUCTION	TIME	AUCTIONEERS
1.	Invitation to Public Auction	23 RD MAY, 2023	10:00AM	IGARE Auctioneers

Prospective bidders are advised to inspect the items on site during official working hours **(8.00am.-4. 00p.m)** on **Weekdays.**

For more information on the advertisement and Disposal Catalogue please visit the University website a www.laikipia.ac.ke

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Konza Technopolis Development Authority



INVITATION TO TENDER

Konza Technopolis Development Authority (KoTDA), the implementing agency under the Ministry of Information Communication and Digital Economy hereby invites interested and eligible tenderers to bid for the following tenders;

No.	DESCRIPTION	TENDER NO.	TENDER SECURITY	CATEGORY	CLOSING DATE
1.	PROVISION OF INTEGRATED DATA CENTRE MAINTENANCE (IDCM) SERVICES.	KoTDA/RFP/133/2022-2023	150,000	OPEN	Friday, 26 TH MAY 2023 at 2PM.
2.	PROVISION OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE CREATIVE, ADVERTISING AND MARKETING COMMUNICATION SERVICES	KoTDA/RFP/114/2022-2023	N/A	SPECIAL GROUP (AGPO CERTIFIED)	Friday, 26 TH MAY 2023 at 2PM.
3.	PROVISION OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE PUBLIC RELATIONS SERVICES	KoTDA/RFP/113/2022-2023	N/A	SPECIAL GROUP (AGPO CERTIFIED)	Friday, 26 TH MAY 2023 at 2PM.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain a set of tender documents from the KoTDA website www.konza.go.ke from **Tuesday 9th May 2023** to **Friday 26th May 2023**. Bidders who download the tender document from the website will be required to email their detailed contact information to procurement@konza.go.ke for recording, further clarifications, addenda, and security clearance to facilitate site access.

All questions/clarifications regarding the project or offer of submission including requests for site visit, should be sent by email to procurement@konza.go.ke and copied to ceo@konza.go.ke by Friday 19th May 2023 at 1700hrs local Kenyan time. Mandatory Site visit and/or Pre-bid conference for all the tenders above shall be held on Friday 19th May 2023 at 1100am at the Konza Complex, Konza Technopolis.

No other email addresses shall be used for this tender and KoTDA shall not be liable if bidders choose to send their information and/or enquiries to other email addresses.

Tenderers shall submit **One Original** and **One Soft Copy** in a Flash drive of all tender documents in plain sealed envelopes, with the Tender Number Clearly marked on the right-hand side corner and bearing no indication of the tenderer's name and addressed to:

**The Chief Executive Officer
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P.O. Box 1 - 90150,
KONZA TECHNOLOGICAL, KENYA.
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Tel; +254-20-4343013/4**

and placed in the KoTDA Tender Box on the 7th Floor of Konza Complex, Konza Technopolis, located along Nairobi-Mombasa Road near Malili Township to reach the above address not later than **Friday 26th May 2023 at 1400hrs local time.**

Submitted bids will be opened publicly at the same venue shortly thereafter in the presence of the tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend.

Prices quoted must remain valid for One Hundred and Eighty (180) days from the date of Tender opening.

Any form of canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

State to automate maritime affairs to accelerate growth of budding sector

BY FATMA SAID (KNA)

Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs Cabinet Secretary (CS) Salim Mvurya has urged stakeholders in the maritime industry to hasten the automation of all services to facilitate growth of the industry.

Digitalization, Mvurya said, will raise the competitiveness of the sector and enhance operational efficiency

which is key to continental integration.

Mvurya said in order to achieve the success of digitalization, there is a need to build the human capital which will adapt and take advantage of the immense opportunities in the sector.

The CS said the government is working to revamp and operationalize the Kenya National Shipping Line (KNSL) to enable the

institution to exclusively handle the state's exports and imports.

Speaking during the official opening of the Sixth Annual Conference of the Association of African Maritime Affairs (AAMA) and General Assembly, CS Mvurya applauded the close cooperation and solidarity between the International Maritime Organization (IMO) and the



Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs CS Salim Mvurya (R) in consultation Shadrack Mwadime, PS Maritime Affairs during the 6th Association of African Maritime Administration (AAMA) & IMO conference on low-carbon shipping in Mombasa.

PHOTO: ANDREW HINGA.

African Maritime Administrations (AMA) as they seek to address current and emerging challenges facing the maritime sector. The conference themed, Maritime Administrations as Pillars for Economic Development, is being held in Mombasa again, ten years after the inaugural meeting that birthed the association.

This year's Conference brought together more than 50 African Countries and aims at exploring the implications of an efficiently regulated Maritime Industry on global trade.

INVITATION TO TENDER



INVITATION TO TENDER

NO	TENDER NO.	DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	TENDER CLOSING DATE
1	KGK-KIP-21-2023	Tender for Supply of Special Tools for W18V46 Engine for Kipevu III Power Station	Citizen Contractors	25-May-2023 At 10.00am
2	KGK-GDD-076-2023	Tender for Supply of Main Oil Pump Complete with Motor for Olkaria 1AU 140 MW Geothermal Power Plant	Open International	25-May-2023 At 2:00pm

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

The document can also be viewed and downloaded from the website www.kengen.co.ke and on E-procurement <https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal>.

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

SUBMISSION OF TENDERS:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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JOB VACANCY

MANAGING DIRECTOR/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

The Board of Nzoia Sugar Company Limited wishes to recruit a qualified, experienced, dynamic, visionary, dedicated and pragmatic leader to fill the above position.

Duties & Responsibilities

Reporting to the Board of Directors, the Managing Director, will be the Accounting Officer, and will be responsible for the following:-

- To provide visionary leadership and direction to the organization and ensure that NSC mandates and policies are implemented fully and effectively in line with the Strategic Plan.
- To formulate Strategic and Business plans, lead teams for high performance, innovation and diversification of products base.
- To ensure prudent management of resources for the achievement of NSC's mandate and strategic objectives.
- To ensure that the Performance Contract objectives and targets are negotiated, achieved and reported in time and the Annual Operational Plans and Budgets prepared and submitted in compliance with statutory requirements.
- To ensure implementation of NSC's strategic initiatives and capacity building
- To provide the much needed transformational leadership to meet and surpass the expectations of stakeholders.
- To initiate, establish, strengthen and oversee inter-institutional collaborations and strategic partnerships for realization of NSC's mandate and strategic objectives.
- Develop policies and strategies on Risk Management and Business Continuity.
- To undertake financial management and investment by ensuring sound policies and practices are adopted for optimal utilization and returns
- To ensure NSC staff remain steadfast and motivated to discharge their responsibilities effectively and efficiently, and in compliance to relevant statutes, policies and practices
- To establish and sustain harmonious relations with the Board of Directors, the Government, parent ministry and other stakeholders
- To promote and sustain a culture of compliance with regulations, statutory requirements, good corporate governance principles and best practices.
- To perform other duties as determined by the Board from time to time only in the interest of NSC.
- Regular engagement, stakeholders, customers, effective and efficient customer service.
- Be innovative, creative and be a change agent.

Key Qualifications & Competencies

- Must have a first degree in Agriculture, Engineering, Business, Finance, or in Social Sciences from a recognized university.
- Masters in Finance, Strategy, Corporate Management, Leadership, Governance, Business or any related field will be an added advantage.
- At least 10 years of relevant work experience, seven (7) of which must be at a senior level. Part of the experience must be in the manufacturing sector.
- Candidates must submit confirmation(s) from professional body (i.e.s) such as ICPAK, CPA, ACCA etc. as being members in good standing.
- Leadership, Management and Governance training from a recognized training institution, will be an added advantage.

Knowledge & Skills

- Policy development and formulation.
- Analytical.
- Computer literacy is a must.
- Public procurement.
- Project management.
- Communication and presentation skills.
- Transformational leadership.

Personal attributes

- Customer relationship.
- High levels of integrity and honesty.
- Change and turnaround management focus.
- Articulate and result-oriented.
- Decisive, organized and orderly.

Salary Package

- An attractive salary package commensurate with competencies will be offered to the successful candidate.
- The successful candidate will be engaged on a three (3) year contract renewable once subject to acceptable performance as set out in the performance contract and other KPIs.

Application

- Suitably qualified candidates should submit their applications together with updated curriculum vitae, certified true copies of certificates and testimonials, clearance from KRA, EACC, HELB where applicable and Certificate of Good Conduct from Directorate of Criminal Investigations (DCI).
- Provide day time telephone contacts and names of at least three referees (one of whom must be a past employer) who should be in a position to attest to the position(s) held by the candidate in the organization(s) and managerial abilities as well as moral character and integrity.

Applications to be sent to the below address by close of business on **25th May, 2023**. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

**THE CHAIRPERSON
NZOIA SUGAR CO. LTD.
P.O. BOX 285 - 50200,
BUNGOMA.**



Kenya strengthens local manufacturing in preparation to become pharmaceutical hub

BY MYGOV REPORTER

Kenya is poised to become a regional pharmaceutical hub by strengthening local manufacturing.

This is meant to reduce reliance on imported medical products through collaboration with both local and international manufacturers.

The Pharmacy and Poisons Board (PPB) Chairman Dr. Charles Githinji expressed the country's vision during a World Health Organisation (WHO) delegation visit to Kenya on regulatory systems strengthening and local manufacturing.

The official emphasized the benefits of localizing production of pharmaceutical products for affordable healthcare and economic growth in the country.

Dr. Githinji noted that the long-term goal is to make Kenya a leading regional hub for the production of medicines and healthcare supplies in order to drive down costs and ensure accessibility for all citizens.

"By bolstering local



Dr. Charles Githinji, Chairman of the Pharmacy and Poisons Board (PPB), leads the discussions with the WHO delegation during their visit to Kenya, emphasizing the importance of local pharmaceutical manufacturing for the country's healthcare agenda.

manufacturing capabilities, Kenya aims to improve healthcare access, create job opportunities, and attract investments in the healthcare sector", Dr. Githinji said. Dr Githinji added, "our focus on local production goes beyond healthcare, it contributes to the nation's economic growth."

The PPB chairman added

that Kenya's commitment aligns with the government's "Bottom Up Economic Transformation Agenda" and lays emphasis on leveraging Universal Health Coverage (UHC) and scaling up essential supplies. Dr. Githinji further said the strategy will help the country to achieve sustainable and equitable healthcare through local manufacturing. The PPB Chairman expressed confidence that Kenya's resolve of becoming a regional pharmaceutical hub would foster innovation and growth in the local industry.

"Collaborating with international partners and stakeholders, the Pharmacy and Poisons Board is dedicated to strengthening the national regulatory system and attaining self-reliance in healthcare manufacturing", noted Githinji.

Githinji added that continuous capacity building for local manufacturing, remain top priorities for the Pharmacy and Poisons Board (PPB).



KENYA REVENUE AUTHORITY

Public Notice

Enforcement of the Electronic Tax Invoice

Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA) is currently rolling out eTIMS. This is the software approach to ensure that all VAT registered taxpayers generate electronic tax invoices that are transmitted to KRA on real time or near real time basis.

The Commissioner General wishes to notify the public that **effective 1st June 2023**, all VAT registered taxpayers are required to only accept electronic tax invoices from registered taxpayers in compliance with the VAT (Electronic Tax Invoice) Regulations 2020 for purposes of claiming input tax and processing of refunds.

This requirement exempts registered non-resident suppliers of digital services. The non-resident digital service suppliers are however required to issue invoices or receipts showing the value of the supply and tax charged.

For VAT registered taxpayers who have not complied with VAT (Electronic Tax Invoice) regulation 2020, Tax Compliance Certificate will not be issued unless they comply.

Similarly, VAT refunds shall be only processed and paid for taxpayers who are compliant with the Regulations.

KRA takes this opportunity to thank all compliant VAT registered taxpayers who are already supporting the enforcement of the Regulations.

For clarification, contact the Contact Centre on Tel: **020 4 999 999, 0711 099 999** or Email: **callcentre@kra.go.ke** or visit the nearest Tax Service Office or Huduma centre.

Commissioner General

Thank you for paying taxes to build Kenya

www.kra.go.ke

Disclaimer: KRA notifies taxpayers that it will not accept responsibility for payments not received, credited and validated in the relevant KRA accounts. **Corruption Reporting:** +254 (0726) 984 668, Email: corruptionreporting@kra.go.ke. **Short Messaging Services (SMS):** Dial (*5729) or Text to 22572. **Contact Centre:** +254 (020) 4 999 999, +254 (0711) 099 999, Email: callcentre@kra.go.ke. **Complaints & Information Centre Hotlines:** +254 709 017 700 / 800 Email: cic@kra.go.ke

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THE KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL



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VACANCIES ANNOUNCEMENT

- 1.0** The Kenya National Examinations Council (KNEC) invites competent, self motivated and qualified applicants for the following vacant positions:

NO.	JOB TITLE/POSITION	KNEC GRADE	NO. OF VACANT POSITION/S
1.1	Deputy Director, Examinations Administration, Field Administration Services	3	1
1.2	Senior Records Management Officer	6	1

2.0 TERMS OF OFFER

The Council will offer a competitive remuneration package commensurate with responsibilities of the position.

3.0 APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Interested and suitably qualified candidates should fill and submit the Application for Employment Form KNEC 2A – (external applicants) and Application for Employment Form KNEC 2B – (internal applicants), an application letter, accompanied by certified copies of academic and professional certificates, detailed curriculum vitae giving details of daytime telephone contact, e-mail address, current remuneration (enclose copy of your latest pay slip), names and valid current contacts of three referees, on or before **29th May, 2023** to:

**The Chief Executive Officer
The Kenya National Examinations Council
New Mitihani House, South C
P.O Box 73598-00200 NAIROBI**

4.0 NOTES

- 4.1** Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted and canvassing will result in automatic disqualification;
4.2 Successful applicants offered employment will be required to submit clearances under Chapter Six (6) of the Constitution of Kenya;
4.3 KNEC Grade 3 position is on 5 year contract terms of service and renewal is subject to performance.
4.4 KNEC is an Equal opportunity Employer and People Living with Disability and female candidates are encouraged to apply.

For more details regarding the vacant positions, please visit - www.knec.ac.ke



NATIONAL CONSTRUCTION AUTHORITY

PUBLIC NOTICE

NATIONAL OPEN TENDER NOTICE

The National Construction Authority (NCA) is a State Corporation established under the National Construction Authority Act 2011, with the responsibility to oversee the construction industry and coordinate its development. The Authority invites sealed bids from eligible candidates for the following tenders;

No	Tender No.	Description of Tender	Eligibility	Closing/Opening Date
1	NCA/T/032/2022-2023	Retender for supply, installation and commissioning of telephone call management solution	Open	17th May, 2023
2	NCA/T/033/2022-2023	Retender for Provision of offsite archival services	Open	17th May, 2023
3.	NCA/T/034/2022-2023	Tender for Supply of Enterprise Hardware monitoring solution (Lot I) and VPN Tools for Laptops with Data Storage (Lot II)	AGPO	17th May, 2023

Tender document with detailed information and instruction may be viewed and downloaded from the Authority's website; www.nca.go.ke and the Public Procurement Information portal, www.tenders.go.ke free of charge.

**Manager, Supply Chain
FOR: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**



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FAO supports young farmers in Siaya to improve food security

BY BRIAN ONDENG
(KNA)

The Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO) has underlined its commitment to support young people involved in agriculture in the counties of Siaya and Kakamega to ensure food security and nutrition is attained.

FAO Country Representative Amb. Carla Mucavi said, the youth in the two counties who have already

embraced agriculture are a true testimony that there are decent job opportunities for the youth in the sector.

Amb. Mucavi, who was speaking during a Youth Agribusiness Trade Fair at Jaramogi Oginga Odinga University of Science and Technology commended Siaya and Kakamega counties for partnering with the university to create space and opportunities that would attract young people

into agriculture.

She said FAO will work very closely with the two counties and the university to support the incubation of agriculture ideas exhibited by the youth with the view of upscaling and expanding them to reach more youth.

“This is not the first trade fair we are supporting. We intend to continue holding more trade fairs and documenting success stories that will attract more youth to

embrace agriculture,” she stated.

Siaya County CEC for Agriculture, Food, Irrigation, Livestock and Fisheries Mr. Sylvester K’Okoth said, the purpose of the trade fair was to change the narrative that agriculture is for those who have not gone to school, those retired from their formal employment or those doing it as a last resort.

“We have youths who

have exhibited in several booths and who are graduates from various universities and colleges of higher learning who have identified agriculture as a source of decent employment,” K’Okoth said.

The Agriculture CEC said the intention of the county is to encourage other youths to embrace agriculture because there are a lot of opportunities in the agricultural sector.

“There are so many agricultural value chains that our youth can engage in and still appear decent both in mind and in body,” he said.

The CEC stated that the County Government of Siaya through leadership of Governor James Orengo is committed to making agriculture the pillar and anchor for economic transformation and industrial development.



MINISTRY OF TOURISM, WILDLIFE AND HERITAGE

TOURISM PROMOTION FUND

INVITATION TO TENDER

SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, CONFIGURATION, CUSTOMIZATION, TESTING, COMMISSIONING AND MAINTENANCE OF AN ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING (ERP) SOLUTION

TENDER NO: TPF/T/023/ERP/2022-2023

- Tourism Promotion Fund invites sealed tenders for the **Supply, Installation, Configuration and Commissioning of Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) System**
- Tendering will be conducted under open competitive method (National) using a standardized tender document. Tendering is open to all qualified and interested Tenderers.
- Qualified and interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the Tender Documents during office hours 0900 to 1600 hours at the address given below.
- A complete set of tender documents may be purchased or obtained by interested tenders upon payment of a non-refundable fees of **Ksh. 1,000** in cash or Banker’s Cheque and payable to the address given below. Tender documents may be obtained electronically from the TPF Website www.tpf.go.ke or Public Procurement Information Portal www.tenders.go.ke or Ministry of Tourism, Wildlife and Heritage website www.tourism.go.ke. Tender documents obtained electronically will be **free of charge**.
- Tender documents may be viewed and downloaded for free from the TPF Website www.tpf.go.ke or Public Procurement Information Portal www.tenders.go.ke. Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to procurement@tpf.go.ke to facilitate any further clarification or addendum. Tenderers shall indicate; Tender reference No; Tender Name; official Email Address and the Telephone number and the complete name and Designation of the Person to be contacted.
- Tenders shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings and shall include all taxes. Tenders shall remain valid for (120) days from the date of opening of tenders.
- All Tenders must be accompanied by a **tender Security of Ksh.500, 000 (Kenya Shillings Five Hundred Thousand)**.
- The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted.
- Completed tenders must be delivered to the address below on or before **18th May 2023 at 11.00am**. Electronic Tenders will not be permitted.
- Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified above or any dead line date and times specified later. Tenders will be publicly opened in the presence of the Tenderers’ designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below.
- Late tenders will be rejected.
- The addresses referred to above are:

Address for obtaining further information and for purchasing tender documents

Tourism Promotion Fund
Tourism Fund Building, 1st Floor
P. O. Box 50293 – 00100 Nairobi
Tel. (+254) 020 4400601
Email: info@tpf.go.ke
Website: www.tpf.go.ke

Address for Submission of Tenders.

Chief executive officer,
Tourism Promotion Fund
P. O. Box 20064 – 00200 NAIROBI
Tourism Fund Building, Bishop Road, Off Valley Road 1st Floor

Address for Opening of Tenders.

Tourism Promotion Fund
Tourism Fund Building, Bishop Road
Off Valley Road 1st Floor Board Room.



The President's Award - Kenya



TENDER NOTICE

The President's Award – Kenya invites applications from interested and eligible bidders for the registration of suppliers, consultants and contractors for use on 'as and when required basis' in the Financial Years 2023/2024 and 2024/2025 ending on **30th June 2025** in the following listed categories: -

A) REGISTRATION FOR SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF GOODS			
CATEGORY NO.	NO. OF CATEGORIES	ITEM DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
PA-K/PREQ/A1/2023-2025	12	Supply & Delivery of Goods, Various Categories.	Youth, Women and Persons Living with Disabilities & Open
TO			
PA-K/PREQ/A12/2023-2025			
B) PROVISION OF SERVICES			
CATEGORY NO.	NO. OF CATEGORIES	ITEM DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
PA-K/PREQ/B1/2023-2025	24	Provision of Services, Various categories	Youth, Women and Persons Living with Disabilities & Open
TO			
PA-K/PREQ/B24/2023-2025			
C) PROVISION OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES			
CATEGORY NO.	NO. OF CATEGORIES	ITEM DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
PA-K/PREQ/C1/2023-2025	7	Provision of Consultancy Service, Various categories	Youth, Women and Persons Living with Disabilities & Open
TO			
PA-K/PREQ/C7/2023-2025			
D) PROVISION OF WORKS			
CATEGORY NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY	
PA-K/PREQ/D1/2023-2025	Provision of Small Contractual Works-General Office Designs, Repairs and Maintenance Works, Electricals, Plumbing, Painting Etc. (Registered With NCA)	Youth, Women and Persons Living with Disabilities	
E) PROVISION OF MEDICAL INSURANCE – OPEN TENDER			
CATEGORY NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY	
PA-K/T/01/2023-2024	Provision of Medical Insurance Cover for Board Members and Staff (Must be Underwriters only – Provide Evidence)	Open	

Interested eligible candidates may download the tender document free of charge from the Agency website; <https://www.presidentsaward.or.ke> or Public procurement information portal website; <https://www.tenders.go.ke> **free of charge**.

Completed tender documents enclosed in a plain sealed envelope, marked with the tender number and name should be deposited in the Tender Box at The President's Award – Kenya on 15 Elgon Road, Upperhill – Nairobi and be addressed to: -

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

so as to be received on or before **Tuesday, May 23rd, 2023 at 1000hours.**

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 15 Elgon Road, Upperhill – Nairobi.

NOTE: Extension of Closing dates to Tuesday, May 23rd, 2023 at 1000hours.

NB: All current registered providers should re-apply in order to update their records

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
THE PRESIDENT'S AWARD - KENYA**



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Turkana, Netherlands in joint deal to maximize potential of Lake Turkana

BY PETER GITONGA (KNA)

The Netherlands Embassy in Kenya and the Turkana County Government have formed a partnership which will maximize the potential of Lake Turkana.

The embassy has been carrying out Economic Analysis Research in Lake Turkana in Turkana and Marsabit counties since last year which seeks to assess the available opportunities in the fisheries and aquaculture sector.

Speaking during a cour-

tesy call to the County Deputy Governor Dr. John Erus, First Secretary in charge of Food and Nutrition Security, Water and Climate at the embassy Pim Vander Male said the research has opened many opportunities for partnership with Turkana County in a bid to grow the sector sustainably.

"This is a start of a process of partnership building that is economically viable and sustainable," Male said.

He said the embassy will continue engaging Neth-



Turkana Deputy Governor Dr. John Erus when he received the First Secretary, Food & Nutrition Security, Water and Climate at the Netherlands Embassy in Kenya Pim Vander Male (right) in his office. PHOTO: PETER GITONGA

erland University for more research in future in order to make Lake Turkana bring economic value to Turkana and Marsabit counties.

Experts estimate the fish output from Lake Turkana is around 23,000 metric tonnes annually. According to research, it is estimated that 75 per cent of the catch is consumed locally and within the Lake Turkana region.

The other 25 per cent is transported outside the county, and with links to

markets, regional export is increasing rapidly with an estimated 3,200 MT exported out of Kenya.

The Deputy Governor expressed his appreciation to the Netherlands Embassy for taking the lead in carrying out fisheries research in Lake Turkana.

The Deputy Governor challenged partners in the sector to desist from fishing undersized fish along the shallower parts of the lake, which is often used for the fish to spawn.



MINISTRY OF ENERGY & PETROLEUM

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR ENERGY

TENDER NOTICE

The Ministry of Energy and Petroleum, State Department for Energy invites sealed bids from eligible firms for the following tender;

Tender Number	Item Description	Lots	Target Group	Closing Date & Time
MOEP/SDE/ONT/09/2022-2023	Construction, Testing and Commissioning of 10m ³ Domestic Masonry Biogas Plants Using Cow Dung	Bungoma & Kakamega Counties -Lot 1	Agpo	Wednesday, 24 th May 2023 at 10.00 am
		Nyamira County-lot 2	Open	
		Kisii and Narok Counties- Lot 3	Open	
		Homabay & Migori Counties -Lot 4	Open	
		Nandi County- Lot 5	Open	
		Uasin Gishu County- Lot 6	Agpo	
		Laikipia County- Lot 7	Agpo	
		Nyeri and Kirinyaga County-Lot 8	Open	
		Muranga County- Lot 9	Open	
		Nyandarua County- Lot 10	Open	
		Meru and Isiolo Counties Lot 11	Agpo	
		Tharaka Nithi County-Lot 12	Agpo	
		Busia and Siaya Counties-Lot 13	Agpo	
		Bomet County-Lot 14	Open	

Qualified and interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Tender documents during office hours (0900 to 1700) at the address given below.

The interested eligible bidders may request for clarifications on the Tender up to Four (4) days before the Tender submission date. Any request for clarifications must be in writing and addressed to:

The Principal Secretary
Ministry of Energy and Petroleum
State Department for Energy
P.O. Box 30582-00100
Nairobi, Kenya
Tel: +254-20-310112
Email: supplychain@energy.go.ke

A complete set of tender documents with detailed qualification criteria may be purchased or obtained by interested tenderers from the Supply Chain Management office on 1st Floor, Kawi Complex Block 'A' upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Kenya shillings one thousand only in cash or Banker's Cheque and payable to Principal Secretary, Ministry of Energy and Petroleum, State Department for Energy. Tender documents may also be obtained electronically from the Website(s) www.energy.go.ke and www.tenders.go.ke free of charge. Those who obtain their tender documents electronically are requested to submit the details of the firm name, postal and physical address, email and contact telephone number(s) for purposes of submitting any clarification and/or addenda to the Tender documents.

Completed tender documents enclosed in plain sealed envelopes and marked with the tender name and reference number should be addressed to:

The Principal Secretary
Ministry of Energy and Petroleum
State Department for Energy
Kawi Complex Block 'A', South C
Popo Lane, Off Red Cross Road
P.O Box 30582-00100 Nairobi

And be deposited in the **Tender Box** situated at the entrance, **Ground Floor, Kawi Complex Block 'A'** so as to be received on or before **24th May, 2023 at 10.00 am.**

The Tender documents will be opened immediately thereafter in the meeting room at 3rd floor Kawi Complex Block 'A' in the presence of the candidates or their representatives who choose to attend.

Late bids will be rejected and returned unopened.

Head, Supply Chain Management Services
FOR: PRINCIPAL SECRETARY



TAITA TAVETA UNIVERSITY

DECLARATION OF VACANCIES MAY 2023

Taita Taveta University (TTU) is a dynamic Public University in Kenya established in 2016 under the Universities Act 2012. It is strategically located near Voi Town and about 8 kilometers off the Mombasa-Nairobi highway in Taita Taveta County. The University is an Academic Centre of Excellence with a special focus on Mining and Mineral Processing Engineering. TTU aspires to enhance and expand its academic programs, grow student enrolment in niche areas and harness its human resource capacity. In this regard, the University is seeking to recruit suitably qualified and experienced individuals to fill the following positions:

A) ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

POSITIONS	Ref No:	Post
Registrar (Academic, Research and Outreach) (Grade 15)	TTU/REG/ARO/04/2023	One [1]
Senior Assistant Registrar /Deputy Registrar (Grade 13/14)	TTU/ADM/SAR/DR/04/2023	One [1] Post in Administration, Finance and Planning Division
Senior Accountant/ Senior Internal Auditor (Grade 13)	TTU/ADM/SA/SIA/04/2023	One [1]
Legal Officer (Grade 11)	TTU/ADM/LO/04/2023	One [1]
Administrative Assistant II (Grade 8)	TTU/ADM/AA/04/2023	Three (3)

B) ACADEMIC POSITIONS - SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

POSITIONS	Ref No:	Post
Professor/Associate Professor (Grade 15/Grade 14)	TTU/AC/P/AP/04/2023	One [1]

C. MODE OF APPLICATION

- Send soft copy application to the email address: dvc-afp@ttu.ac.ke
- Send one (1) hard copy of the application letter, accompanied by detailed curriculum vitae (with your telephone number and email address), copies of relevant academic and professional certificates, National Identity card, testimonials and other relevant supporting documents.
- The Curriculum Vitae should include information on academic qualifications, professional experience, leadership and management roles, publications, awards, scholarships, funding, membership of professional association, linkages and community service, email address and telephone contacts;
- Kindly remember specify the position applied for and quote the reference number on both the envelope and the application letter.
- The applications must reach the undersigned through the address below on or before **Tuesday, 23rd May, 2023.**
- Shortlisted candidates will be required to present originals of the following documents during the interviews:
 - National Identity Card;
 - Academic and Professional Certificates and transcripts;
 - Any other supporting documents and testimonials; and
 - Clearances from the following bodies:
 - Kenya Revenue Authority;
 - Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission;
 - Higher Education Loans Board;
 - Any of the Registered Credit Reference Bureaus;
 - Directorate of Criminal Investigations (Police Clearance Certificate);
- Recommendations from three (3) referees should be sent separately to the address below.

The Deputy Vice Chancellor (Administration, Finance & Planning)
Taita Taveta University
P. O. Box 635 - (80300), VOI
Email: dvc-afp@ttu.ac.ke

- Taita Taveta University is an Equal opportunity employer.
- Women and Persons with Disability are highly encouraged to apply.
- Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.
- Taita Taveta University does not levy any fees for job application; and
- Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification

For more details, kindly visit <https://www.ttu.ac.ke>



FINANCIAL REPORTING CENTRE

OLD MUTUAL TOWER
PRIVATE BAG 00200, NAIROBI TEL: +254 709858000

TENDER INVITATION AND REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS

The Financial Reporting Centre (FRC or the Centre) is a Government Institution established under Section 21 of the Proceeds of Crime and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2009 (POCAMLA) and the Prevention of Terrorism Act (PATO) 2012 with the principal objective of identifying proceeds of crime, combating money laundering and the fight against terrorism financing.

The FRC invites sealed Open National Tenders and Registration of Suppliers/Service providers as indicated below:

TENDER INVITATION					
S/No	Tender No:	Tender Description	Tender Security	Eligibility	Closing Date
1.	FRC/ONT/SSL/004/2022-2023-2022	Supply and Delivery of ICT Security Devices	Kshs. 150,000	Open National Tender	Wednesday 31 st May, 2023 at 12.00Noon.
2.	FRC/ONT/DCW/005/2022-2023	Proposed Gate and Gate House, Drive way, Boundary Wall and Electric Fence Installation Works	Kshs. 300,000	Open National Tender	Wednesday 31 st May, 2023 at 12.00Noon.

REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS FOR SUPPLY OF GOODS, WORKS AND SERVICES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2023-2024 AND 2024/2025 - FRC/RS/006/2022-2023

Note: Suppliers that are currently registered by the Centre are required to register afresh if they wish to participate.

A - SUPPLY OF GOODS			
Category Number	Description	Remarks	Closing Date
Category 1	Supply of General Office Stationeries, Stationery and other office Consumables	Special	Friday 16 th June, 2023
Category 2	Supply and Delivery of Toners and Cartridges	Special	
Category 3	Supply and Delivery of Application Software, Accessories & Assorted Licenses (Windows, Microsoft Office, Anti-virus, DMS Memory)	Open	
Category 4	Supply and Delivery of Office Equipment (Computers, Laptops, Notepads, Tablets, Phones, Modems, Projectors, Video Conferencing and related items)	Open	
Category 5	Supply and Delivery of Printed, Branded Merchandise/Staff ID Cards and Staff Uniforms	Special	
Category 6	Supply and Delivery of Assorted Office Furniture and Fittings	Special	
Category 7	Supply and Delivery of Drinking Mineral Water/Disposable Cups	Special	
Category 8	Supply and Delivery of Motor Vehicle Tyres, Batteries and Accessories	Open	
Category 9	Supply and Delivery Newspapers, Periodicals and Magazines	Special	
Category 10	Supply and Delivery of Telephone airtime	Special	
Category 11	Supply and Delivery of Text Books	Special	
Category 12	Supply and Delivery of Fuel for Motor Vehicles and related Lubricants	Open	
Category 13	Supply Fit and Maintenance of Window Blinds and Curtains	Open	
B - PROVISION OF SERVICES			
Category 14	Provision of Cleaning Services	Special	Friday 16 th June, 2023 at 12.00 Noon
Category 15	Provision of Event Management Services	Special	
Category 16	Provision of Catering Services	Special	
Category 17	Provision of Legal Services	Open	
Category 18	Provision of Cab, Transport and Car Hire Services	Special	
Category 19	Provision of Auctioneering Services	Open	
Category 20	Provision of Office Movers services	Open	
Category 21	Provision of Assets Tagging, Assets Verification and Assets Reconciliation Services	Open	
Category 22	Provision of Computer Repairs and Maintenance Services	Open	
Category 23	Provision of Air Ticketing Services (IATA, KATA registered firms only)	Special	
Category 24	Provision of Vehicle Maintenances Services	Open	
Category 25	Provision of Car Parking Space at Upper Hill Area	Open	
Category 26	Provision of Print Production and Graphic Arts Services	Special	
Category 27	Provision of Building Repairs and Maintenance Services (Painting, Wood repairs & Related)	Open	
Category 28	Provision of Security/Guard Services	Open	
C - PROVISION OF SMALL WORKS			
Category 29	Supply, Installation and Maintenance of CCTV, Access Control, Intruder alarms, Structured Cabling and Support Services	Open	Friday 16 th June, 2023 at 12.00 Noon
Category 30	Provision of Building Works, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical and Related Works	Open	

Interested and eligible bidders may obtain further information and download the tender documents and the registration documents at the FRC website: www.frc.go.ke. **free of charge.**

Tenderers who have downloaded the tender documents and the registration documents must immediately forward their particulars to the email: info@frc.go.ke/ procurement@frc.go.ke for purposes of any further clarifications.

Completed tender documents and registration documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked the tender name and number and addressed to:

**Director General
Financial Reporting Centre
P.O Box, Private Bag 00200
Nairobi.**

And be deposited in the tender box situated on the **13th floor, Old Mutual Tower, Upper Hill Road, Nairobi** during normal working hours so as to be received on or before the respective indicted closing dates above.

Tenders and registration documents will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend at the **Old Mutual Tower, Upper Hill Road, Nairobi, 13th floor meeting room** at the indicted respective closing dates.

**Director General
Financial Reporting Centre**



PS flags off vehicles for the water police unit to protect infrastructure

BY KAVAKA
WAMBULWA(PCO)

The Principal Secretary for Water and Sanitation Dr Kiprono Ronoh has flagged off of 12 vehicles to be used by the newly established Water Police Unit to provide armed security and protection to critical water utilities across the country to avert criminal activities such as vandalism and water theft.

During a ceremony held at Maji House, Dr. Ronoh said the current water demand for the country has risen to 22 billion cubic metres per year prompting the government to put in place a very aggressive programme for water harvesting, storage and greater attention to water management for the country.

The Water Police Unit was launched in January this year by the Interior Cabi-



Water PS Kiprono Rono flags off Water Police Unit vehicle at Maji House.

net Secretary Prof. Kithure Kindiki in the company of the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation leadership at Harambee House through Gazette Notice No, 1043 of 31st January 2023 where water was designated as a critical service.

The PS underscored the critical role of the Water Police Unit (WPU) of the Administration Police Service which is mandated under Section 27(g) and (h) of the National Police Act, 2011 to

provide protection of Government Property, vital installations and strategic points, as well as support Government Agencies in the enforcement of lawful duties respectively. He said the Water Sector is losing approximately Sh10.5 billion annually through Non-Revenue Water. ning and management.

Dr Ronoh who was accompanied the Governor

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THIKA WATER AND SEWERAGE COMPANY LTD

P.O. Box 6103-00100, Thika
Email: thikawater@yahoo.com
Website: www.thikawater.co.ke

TENDER NOTICE

Thika Water and Sewerage Company Ltd (THIWASCO) invites sealed tenders from eligible bidders for provision of goods, works and services as per the details tabulated below.

LIST OF TENDERS 2022-2023

No.	Tender Number	Description of tender	Eligibility	Opening dates	opening time
1.	THIWASCO/052/MIC/2022-2023	Provision of Medical Insurance Services (in-patient & Out-patient)	fixed	24/05/23	10.00am
2.	THIWASCO/053/DNGS/2022-2023	Provision of Day and Night guarding Services	fixed	24/05/23	11.00am
3.	THIWASCO/054/ACDS/2022-2023	Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Water Treatment Automatic Chemical Dosing System	fixed	24/05/23	12.00noon
4.	THIWASCO/055/TTPD/2022-2023	Provision of Transport Services, Tents, Pa and DJ Services	framework	24/05/23	12.00noon

A complete set of Tendering Document(s) may be obtained by interested candidates upon payment of non-refundable fee of (kshs.1,000.00) to **THIKA WATER AND SEWERAGE COMPANY LTD, EQUITY BANK ACCOUNT:0090294392028, EQUITY PLAZA, THIKA BRANCH) Tender documents code-027.**

Bidders may also download the tender documents **Free of Charge** from Thika Water and Sewerage Company Ltd website www.thikawater.co.ke. Bidders who download the documents from the website **MUST** also forward their particulars before opening date via email to procurement@thikawater.co.ke

Completed tender documents in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked with the tender number should be deposited in the tender box placed at our offices located near Blue Post Hotel, Along Haile Selassie Road, Thika or addressed to

**Thika Water and Sewerage Company Ltd
P.O. Box 6103 - 01000, Thika
Head office, near Blue Post Hotel,
Along Haile Selassie Road, Thika.
Tell: +254720 418444
Email: procurement@thikawater.co.ke
www.thikawater.co.ke**

Thus, to be received on or before: **the opening dates as above.** Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend at Thika Water and Sewerage Company Ltd head office.





KENYA REVENUE
AUTHORITY

Career Opportunities

The Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA) is the National Revenue Collection Agency for the Government of Kenya. Our Vision is: **"A Globally Trusted Revenue Agency Facilitating Tax and Customs Compliance"**. KRA is seeking result-oriented, self-driven individuals with high integrity to fill the following vacant position:

DEPARTMENT	POSITION	JOB REF
DOMESTIC TAXES DEPARTMENT	REVENUE SERVICE ASSISTANTS	RSA-23

Requirements for engagement as Revenue Service Assistant

1. Kenyan Citizens aged between **18 and 30** years.
2. Holders of KCSE/IGSE certificate with a minimum grade of C – (Minus).

Please Note:

1. All applications from interested and qualified candidates must be submitted online via the process as per the provided application guidelines.
2. **ONLY** shortlisted candidates will be contacted.
3. All applications must be submitted online by **Monday 15th May, 2023**.
4. You can only apply for the position after successfully registering in the Authority's recruitment portal.
5. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
6. Once selected, candidates will be required to submit a valid Certificate of Good Conduct, Copies of KRA PIN Certificate, NHIF, NSSF & ID cards.
7. The gross salary attached to this position is Kshs. 500 subject to applicable statutory deductions.
8. The Authority does not charge any fee at any stage of the recruitment process.
9. KRA is an equal opportunity employer committed to gender and disability mainstreaming. Persons with Disability are encouraged to apply.

Registration:

1. Go to <https://erecruitment.kra.go.ke/login> and then click on the 'Register' button to start the application process. Use a reliable personal/private email address (non-work email) to register.
2. After registration, you will receive an email enabling you to confirm your email address and complete your registration.

Log on:

1. After registration go to <https://erecruitment.kra.go.ke/login>
2. Key in your username and password then click on 'Log in' to access your account.
3. After successful log in, the system will open the 'Applicant Cockpit'.

Candidate Profile (To create or update applicant detail):

1. On the 'Applicant Cockpit' page, go to the tab 'Candidate Profile'.
2. Click on 'My Profile' to create and update your profile. **(Those without NSSF & NHIF numbers may indicate N/A but will be required to produce proof of registration once selected)**
3. Click on the tab "Overview and Release".
4. Ensure you click the check box on the page to complete the profile.

Application process:

1. To view the open job postings, click on the tab 'Employment Opportunities' on the 'Applicant Cockpit' page.
2. Under the heading 'Job Search' click the 'Start' button to view the vacancy.
3. Click on the Job posting to display the details of the position.
4. To apply for the position, click 'Apply' button at the top of the page.
5. Confirm the details on personal profile tab.
6. Click on the questionnaire tab and fill.
7. Kindly note that all mandatory fields must be completed.
8. To complete the application process, click the 'Send Application Now' button after reviewing and accepting the 'Data Privacy Statement'

In case of any challenge or issues, please send your email query to kracareers@kra.go.ke

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Job Profile

This role is responsible for monitoring issuance of e-TIMS receipts by traders, actively engaging customers who purchase items from VAT registered taxpayers or excisable items to confirm that the traders/taxpayers are compliant and monitoring compliance with excise regulations.

Responsibilities

The job will involve the following responsibilities:

1. Interception and verification of tax receipts issued by traders/taxpayers.
2. Inspection of Registration Certificates to determine offences under VAT and Excise Duty Act.
3. Validation of Excise Licences displayed by taxpayers & Premises licensing.
4. Issuance of Seizure Notices for impounded Goods for Excise.
5. Issuance of Bonds to appear before Commissioner for Compounding.
6. Determination of Offences in relation to Excise Stamps.
7. Preparation of weekly and monthly reports on ongoing cases.
8. Any other duties that may be assigned by the Authority.

Requirements for engagement as Revenue Service Assistant

1. Kenyan Citizens aged between **18 and 35** years.
2. Holders of KCSE/IGSE certificate with a minimum grade of D+(Plus)

Please Note:

1. All applications from interested and qualified candidates must be submitted online via the process as per the provided application guidelines.
2. **ONLY** shortlisted candidates will be contacted.
3. All applications must be submitted online by **Tuesday 23rd May, 2023**.
4. You can only apply for the position after successfully registering in the Authority's e-recruitment portal.
5. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
6. Once selected, candidates will be required to submit a valid Certificate of Good Conduct, Copies of KRA PIN Certificate, NHIF, NSSF & ID cards.
7. The gross salary attached to this position is Kshs. 53,500 subject to applicable statutory deductions.
8. The Authority does not charge any fee at any stage of the recruitment process.
9. **Those who had applied in the earlier advertisement need not re-apply.**
10. KRA is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity and inclusion. Persons with Disability are encouraged to apply.

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Promise for better service delivery as four municipalities created in county

BY DAVIS LANGAT (KNA)

Four new municipalities have been established in Homa Bay County in a bid to improve service delivery.

The new municipalities are Oyugis, Ndhiwa, Kendu Bay and Mbita, bringing the total number of municipalities in the county to five including Homa Bay town which had been created earlier.

Consequently, 32 members of the municipality boards were sworn into office in a ceremony held at the county governor's office.

The swearing in of the board members was witnessed by Homa Bay Governor Gladys Wanga, her deputy Oyugi Magwanga, County Assembly Speaker Julius Gaya and County Secretary Prof Benard Muok.

The board members are

expected to elect their chairpersons and begin delivering services to the people.

Wanga said the creation of the municipalities was long overdue and is aimed at streamlining service delivery to the citizens.

"We urge the board members to move with speed and ensure seamless delivery of services including ensuring clean-up of the towns,



One of the members of the municipality boards taking oath of office

PHOTO: DAVIS LANGAT.

proper town planning and

reliable water supply," the Governor said.

Wanga said each municipality is going to be allocated its budget in the next financial year but in the meantime, the new municipalities will be funded by Homa Bay Municipality.

"Each municipality is going to have its budget in the next financial year. But for the time being, the new municipalities will be funded by Homa Bay Municipality," Wanga said.

She urged the municipal board members to work hard to improve services to

residents. The Governor said her administration has a vision of making Homa Bay town a city in the next ten years.

She expressed optimism that creation of the municipalities will increase the national government's allocation to Homa Bay County Government.

"Some other counties have been getting more funds than us because they have more municipalities. Creation of the municipalities is going to enhance development in our county," she said.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA



ATHI WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

(CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)

Project:	NAIROBI RIVERS REHABILITATION AND RESTORATION PROGRAM: SEWERAGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT PHASE II (NARSIP II)
Assignment Title:	CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR REHABILITATION AND MECHANISATION OF THE KAREN AND KAHAWA WEST WASTE STABILIZATION PONDS
REOI No.	AWWDA/NARSIP II/CS/09/2023

The Government of Kenya (GoK) on behalf of Athi Water Works Development Agency (AWWDA) has received financing from the African Development Bank (AfDB) towards the cost of the Nairobi Rivers Rehabilitation and Restoration Program: Sewerage Improvement Phase II (NARSIP II) and intends to apply part of the amount for this loan to payments under the contract for consultancy services for rehabilitation and mechanization of the Karen and Kahawa west waste stabilization ponds project.

The objective of this consultancy is to engage a consulting firm to undertake feasibility study, cost benefit analysis, detailed design and tender documentation for Kahawa West and Karen wastewater stabilization ponds.

The specific objective of the assignment includes but not limited to:

- Examine and verify the proposed scope of works and offer professional recommendations on any gaps that may have been unforeseen by the client, which could prevent the project from achieving its objectives.
- Carry out a detailed review of the existing sewerage situation in the areas draining at Kahawa West Ponds and Karen Ponds and prepare of a detailed sewerage feasibility plan for the area up to the year 2050 with proposed costs and implementation schedules.
- Conduct an analysis for options for wastewater treatment, sludge disposal and their cost benefit.
- Provide detailed designs complete with geological and geotechnical investigations, and design criteria assumptions of the viable options for the Kahawa and Karen sewerage treatment works.
- Prepare tender documentation for the works contract packaged for implementation including design drawings, technical specifications, cost estimates and bill of quantities, and bidding documents.
- Prepare the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment of identified project components and undertake preparation of Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) / Livelihood Restoration Program (LRP) studies and Valuation Rolls for identified project components.

The consultancy services will be carried out over a period of 12 (Twelve) months which will cover feasibility study, cost benefit analysis, detailed design and tender documentation.

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

- Experience in similar assignments – has carried out at least 3No. similar assignments of capacity not less than 5,000m³/day in the last 10 years
- Experience in similar conditions
- Availability of appropriate skills amongst staff e.g., Wastewater Processing Engineers, Water Engineers, Sanitary/Sewerage experts, Electromechanical engineers, Surveyors, CAD experts, Environmentalists, Sociologists.
- Experience in undertaking ESIA and RAP Studies.

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

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

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

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by **25th May, 2023 at 12.00 noon East African time** and mention **Expression of interest for Consultancy Services for Feasibility Study, Detailed Design and Cost Benefit Analysis for Rehabilitation and Mechanization of the Karen and Kahawa West Waste Stabilization Ponds project.**

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



Women trained on value addition beadwork

BY DIANA MENETO (KNA)

Ushanga Kenya Initiative in partnership with the Office of the Women Representative of Kajiado has trained 70 women in Kajiado Central Sub-County on value addition in the beadwork making initiative.

Ms Hellen Nkaiserry, the national chairperson of Ushanga Kenya Initiative says that the training seeks to empower women countrywide to produce quality beadwork that meet international standards.

"The government is very supportive of this program as it is the only way it can

support women from pastoralist counties. Through the crafting and selling of the bead products including accessories, jewelry, home furnishing, cultural collectables and flower pots, the women whose only source of income was selling milk and charcoal burning will have an alternative source of livelihood," said Mama Hellen.

She said in partnership with the offices of the women representatives in the counties, they are identifying market focal points where the women will be able to display the products they are producing in addition to mar-

keting and branding them so that any tourist who comes to the Kenya can easily access the local products at a price that is commensurate with the value of the item.

The chairperson urged the women to join cooperatives in every ward so that Ushanga Kenya can link them directly to markets without going through middle men who exploit them.

"This is a sustainable livelihood program in that the beads do not face the threat of drought like what we have gone through recently but it will give women money to improve their livelihoods," she said.



LAKE VICTORIA NORTH WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

P.o Box 673 – 50100, KAKAMEGA, TEL: 0562031552, Fax 0562031506

Email: info@lvwwda.go.ke /procurement@lvwwda.go.ke

PREQUALIFICATION OF CONTRACTORS & CONSULTANTS 2023 – 2024

Lake Victoria North Water Works Development Agency invites applications from interested and eligible contractors and Consultants for Prequalification under various categories of Works and services for a period of two (2) years. Details of the various categories can be obtained from invitation posted the websites below.

A complete set of prequalification documents may be downloaded **FREE OF CHARGE** from the Agency's website www.lvwwda.go.ke and the PPIP website www.tenders.go.ke. Upon downloading, bidders **MUST** immediately send/email their names and contact details (including physical address) to the following email address for recording and issuance of any clarification or addenda: procurement@lvwwda.go.ke and cc to info@lvwwda.go.ke

Bids in plain sealed envelopes with the clearly marked category number and name addressed to the underneath address and deposited at the Agency Head Quarter. The application shall be submitted on / or before **25th May 2023 at 12.00hrs local time**. The Applications will thereafter be physically opened at 1205 hours local time on 25th May 2023 in the presence of the applicants' Representatives, who choose to attend in person at the address below;

The address referred to above is:

The Chief Executive Officer
Lake Victoria North Water Works Development Agency
KENFINCO HOUSE
Off Kakamega –Kisumu Road
P.O Box 673-50100
KAKAMEGA
Email: info@lvwwda.go.ke /procurement@lvwwda.go.ke





KENYA FILM CLASSIFICATION BOARD



CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER JOB ADVERTISEMENT – REF KFCB/HR/1/2023

Kenya Film Classification Board (KFCB) is a state corporation established under the **Films and Stage Plays Act, Cap 222**, of the Laws of Kenya to regulate the creation, broadcast, possession, distribution and exhibition of film content. Regulation is geared towards facilitating an enabling environment for sector growth and ensuring protection of children from exposure to harmful content.

To enhance its capacity to deliver on the afore-cited statutory mandate, KFCB invites applications from qualified candidates to fill the position of the **Chief Executive Officer (CEO)**.

Reporting to the Board of Directors, the CEO will be responsible for providing strategic leadership to the Management to execute the following statutory functions:

- Examination and classification of films, TV programmes, advertisements, info-commercials, trailers, programme announcements and listings as well as posters with a view to assigning age-suitable ratings.
- Registering and licensing film agents, local and international filmmakers, distributors, and exhibitors.
- Giving consumer advice on responsible content consumption.
- Prescribing guidelines on the regulation of film content.
- Enforcing compliance to Legal and Regulatory requirements.

Job Description:

The duties and responsibilities shall include the following:

- Providing advice, interpretation and enforcement for **Films and Stage Plays Act Cap 222**, of the Laws of Kenya; and section 46 I (2) of the Kenya Information and Communications Act, 1998 and the subsidiary legislation made under them;
- Being the Accounting Officer of the Board;
- Reviewing existing legislation and Procedures;
- Coordinating all film classification activities;
- Maintaining standards and professionalism in film classification functions;
- Liaising with professional bodies and other stakeholders in the film industry on matters related to film classification;
- Facilitating formulation and implementation of appropriate organization-wide policies strategies and programmes to ensure that the Board pursues and achieves its mandate;
- Ensuring effective risk management of the Board and facilitating the Management and implementation of proper internal financial management, monitoring and control systems;
- Coordinating and preparing business-related proposals, reports and other submissions;
- Ensuring effective communication between the Board and the Management;
- Providing leadership direction and overall management of the Board by creating a conducive and motivating organization and work environment;
- Attending to Human Resource matters, including organizational structures, appointments, welfare, training and development, industrial relations, effective succession management and separation;
- Ensuring continual improvement in the quality and value of services provided by the Board;
- Enhancing the organization's image by fostering a corporate culture that promotes ethical practices and good corporate citizenship;
- Ensuring compliance with the Constitution of Kenya and any other legislation relevant in the management of the Board;
- Being a secretary to the Board of Directors; and
- Perform any other duties as assigned by the Board in line with the Act.

Job Specifications:

- Have a Bachelor's degree in any of the following disciplines: Journalism, Broadcast Production (Film, Television or Radio), Public Relations, Mass Communication, Business Administration, Law, Sociology, Public Administration, Literature or equivalent qualification from a recognized institution;
- Have a Master's degree in any of the following disciplines: Media Studies, Journalism, Broadcast Production (Film, Television, Radio) Public Relations, Mass Communication, Business Administration, Law, Sociology, Public Administration, Literature or equivalent qualification from a recognised institution;
- Have fifteen (15) years of work experience, with at least ten (10) years of relevant work experience in Senior Management;
- Have a Certificate in Leadership Course from a recognised institution;
- Have valid membership to a recognised professional body;
- Have Proficiency in computer applications;
- Have fulfilled the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution;
- Have Demonstrated a good understanding of the Constitution of Kenya and Vision 2030 and other Government policies in relation to the Board's mandate; and

The successful candidate will be appointed on a three (3) year contract eligible for renewal subject to satisfactory performance.

How to apply:

- Interested persons who meet the requirements are advised to send their applications through the address provided below or hand deliver to our Head Quarter office, citing the reference number of the position applied for.

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- All applications should be accompanied by a Cover letter, a Curriculum Vitae, copies of Academic and Professional Certificates, Testimonials and a National Identity Card.
- Upon offer of employment the successful candidate must present and satisfy the requirements of Chapter Six of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 by providing the following documents:
 - A valid Tax Compliance Certificate from the Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA);
 - A valid Certificate of Good Conduct from the Directorate of Criminal Investigations (DCI);
 - A valid Clearance Certificate from the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB);
 - A valid Clearance Certificate from an accredited Credit Reference Bureau (CRB); and
 - A valid Clearance from the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC).
- All applications should reach the Board on or before **29th May 2023**.
- Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Women and Persons with disability are encouraged to apply.



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PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT STANDARDS (IMPORT CARGO CONSOLIDATION) REGULATIONS 2023

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KEBS wishes to inform the public, importers and consolidators that THE DRAFT STANDARDS (IMPORT CARGO CONSOLIDATION) REGULATIONS 2023 has been developed and is currently hosted on the Kenya Bureau of Standards website (www.kebs.org).

In order to ensure wide consultation and public participation as stipulated in the Constitution of Kenya 2010, Kenya Bureau of Standards invites institutions, organizations, individuals and the public to submit their views and comments on the proposed Regulation.

The views and the comments should be addressed in writing to: The Managing Director, Kenya Bureau of Standards, P.O Box 54974-00200 Nairobi or emailed to stakeholder@kebs.org to be received on or before **5th May 2023** to facilitate the review and finalization of the Regulations.

Further members of the public and stakeholders are invited to attend consultations as per the schedule below:

REGION	VENUE	DATE	TIME
ALL	Virtual - Zoom	11/05/2023	09:00 AM
Nairobi	TBD	22/05/2023	09:00 AM
Mombasa	TBD	25/05/2023	09:00 AM

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NO.	TENDER NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	TENDER SECURITY AMOUNT	CLOSING DATE	TARGETED GROUP
1	KNBS/ONT/09/2022-2023	Provision of comprehensive insurance cover for KNBS fleet.	150,000.00	23rd May, 2023 at 10:00 am	Open

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

Original and Completed Tender document plus **one copy** should be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes marked with tender reference number and be deposited in the Tender Box on **13th Floor, Real Towers** addressed to:-

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

so as to be received on or before **23rd May, 2023 at 10:00am**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the Candidates or their representatives who choose to attend at the **KNBS Board Room- Real Towers, 13th Floor.**

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

DIRECTOR GENERAL





REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

FOR FIRMS TO UNDERTAKE CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR SAP PROCESS REVIEW AND S/4 HANA LANDSCAPE DESIGN

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST NO.: KP1/9A.2/EOI/003/ICT/22-23
COUNTRY: KENYA

I. Project Background

The Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC (KPLC) owns and operates the electricity distribution system in the country and sells electricity to over 9 million customers. Our vision is to be Kenya's energy solutions provider of choice by providing quality and reliable service to power people for better lives and enable the country's socio-economic development in a sustainable manner.

II. Objective of the Assignment

The overall objective of the assignment is to undertake a detailed review of KPLC's SAP ECC 6 Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system which currently handles our finance, human resources and supply chain business processes, determine gaps and areas of improvement and thereafter develop the specification and roadmap for an upgrade to the most current version of the system.

III. Scope of Work:

The consultancy will include the following activities:

1. Conduct a detailed evaluation of KPLC's SAP ECC 6 ERP system including finance, human resources and supply chain modules
2. Engage with all functional and technical stakeholders to determine the current challenges and requirements
3. Develop a detailed business process reengineering plan in line with KPLC's corporate strategy and international best practice
4. Undertake a detailed analysis of current licenses and develop an optimal license footprint based on future needs and business priorities
5. Develop a detailed request for proposal (RFP) document for the ERP upgrade including specifications and evaluation criteria
6. Provide project management and related services during the implementation phase of the upgrade
7. Undertake a skills gap analysis and recommend an appropriate capacity building program for key ERP system users and technical staff

IV. ELIGIBILITY AND QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

Kenya Power is now seeking through this Expression of Interest (EOI), to shortlist **suitably qualified bidders for SAP ERP Business Process Re-engineering and Upgrade**. The submission of an EOI will not constitute a bid, however Kenya Power will solely use the information to complete its shortlisting exercise and thereafter in the preparation of a **Request for Proposal (RFP)** document for the prequalified bidders.

1. Suitably qualified local and international firms are eligible to bid either individually or jointly.
2. Where firms bid jointly, proof of their collaboration in the assignment will be required along with a declaration that each firm is only involved in one bid for this assignment
3. The local component of the assignment should not be less than 30% of the value of the contract
4. Bidders must meet the following minimum requirements
 - a) Bidder should have been in consulting and advisory services either individually or jointly for at least 10 years prior to commencement of the assignment
 - b) In-depth ICT consulting and advisory experience for at least two (2) power distribution companies with at least 2 million customers each
 - c) Successfully implemented SAP ERP projects for at least four (4) companies each with an annual turnover equivalent to US\$ 100 million in the last 5 years
 - d) At least two (2) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 10 years experience in implementing SAP ERP in organisations with over 3,000 staff
 - e) At least two (2) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 10 years experience in business process re-engineering in large and complex organisations
 - f) At least one (1) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 10 years experience in SAP ERP finance modules
 - g) At least one (1) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 10 years experience in SAP ERP human resources modules
 - h) At least one (1) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 10 years experience in SAP ERP supply chain modules
5. Bidders must provide detailed documentary evidence of their eligibility and qualifications including:
 - a) Company profile for each organisation involved in the bid
 - b) Audited financial statements for last three (3) years
 - c) Project proposals, contracts, purchase orders and commissioning documents as proof of their general and specific experience as detailed in 4 above
 - d) Detailed CVs for key personnel who will undertake this assignment and their specific experience as detailed in 4 above
 - e) Partnership or joint venture agreements where applicable

This invitation for Expression of Interest shall lead to the **shortlisting of bidders** who meet the above minimum requirements. The shortlisted firms will then be invited through a **Request for Proposal (RFP)** to submit both technical and commercial proposals to carry out the assignment.

Interested bidders may obtain further information at the address below during office hours, between **0900 to 1200 and 1400 to 1630 hours (East Africa time)** or send e-mails to the addresses shown below:

1. Procurement@kplc.co.ke
2. JMuigai@kplc.co.ke
3. JMutai@kplc.co.ke

Completed Expression of Interest are to be submitted in electronic format on the KPLC's E-procurement portal in PDF format on or before the due date and time published on the portal. Bidders are required to visit the portal and KPLC's website (www.kplc.co.ke) from time to time for revised closing dates and addendums. Prospective bidders should register for E-Procurement to enable them access the KPLC portal under "New Supplier Registration" found under the Tenders Tab. The Tender is to be submitted **ONLINE** on or before **16th May 2023 at 10.00 a.m. East Africa time**.

Bids will be opened electronically promptly after closing time and Bidders or their representatives are welcome to witness the opening at the **Stima Plaza Auditorium**.

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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

FOR FIRMS TO UNDERTAKE CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR DESIGN OF ICT ENTERPRISE ARCHITECTURE

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST NO.: KP1/9A.2/EOI/002/ICT/22-23
COUNTRY: KENYA

I. Project Background

The Kenya Power and Lighting Company PLC (KPLC) owns and operates the electricity distribution system in the country and sells electricity to over 9 million customers. Our vision is to be Kenya's energy solutions provider of choice by providing quality and reliable service to power people for better lives and enable the country's socio-economic development in a sustainable manner.

II. Objective of the Assignment

The overall objective of the assignment is to deliver a modern ICT Enterprise Architecture which will inform KPLC's Digital Transformation which is a key pillar in our Corporate Strategy.

III. Scope of Work:

The consultancy will include the following activities:

1. Conduct a detailed evaluation of KPLC's IT, OT and Telecommunications domains including systems, infrastructure, policies and processes
2. Design and implement information repositories based on international best practice and governing frameworks
3. Documentation of KPLC's current IT, OT and Telecommunication domains in the information repositories developed in 2 above
4. Conduct workshops with stakeholders and users to determine current challenges and proposed areas of improvement
5. Review the corporate strategic plan, policies, processes and performance to determine KPLC's short, medium and long term objectives
6. Undertake a detailed benchmarking study of at least 2 top performing power distribution companies with a minimum of 2 million subscribers each and operating in similar environments
7. Undertake a detailed gap analysis based on all the information gathered in the reviews, benchmarking and stakeholder engagements
8. Prepare a comprehensive ICT Enterprise Architecture for KPLC that enables it to achieve its short, medium and long term objectives
9. Training and development of at least 5 KPLC ICT staff to efficiently and effectively manage the ICT Enterprise Architecture during and after the consultancy

IV. ELIGIBILITY AND QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

Kenya Power is now seeking through this Expression of Interest (EOI), to shortlist **suitably qualified bidders for Design of ICT Enterprise Architecture**. The submission of an EOI will not constitute a bid, however Kenya Power will solely use the information to complete its shortlisting exercise and thereafter in the preparation of a **Request for Proposal (RFP)** document for the prequalified bidders.

1. Suitably qualified local and international firms are eligible to bid either individually or jointly.
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3. The local component of the assignment should not be less than 30% of the value of the contract
4. Bidders must meet the following minimum requirements
 - a) Bidder should have been in consulting and advisory services either individually or jointly for at least 10 years prior to commencement of the assignment
 - b) In-depth ICT consulting and advisory experience for at least two (2) power distribution companies with at least 2 million customers each
 - c) Successfully developed ICT Enterprise Architecture for at least four (4) companies each with an annual turnover equivalent to US\$ 100 million in the last 5 years
 - d) At least two (2) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 10 years experience in developing ICT Enterprise Architecture in large organisations
 - e) At least two (2) staff for this assignment with a minimum of 5 years experience in consulting and advisory services to power distribution companies
5. Bidders must provide detailed documentary evidence of their eligibility and qualifications including:
 - a) Company profile for each organisation involved in the bid
 - b) Audited financial statements for last three (3) years
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PS challenges colleges to embrace technology to scale up training

BY JULIUS NDEGWA (PCO)

Colleges and Polytechnics around the world should take advantage of best practices and technological advancements in different parts of the globe to meet the growing needs of a constantly evolving labour market. Addressing the World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics Congress which ended in Montreal, Canada, The

Principal Secretary State Department for Shipping and Maritime Affairs, Mr. Shadrack Mwadime (pictured) emphasized the need for educators to collaborate and share ideas to help grow technical skills and training to the next level.

Singling out the maritime sector as a case in point, Mwadime said Kenya, like many other countries, faces challenges in acquir-



ing all the required training resources, trainers and

infrastructure for skills development to propel the industry and thereby exploit the blue economy to the maximum.

He added: "Maritime sector is a highly specialized area where equipment is very expensive." "There is therefore need for training institutions and other maritime agencies to develop partnerships and collaborations where resources,

equipment and even trainers can be shared" he said. Additionally, Mr Mwadime noted, technical training institutions are required to expand their curriculum portfolio, enhance physical infrastructure, and provide required top notch equipment and facilities to accommodate the ever rising student's population.

The 2023 World Congress was being hosted by the

World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics with Colleges and Institutes in Canada and brought together over 1500 delegates from across different parts of the globe. Under the theme 'collective intelligence' the congress aimed at building capacity, skills and knowledge required to provide labour for further transformation of the world economy.



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

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

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

The following are the anticipated impacts and proposed mitigation measures:

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

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

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

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

A copy of the EIA report can be downloaded at www.nema.go.ke

NEMA invites members of the public to submit oral or written comments within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice to the Director General, NEMA to assist the Authority in the decision making process for this project. Kindly quote ref. No. **NEMA/EIA/5/2/2073**.

Comments can also be e-mailed to dgnema@nema.go.ke

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MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION, AND IRRIGATION

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI) (CONSULTING SERVICES - INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS SELECTION)

HORN OF AFRICA - GROUND WATER FOR RESILIENCE PROJECT (HOAGW4RP)	
PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT - SENIOR GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT ADVISOR
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-344373-CS-INDV

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for the payment of consulting services for an Individual Consultant – Senior Groundwater Management Advisor.
- The Objective of the Consultancy Services will be to ensure that the project results contribute to environmentally and socially sustainable groundwater resources management in the targeted project area.
- The consulting services (*“the Services”*) include: providing overall technical oversight, quality assurance, and capacity building in the day-to-day implementation of the project activities of the Horn of Africa – Kenya Groundwater for Resilience Project Implementation Unit (PIU) at the Water Resources Authority (WRA). The consultant will support the PIU to ensure project activities, approaches, and deliverables meet the highest standards in regard to quality, safeguarding, and risk mitigation.
- The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment are available at the following website: <http://www.info@wra.go.ke>; <http://www.tenders.go.ke> or can be obtained at the address provided below.
- The Water Resources Authority now invites eligible individual consultants (*“Consultants”*) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services in the form of a curriculum vitae (CV) and other relevant testimonials, including professional and academic certificates. The shortlisting criteria are:
 - A minimum of a master’s degree in hydrogeology, water resources engineering coupled with hydrogeology certification, or groundwater management;
 - A minimum of 25 years of water resources planning and management experience with special emphasis on groundwater experience. This should be demonstrated in the equivalent to the project’s groundwater environment;
 - 10 years of experience in groundwater management and governance;
 - 10 years of experience in groundwater and climate change adaptation;
 - 10 years of experience in water supply and water resources planning preparation and supervision; and
 - 10 years of experience in Kenyan water resources
 - 10 years of experience in multi-stakeholder engagements and forums.
- The Consultant(s) will be selected in accordance with the World Bank’s Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, July 2016, revised November 2017, revised July 2018, and revised November 2020 which can be found at the following website: www.worldbank.org/procurement
- The duration of the individual consultancy services is twelve (12) months.
- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s *“Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers”* Fourth Edition November 2020 (*“Procurement Regulations”*), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.
- A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the individual consultant selection (ICS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.
- Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours [weekdays Monday to Friday 0800hrs to 1700hrs local time excluding public holidays]. Interested Consultants are required to continually check the Water Resources Authority website <http://www.info@wra.go.ke> for any additional information or clarification that may arise before the submission date.
- Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by e-mail) so as to be received on or before **Tuesday 30th May, 2023 at 1500Hours, Kenya local time. (GMT+3 hours).**

Chief Executive Officer
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Ragati Road off Ngong Road,
NHIF Building, 9th Floor Wing B
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MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION, AND IRRIGATION

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI) FOR CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION

HORN OF AFRICA - GROUND WATER FOR RESILIENCE PROJECT (HOAGW4RP)	
PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	CONSULTANCY SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE COMPREHENSIVE AQUIFER ASSESSMENTS AND THE PREPARATION OF DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS FOR NEOGENE AQUIFER SYSTEMS.
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-326581-CS-QCBS

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
 - The consulting services (*“the Services”*) include: identifying and assessing with high percentage of certainty (high precision/ resolution) the existence of both shallow (up to 250 m) and deep (deeper than 500 m), characterizing and determine the recharge mechanism and areas for groundwater resources underlying the Neogene aquifer systems and determine the recharge areas. The assignment also consists of putting in place development and management plans for the aquifer through extensive stakeholder consultation. The consultancy will provide proposals and supervision for exploratory wells as well as proposals for monitoring wells and managed aquifer recharge infrastructure.
 - The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment found at the following website: <http://www.info@wra.go.ke>; <http://www.tenders.go.ke> or can be obtained at the address provided below.
 - The Water Resources Authority now invites eligible consulting firms (*“Consultants”*) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:
 - Core business as consulting firm in the water sector within the last five (5) years. Have delivered consultancies in water resources planning, development, and management in Kenya or within the sub-Saharan region and experience in undertaking feasibility studies, detailed designs, and supervision of water related facilities/infrastructure.
 - Demonstration by consulting firm of having been involved in successful execution, completed and/or ongoing, of at least two (2) assignments of similar nature both in scope and complexity in a similar operating environment in the last five (5) years with preferably one (1) assignment, completed or ongoing, in an informal settlement or similar environment in the last five (5) years. Details of the assignment - Name and address of the client, scope, value, and period shall be provided; and
 - Technical and managerial capability of the consulting firm to undertake the assignment which should be supported by detailed company profiles providing details about staff skills, necessary tools, equipment, and software to undertake the assignment.
- Please Note: Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.**
- The Consultant(s) will be selected in accordance with the World Bank’s Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, July 2016, revised November 2017, revised August 2018 and revised November 2020 which can be found at the following website: www.worldbank.org/procurement.
 - The duration of the consultancy services is twelve (12) months, comprising six (6) months for the design phase and six (6) months for the supervision stage.
 - The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s *“Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers”* Fourth Edition November 2020 (*“Procurement Regulations”*), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.
 - Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected. However, the experience of a sub-consultant will not be considered while short-listing.
 - A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the quality cost-based selection (QCBS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.
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Ragati Road off Ngong Road,
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Email addresses: procurement@wra.go.ke / info@wra.go.ke

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@WRA KENYA, Email: wra@wra.go.ke or info@wra.go.ke website: www.wra.go.ke



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GDC opens wells in Menengai as local IPP starts power generation

BY ANNE MWALE AND DENNIS RASTO (KNA)

The Geothermal Development Company (GDC) has started opening geothermal wells at the Menengai Crater floor in preparation for a local Independent Power Producing company (IPP) that is set to start generating 35 megawatts of electricity from the steam by next month.

Geothermal exploration at Menengai started in February 2011 but since then, no power has ever been harnessed.

Sosian Energy is however on the verge of making history, having been the first IPP to generate power from some 50 wells drilled at the site.

Eng. Edwin Odum, who is attached to GDC's Resource Management Department, said five out of the targeted twelve wells have already been opened in the exercise that kicked off last week, adding that his team expected to complete the procedure within seven days.

Sosian Menengai Geothermal Power was initially scheduled to start opera-



Eng. Edwin Odum attached to GDC's Resource Management Department checks one of the targeted twelve wells that has already been opened in the exercise.

PHOTO: DENNIS RASTO

tions by September last year after receiving Sh6.5 billion funding from the China-based Zhejiang Kaishan Compressor to construct a geothermal power plant.

The two parties further entered into a 14-year Sh1.8 billion operations and maintenance of systems agreement.

The IPP will now pay GDC Sh1.7 billion per year for the next 25 years, before eventually handing over the plant to the government.

Eng. Odum explained that after opening up all the wells, the steam will be blown for a week, while be-

ing subjected to what he described as target plate test to ensure that it does not have substances that may cause damage to the power plants' turbines.

He disclosed that the target plate test will be conducted by independent engineers and if the steam is confirmed to be of good quality, it will be diverted to Sosian Energy.

He added, "The wells can cumulatively generate 105 megawatts. Our engineers and technicians have checked the steam gathering system and confirmed it is in good condition.



SOUTH EASTERN KENYA UNIVERSITY

TENDER NOTICE

South Eastern Kenya University invites sealed bids from interested, eligible bidders for Provision of services listed in the table below;

S/NO	TENDER NO	ITEM DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY	TENDER FEE
1	SEKU/PROC/ONT/013a/2022/2023 (re-advertised)	Servicing of firefighting equipment and related services.	Open	1,000.00
2	SEKU/PROC/ONT/015a/2022/2023 (re-advertised)	Provision of Sanitary Services.	Y,W & PWDs	1,000.00
3	SEKU/PROC/ONT/017/2022/2023	Disposal of Boarded stores	OPEN	1,000.00
4	SEKU/PROC/ONT/018/2022/2023	Provision of Asset Tagging services.	OPEN	1,000.00

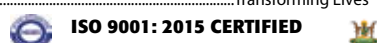
Bid documents can be downloaded and printed free of charge from the University Website www.seku.ac.ke or from the Treasury tender portal www.tenders.go.ke

Duly completed tender documents in plain sealed envelopes, marked the tender number, item name and bearing no indication of the tenderer should be addressed to:

**The Vice Chancellor,
South Eastern Kenya University,
P. O. Box 170-90200,
KITUI**

And placed in the Tender Box at the Procurement Parking Yard, Kitui Main Campus, or sent by post so as to reach the above address not later than **24th May 2023 at 10.00 AM**. Thereafter submitted bids will be opened publicly at the Procurement Parking Yard in the presence of the tenderers or their representatives who choose to attend. Late bids will be returned unopened.

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INVITATION TO TENDER

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

NO.	TENDER NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	TENDER COMMENCEMENT DATE	PRE-BID MEETING/SITE VISIT	TENDER CLOSING DATE
1.	KP1/9A.2/OT/066/CS/22-23	Procurement & Installation of Workstations/ Customer Service Centers for National Contact Center	Wednesday 10.05.2023	Wednesday, 17.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m. (Stima Plaza Auditorium)	Wednesday 24.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
2.	KP1/9A.2/OT/060/ICT/22-23	Upgrade of UPS System in Kiganjo, Lessos, Lanet and Mamboleo Control Centres	Wednesday 10.05.2023	Pre-Bid Meeting Wednesday, 16.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. (Stima Plaza, Auditorium) Mandatory Site Visit Thursday, 18.05.2023 at 2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m. (Kiganjo) Tuesday, 23.05.2023 at 11.00 a.m. - 3.00 p.m. (Mamboleo)	Wednesday 31.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
3.	KP1/9A.2/OT/087/NM/22-23	Proposed Construction Works of Transformer Inspection Sheds at Ruiru 66/11kV S/S, Kiganjo 132/33kV S/S and Chemosit 132/33kV S/S	Thursday 11.05.2023	Pre-Bid Meeting Tuesday, 16.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. Mandatory Site Visit Tuesday, 16.05.2023 at 11.00 a.m. - 10.00 p.m. (Ruiru 66/11kV Substation Located along Thika Super Highway) Wednesday, 17.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m. (Kiganjo 132/33kV Substation Located along Nyeri Nanyuki Road Branch off at Marua Junction) Thursday, 18.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 p.m. (Chemosit 132/33kV Substation Located along Kericho Bomet Road)	Wednesday 31.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
4.	KP1/9A.2/OT/081/ICT/22-23	Procurement to Review, Optimize and Renew Microsoft Licenses for a Period of Three (3) Years	Wednesday 10.05.2023	N/A	Wednesday 31.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
5.	KP1/9A.2/OT/073/ICT/22-23	Procurement of General Electronic Repair Services	Thursday 11.05.2023	N/A	Friday 26.05.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
6.	KP1/9A.2/OT/082/ICT/22-23	Renewal of Kiwi Syslog Application	Thursday 11.05.2023	N/A	Thursday 01.06.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
7.	KP1/9A.3/OT/42/22-23	Supply of Stay Blocks	Friday 12.05.2023	N/A	Thursday 08.06.2023 at 10.00 a.m.
8.	KP1/9A.3/OT/43/22-23	Supply of LV & MV Line Accessories	Friday 12.05.2023	N/A	Friday 09.06.2023 at 10.00 a.m.

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

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National council unveils initiative to eliminate HIV, teenage pregnancies

BY DAVID MUTWIRI (KNA)

The National Syndemic Diseases Control Council (NSDCC) has launched an initiative to eliminate HIV infections, Sexual Gender Based Violence and Adolescent pregnancies which pose a serious threat to the welfare of young mothers and the community at large.

The Initiative dubbed 'Jiinue Sasa' aims to bring to an end the triple threat of HIV infection, sexual gender-based violence (SGBV) and adolescent pregnancies through community dialogue that encourages parents to conduct sex education and reproductive health talks to their children.

Presiding over the event, the spouse to the Tharaka Nithi Governor Ms. Margaret Muthomi disclosed that research revealed that Tharaka Nithi County leads in teenage pregnancies and HIV infections in the country.

"Most of these teenage pregnancies, according to the research, is that they are as a result of incest," Ms.



NSDCC, CEO, Dr. Ruth Lainon Masha handing over a Mama Care kit from 'Jiinue Sasa' initiative to mothers during the launch of the initiative at Chuka Picnic Grounds in Tharaka Nithi County. PHOTO: BEATRICE MWENDE

Muthomi lamented.

"The only solution to these threats is to hold candid conversations with the children and report the matter to the authorities and escalate to higher levels if there is no action

Most of these teenage pregnancies are as a result of incest," Mrs Muthomi

taken. "If the chief does not act, seek assistance from the police or even the Deputy County Commissioner. Gone are the days when parents were ashamed of conducting sex education and reproductive health to their children," added the County first spouse.

She further disclosed that in some parts of the county, there are people still conducting Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) which poses a big threat to the health and lives of those children who

undergo the cut.

NSDCC, Chief Executive Officer Dr. Ruth Lainon Masha said the triple threats, especially adolescent pregnancies, infringe on young people's fundamental rights to complete education, leading to the loss of economic opportunities.

Dr. Masha underscored the fact that the body no longer tolerates "Kangaroo courts" and will hold into account anybody holding talks or meetings with a perpetrator without taking that person to a court of law.

"I will ensure that the findings from the headquarters in Nairobi are used at the community level to help people living with the triple threats. I will work with community health volunteers among other people to ensure that they are eliminated," the CEO said.

The Director General of the National Council of Population Development (NCPD), Dr. Mohamed Sheikh highlighted the national pandemics, and their efforts in tackling them as they are multi-faceted and affecting everyone around.

Experts engage Kenyans on EAC confederation

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mented that the overwhelming majority of the citizens of the EAC are yet to acknowledge the status of integration, let alone the potential opportunities available for them in the region.

"Those in the know will testify to the challenges, fears, suspicions and mistrust that have oftentimes arisen in our quest for the establishment of EAC's political confederation. Each gain made in configuring the Confederation is a further step towards the realization of the Federation," observed the CS.

She said the Community has entrusted its stakeholders' consultative process to a team of eminent constitutional experts under the leadership of former Chief Justice of Uganda, Justice (Rtd) Dr. Benjamin Odoki, with Kenya's former long-serving Attorney General Amos Wako as his Vice Chair.

"This team of regional constitutional experts will listen and engage Kenyans from all the 47 counties on what type of confederal constitution EAC should have. I encourage women, religious, youth, civil society, and the academia and business leaders to participate," she said.

The CS said the key areas of interest for the experts will centre around cooperation under the political confederation; the governing structure of the political confederation; modes of decision-making by the confederal authority and governance principles of the confederation.

"Others areas include the relationship between individual partner states and the confederal authority; funding of the operations of the confederal authority; the mode of adoption of the constitution establishing the political confederation; and any other constitutional issues of concern to stakeholders," Miano said.



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KEMRI seeks to recruit qualified, dynamic, innovative and experienced persons to fill the following positions:-

S/No.	Position	Advert No.	Grade	No. of vacancies
1.	Director, Corporate Services	2/5/2023	KMR 2	1
2.	Deputy Director, Human Resource Management	4/5/2023	KMR 3	1

Please visit the KEMRI website www.kemri.go.ke for more details on the advertisement and the application process.

Interested and qualified persons are required to submit their applications ONLINE through the KEMRI website: www.kemri.go.ke/career-e-recruitment Portal by enclosing detailed CV, copies of academic and professional certificates, email address, telephone contact, details and contact information for three referees, should be received on or before 31st May, 2023 by 5:00pm (East African Time).

KEMRI is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity; persons with disability, women, youth and those from marginalized areas are encouraged to apply. KEMRI does not charge a fee at any stage of its recruitment process including application, interview and processing of offer letter. If asked for a fee, report such request immediately.

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Ag. Director General

KENYA MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE



NATIONAL OPEN TENDER

The National Irrigation Authority invites sealed tenders for the following:

S.NO.	TENDER NO.	TENDER NAME	TENDER SUBMISSION DEADLINE	TARGET GROUP
1.	NIA/T/191/2022-2023	Rehabilitation Works of Chepchobit Earth Dam, Moiben Constituency, Uasin Gishu County	16th June 2023 at 12.00 noon local time	General

Detailed tender document that include mandatory preliminary requirements, technical and financial evaluation criteria may be viewed and obtained by interested and eligible tenderers free of charge from the Authority's website: <http://www.irrigation.go.ke/tenders> from 12th May 2023. Tenderers who intend to submit their tenders MUST promptly submit their names and contact details to: purchasing@irrigation.go.ke or ceo@irrigation.go.ke for communication of any clarification(s) and addendum (s) during the tendering process.

Physical Address

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National Irrigation Authority (NIA)
Irrigation House,

Lenana Road, Hurlingham, Nairobi, Kenya

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Makueni to put up a talent centre to promote sports

BY PATRICK NYAKUNDI
(KNA)

Makueni County Government will construct a Talent Centre in Wote town to promote sports talent in the area.

Governor Mutula Kilonzo Jnr said the centre will accommodate both outdoor and indoor sports activities geared towards improving sports among the youth in the county.

"During the flagging off ceremony of the Makueni team to Tharaka Nithi, we agreed on a number of programmes or projects aimed at promoting sports talents and competition at all levels in the county namely: the construction of a talent centre in Wote town, strategic partnerships for sports sponsorship and promotion of sports activities in Makueni," said Governor Mutula, outside his Wote office



Governor Mutula Kilonzo Jnr addressing Makueni team that represented the county in KYISA games in Tharaka Nithi.

when he received Makueni team which represented the county at Tharaka Nithi

I am overjoyed to receive the teams and individuals awards from you all

during the Kenya Youth Intercounty Sports Association (KYISA) games.

He asked the Directorate of Youth and Sports to ensure the targeted groups are organized for them to be empowered economically.

During the event, Mutula lauded the team for their exemplary performance during the just concluded event where they won many

trophies both at team and individual levels.

"I am overjoyed to receive the teams and individuals awards for best football team (ladies), basketball (men), runners-up basketball (ladies) and most disciplined team (volleyball men). Individual awards top scorer basketball men, basketball ladies and best player basketball, best goalkeeper ladies, best player ladies and golden boot top scorer ladies," he observed.

Mutula reminded the youth who were aged 23 and below that they will go to places and get jobs if they focus on sporting activities, saying they will earn a living and combat unemployment in the county. Speaking at the event, the Department of Youth, Gender, Sports and Social Services Executive Committee Member (CECM) Nicolas Nzioka said he had written a cabinet memo geared towards getting land to construct the

talent centre.

"I have written a cabinet memo to get land and if approved, the Department of Lands will provide land for the construction of the talent centre in Wote town," said Nzioka.

On his part, the Football Kenya Federation (FKF) Southern Branch Chairman Mr. Antony Makau promised that his organization will have training clinics for referees and coaches in Makueni.



National Transport and Safety Authority

JOB ADVERTISEMENT

The National Transport and Safety Authority (NTSA) is a State Corporation established through an Act of Parliament; Act Number 33 of 26th October 2012. The Authority is mandated to effectively manage the road transport sub-sector, minimizing road traffic accidents and loss of lives resulting therefrom.

Pursuant to this mandate, the Authority seeks to recruit highly motivated, and results oriented candidates to fill the following positions:

S/ No.	Position	Grade	No of vacancies	Position Ref. No.
1.	Director, Corporate Support Services	NTSA 2	1	NTSA/05/2023/08
2.	Director, Motor Vehicle Inspection and Safety Audits	NTSA 2	1	NTSA/05/2023/09
3.	Director, Registration & Licensing	NTSA 2	1	NTSA/05/2023/10
4.	Manager, ICT Business Systems and Projects	NTSA 4	1	NTSA/05/2023/11
5.	Manager, HR & Administration	NTSA 4	1	NTSA/05/2023/12
6.	Manager, Safety Audit & Inspection	NTSA 4	2	NTSA/05/2023/13
7.	Manager, Registration	NTSA 4	1	NTSA/05/2023/14
8.	Principal Records Officer	NTSA 6	1	NTSA/05/2023/15
9.	Principal Audit Officer - Systems	NTSA 6	1	NTSA/05/2023/16
10.	Principal Engineer Road Safety	NTSA 6	1	NTSA/05/2023/18
11.	Principal Legal Officer	NTSA 6	1	NTSA/05/2023/19
12.	Security Officer	NTSA 8	2	NTSA/05/2023/20
13.	Engineer II Road Safety	NTSA 8	4	NTSA/05/2023/22

Candidates interested in the above position can access the role profiles, qualification and experience requirements detailed in our website www.ntsago.ke. Applications should be deposited at the **Authority's Head Office Reception, 316 Upper Hill Chambers Ground floor, 2nd Ngong Avenue**, or posted to;

**The Director General,
National Transport and Safety Authority,
P.O. Box 3602-00506,
NAIROBI**

All applications should be received not later than 5:00 p.m. on **Tuesday 23rd May 2023**

NTSA is an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity and gender equality. Youth, Women and Persons with Disability are encouraged to apply. Please note that only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.

Any form of canvassing shall lead to automatic disqualification.

DIRECTOR GENERAL



National Transport and Safety Authority

ROAD SAFETY CLINIC FACT SHEET

WHAT IS THE OBJECTIVE OF THE CLINIC ?

Following an increase in road carnage in the recent past, the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Roads and Transport outlined several safety measures for implementation by various agencies and stakeholders. Among the measures was the formation of a multi-agency clinic to enhance road safety education and ascertaining the functionality of speed limiters on all public service vehicles and commercial vehicles with tare weight of 3049kgs and above.

IS THERE A LEGAL FRAMEWORK GUIDING THE EXERCISE?

The entire exercise is guided by the;

- Traffic Act, CAP 403
- National Transport and Safety Authority (Operation of Public Service Vehicles) Regulations, 2014
- Traffic (Driving Schools, Driving Instructors and Driving Licences) Rules, 2018
- National Transport and Safety Authority (Operation of Motorcycles) Regulations, 2015
- KS 2295-2018 on Maximum road speed limiters for motor vehicles
- KS 372-2019 on Passenger vehicle body construction
- Tourism Regulatory Authority Regulations, 2014

WHICH AGENCIES /STAKEHOLDERS ARE INVOLVED IN THE CLINIC?

The exercise involves several stakeholders including;

- i) National Police Service
- ii) National Transport and Safety Authority
- iii) Public Transport Operators
- iv) Commercial Transport Operators
- v) Speed Limiter Vendors
- vi) Boda Boda Operators

WHAT ARE THE ROLES OF THE AGENCIES/ STAKEHOLDERS?

- i) **National Police Service:** Enforcement of traffic rules and maintaining law and order.
- ii) **National Transport and Safety Authority:** Providing technical support in term of; **identification** of the violations relating to motor **inspection, verification** of licenses, qualification **assessment** (driver / conductors), **badge** verification, assessment of **PSV** and commercial vehicles (tare weight of 3049Kgs and above) speed **limiter** functionality.
- iii) **Public Transport operators:** **Presenting** vehicles at the clinics and making them **available** at the time of the check.
- iv) **Commercial Transport Operators:** Presenting vehicles at the clinics and making them **available** at the time of the check.
- v) **Speed Limiter Vendors:** Checking the functionality of the speed limiters in terms of
 - Ability to **limit** speed,
 - **Recording** and **storing** speed data for 72 hours,
 - Transmitting data to both the NTSA and the vendor servers every **5 seconds** as per the requirements of KS 2295-2018,
 - Speed limiter **onboarding** and **configuration** to ensure transmission.
- vi) **Boda Boda Operators:** **Compliance** with traffic rules and regulations

WHAT DOCUMENTATION SHOULD ONE PRESENT AT THE CLINIC?

The following documentation will be required;

- National ID cards for both the driver and conductor
- Speed limiter certificate for the specific vehicle

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A VEHICLE FAILS THE EXERCISE?

The vehicle will be issued with a prohibition order, booked, and presented for compliance inspection at the NTSA inspection centre.

HOW MUCH DOES THE EXERCISE COST?

The clinic is a multi-agency initiative and is **FREE OF CHARGE**.

WHAT ARE THE EXPECTED OUTCOMES OF THE EXERCISE?

With the support of various stakeholders, media and the public, we expect;

- Behavior and attitude change among road users
- Improved road safety compliance by PSV, commercial vehicles and Boda Boda operators
- All public service vehicles and commercial vehicles (tare weight of 3049Kgs and above) operating with functional speed limiters
- Enhanced collaboration among various stakeholders in road safety management

For enquiries about the road safety clinic, members of the public may reach the Authority through info@ntsago.ke.

George Njao, EBS
DIRECTOR GENERAL



#NTSARoadSafetyClinic



MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION, AND IRRIGATION

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI) FOR CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION

HORN OF AFRICA - GROUND WATER FOR RESILIENCE PROJECT (HOAGW4RP)	
PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	CONSULTANCY SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE COMPREHENSIVE AQUIFER ASSESSMENTS AND THE PREPARATION OF DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS FOR NAPUU AND LOTIKIPI AQUIFER SYSTEMS.
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-326567-CS-QCBS

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
- The consulting services ("the Services") include: identifying and assessing with high percentage of certainty (high precision/ resolution) the existence of both shallow (up to 250 m) and deep (deeper than 500 m), characterize and determine the recharge mechanism and areas for groundwater resources underlying the Napuu and Lotikipi aquifer systems and determine the recharge areas. The assignment also consists of putting in place development and management plans for the aquifer through extensive stakeholder consultation. The consultancy will provide proposals and supervision for exploratory wells as well as proposals for monitoring wells and managed aquifer recharge infrastructure.
- The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment found at the following website: <http://www.info@wra.go.ke>; <http://www.tenders.go.ke> or can be obtained at the address provided below.
- The Water Resources Authority now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:
 - Core business as a consulting firm in the water sector within the last five (5) years. Have delivered consultancies in water resources planning, development, and management in Kenya or within the sub-Saharan region and experience in undertaking feasibility studies, detailed designs, and supervision of water-related facilities/infrastructure).
 - Demonstration by consulting firm of having been involved in successful execution, completed and/or ongoing, of at least two (2) assignment of similar nature both in scope and complexity in similar operating environment in the last ten (5) years with preferably one (1) assignment, completed or ongoing, in an informal settlement or similar environment in the last five (5) years. Details of the assignment - Name and address of the client, scope, value, and period shall be provided; and
 - Technical and managerial capability of the consulting firm to undertake the assignment which should be supported by detailed company profiles providing details about staff skills, necessary tools, equipment, and software to undertake the assignment.

Please Note: Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

- The Consultant(s) will be selected in accordance with the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, July 2016, revised November 2017, revised August 2018, and revised November 2020 which can be found at the following website: www.worldbank.org/procurement.
- The duration of the consultancy services is twelve (12) months, comprising six (6) months for the design phase and five (6) months for the supervision phase.
- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" Fourth Edition November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
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HORN OF AFRICA - GROUND WATER FOR RESILIENCE PROJECT (HOAGW4RP)	
PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	CONSULTANCY SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE COMPREHENSIVE AQUIFER ASSESSMENTS AND THE PREPARATION OF DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS FOR MERTI AQUIFER SYSTEMS.
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-327493-CS-QCBS

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI) FOR CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION

HORN OF AFRICA - GROUND WATER FOR RESILIENCE PROJECT (HoAGW4RP)	
PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	CONSULTING SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE FEASIBILITY STUDIES, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION OF MANAGED AQUIFER RECHARGE INFRASTRUCTURE (MAR) IN THE FIVE COUNTIES OF TURKANA, MARSABIT, MANDE-RA, WAJIR, AND GARISSA.
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-326561-CS-QCBS

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
- The consulting services ("the Services") include: providing expertise towards site identification and investigation, feasibility studies, detailed designs, and construction supervision for Managed Aquifer Recharge (MARs) infrastructures for aquifer areas in the five Counties, Turkana, Marsabit, Mandera, Wajir, and Garissa and undertake all relevant technical studies, field investigations, detailed designs, tender documents preparation, Environmental Social Impact Assessments (ESIAs) and construction supervision of the designed infrastructures.
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PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	CONSULTANCY TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM.
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-327494-CS-QCBS

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
- The consulting services ("the Services") include: supporting design, and develop and implementation of online groundwater knowledge and database management information system (i.e., GWIS) and a Mobile App. The GWIS shall incorporate the existing data and the data that will be collected through a parallel consultancy that will be collecting existing groundwater data in Kenya. The developed GWIS and mobile app should ensure the key hydrogeological data (including temporal and spatial, remote sensing and ground-based data) in the selected aquifers can be easily accessed by the key stakeholders, and seamlessly integrated with other relevant datasets (e.g., surface water data, water quality data, demographic data, water use and supply data) to facilitate sustainable groundwater management in the HoA in the long term. To be specific, the GWIS is expected to 1) be customized to the strategic workflow and needs of WRA, 2) be of high quality for evidence-based decision making
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 - At least one (1) web-based software and mobile Project development
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 - The Consultancy firm must demonstrate experience and/or provide a plan for working in areas with security challenges

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 - The Consultancy firm should demonstrate and qualify with evidence that within the last five (5) years (2017-2022) they have delivered similar consultancies in web-based and Mobile applications software development and management. The Consultancy firm must provide evidence of the following
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 - In the documentation of the reference projects, the Consultant shall also clearly state the duration of consultancy/development, level of stakeholder consultation, and investment cost.
 - The Consultant must be registered with a regulatory body in Kenya or the firm's base country of origin or where they operate from.
 - The consulting firm will be composed of National and or international professionals. Lead professionals should be able to provide leadership, oversight and coordination, ensure proper integration and quality of findings and results, fill capacity gaps, and bring advanced skills and global experience to the assignment. Inclusion of locals into the team would also contribute to important local capacity building

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

The proponent, **Athi Water Works Development Agency**, proposes to construct a sewerage treatment plant that consists of laying of 29KMs to serve Kangema Town and surrounding environs, construction of 9No. waste stabilization ponds (3No. anaerobic ponds, 2No. facultative ponds and 4No. maturation ponds) designed to treat 2,500m³ per day, inlet works, associated facilities and amenities in Kangema Town, Murang'a County.

The following are the anticipated impacts and proposed mitigation measures:

Impacts	Mitigation measures
Vegetation Clearing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compensatory planting of trees Vegetation should only be cleared along the project corridors and where it will interfere with project construction and/or present hazards. The local community should be given a chance to harvest the targeted vegetation if they wish so Areas to be cleared should be agreed and demarcated before the start of the clearing operations to minimize exposure. Also, stage vegetation clearance is recommended.
Air Quality Pollution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain construction equipment at high operational conditions to control emissions into the air. Notify the immediate neighborhoods on the potential odors during the excavations. Use of sprinklers to regularly water construction sites, this suppresses the dust menace at construction sites. People working in the sites with dust emissions to use dust masks to prevent respiratory infections.
Excessive Vibrations and Noise Pollution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avoid night time construction when noise is loudest. Conduct periodic noise measuring and monitoring to determine levels and extent of harmful noise. Clearly label the high noise areas. Provide personal protective equipment (PPE) to persons operating within or visit identified high noise areas. Sensitize truck drivers to avoid hooting especially when passing through sensitive areas such as churches, residential areas and hospitals.
Impact on soil resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earthwork should be controlled so that the land that is not required for the project works is not disturbed. Wherever possible, earthwork should be carried out during the dry season to prevent soil from being washed away by the rains. Excavated materials and excess earth should be areas cleared for improving sight distance should be planted with grass to reduce erosion.
Impact on water resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No grey water run off or uncontrolled discharges from the site/working areas (including wash down areas) to adjacent Karuchu stream shall be permitted. Water containing such pollutants as cements, concrete, lime, chemicals and fuels shall be discharged into a conservancy tank for the removal from site where applicable. The contractor shall also prevent run off loaded with sediments and other suspended materials from the site/working areas from discharging to Karuchu stream. Site compounds and stockpiles will be located away from Karuchu stream.
Solid waste management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contouring of spoil site to approximate natural topography and drainage and/or reduce erosion impacts on the site The contractor shall ensure that the placement of spoil is done in such a manner to minimize the spread of materials and the impact on surrounding vegetation and that no materials creep into no-go zone areas.
Land take	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undertake a Resettlement Action Plan, which will act as guide for the compensation activities.
Labor Influx Impact	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective community engagement and strong grievance mechanisms on matters related to labor. Effective contractual obligations for the contractor to adhere to the mitigation of risk against labor influx, the contractor should engage a local community liaison person as provided for in chapter 6 Proper records of labor force on site while avoiding child and forced labor. Comply to provision of WIBA 2007
Human Right and Gender Inclusivity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mainstream Gender Inclusivity in hiring of workers and entire Project Management as required by Gender Policy 2011 and 2/3 Gender Rule. The existing community structures headed by location chief should be involved in local labor hire, emphasize the requirement of hiring women, youth and people with disability Protecting Human Risk Areas associated with, Disadvantaged Groups, Interfering with Participation Rights and interfering with Labor Rights

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Increase in Transmission of HIV/AIDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sensitize workers and the surrounding communities on awareness, prevention and management of HIV/AIDS and sexual health and rights through staff training, awareness and campaigns, multimedia and workshops or during community Barazas Use existing clinics to provide VCT service to construction crew and provision of ARVs for vulnerable community members Ensure safety of women and girls in provision of VCT services
Health Impact spread of Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The contractor will develop SOPs for managing the spread of Covid-19 during project execution and submit them for the approval of the Supervision Engineer and the client before mobilizing the site. The SOPs shall be in line with the AFDB guidance on covid-19, Ministry of Health Directives and site-specific project conditions All workers and visitors accessing worksites every day or attending meetings shall be subjected to rapid Covid-19 screening which may include temperature check and other vital signs Ensure routine sanitization of shared social facilities and other communal places routinely including wiping of workstations, door knobs, handrails etc Electronic means of consulting stakeholders and holding meetings shall be encouraged whenever feasible
Traffic Impacts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The contractor shall develop a traffic management plan ; The contractor shall provide temporary road signs or notices to indicate ongoing works. The contractor together with the Residential Engineer should plan itineraries for site traffic on a daily basis and avoid peak traffic periods. The contractor should effect traffic controls and cleanliness to avoid congestion and truck accidents on roads. Designates loading/unloading areas.
Sexual Exploitation and Abuse	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop and implement a SEA action plan with an Accountability and Response Framework as part of the C-ESMP. The SEA action plan will follow guidance on AfDB Good Practice note for addressing Gender-based Violence in investment project financing involving Major Civil Works (Sept 2018) The SEA action plan will include how the project will ensure necessary steps are in place for Prevention of SEA; including COCs and ongoing sensitization of staff on responsibilities related to the COC and consequences of non-compliance; project-level IEC materials
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC TO SUBMIT COMMENTS ON AN ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDY REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED KIGUMO TOWN SEWERAGE PROJECT, MURANG'A COUNTY

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

The proponent, **Athi Water Works Development Agency**, proposes to construct a sewerage treatment plant that consists of laying of 7.9Km double wall corrugated HDPE pipes (sizes 200mm to 300mm), construction of 9No. Waste stabilization ponds (1No. anaerobic ponds, 2No. facultative ponds and 6No. maturation ponds) designed to treat 957m³ per day, inlet Works, associated facilities and amenities in Kigumo Town, Murang'a County.

The following are the anticipated impacts and proposed mitigation measures:

Impacts	Mitigation measures
Vegetation Clearing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Compensatory planting of trees Vegetation should only be cleared along the project corridors and where it will interfere with project construction and/or present hazards. The local community should be given a chance to harvest the targeted vegetation if they wish so Areas to be cleared should be agreed and demarcated before the start of the clearing operations to minimize exposure. Also, stage vegetation clearance is recommended.
Air Quality Pollution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maintain construction equipment at high operational conditions to control emissions into the air. Notify the immediate neighborhoods on the potential odors during the excavations. Use of sprinklers to regularly water construction sites, this suppresses the dust menace at construction sites. People working in the sites with dust emissions to use dust masks to prevent respiratory infections.
Excessive Vibrations and Noise Pollution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avoid night time construction when noise is loudest. Conduct periodic noise measuring and monitoring to determine levels and extent of harmful noise. Clearly label the high noise areas. Provide personal protective equipment (PPE) to persons operating within or visit identified high noise areas. Sensitize truck drivers to avoid hooting especially when passing through sensitive areas such as churches, residential areas and hospitals.
Impact on soil resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earthwork should be controlled so that the land that is not required for the project works is not disturbed. Wherever possible, earthwork should be carried out during the dry season to prevent soil from being washed away by the rains. Excavated materials and excess earth should be areas cleared for improving sight distance should be planted with grass to reduce erosion.
Impact on water resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No grey water run off or uncontrolled discharges from the site/working areas (including wash down areas) to adjacent Karuchu stream shall be permitted. Water containing such pollutants as cements, concrete, lime, chemicals and fuels shall be discharged into a conservancy tank for the removal from site where applicable. The contractor shall also prevent run off loaded with sediments and other suspended materials from the site/working areas from discharging to Karuchu stream. Site compounds and stockpiles will be located away from Karuchu stream.
Solid waste management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contouring of spoil site to approximate natural topography and drainage and/or reduce erosion impacts on the site The contractor shall ensure that the placement of spoil is done in such a manner to minimize the spread of materials and the impact on surrounding vegetation and that no materials creep into no-go zone areas.
Land take	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Undertake a Resettlement Action Plan, which will act as guide for the compensation activities.
Labor Influx Impact	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective community engagement and strong grievance mechanisms on matters related to labor. Effective contractual obligations for the contractor to adhere to the mitigation of risk against labor influx, the contractor should engage a local community liaison person as provided for in chapter 6 Proper records of labor force on site while avoiding child and forced labor. Comply to provision of WIBA 2007
Human Right and Gender Inclusivity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mainstream Gender Inclusivity in hiring of workers and entire Project Management as required by Gender Policy 2011 and 2/3 Gender Rule. The existing community structures headed by location chief should be involved in local labor hire, emphasize the requirement of hiring women, youth and people with disability Protecting Human Risk Areas associated with, Disadvantaged Groups, Interfering with Participation Rights and interfering with Labor Rights

Impacts	Mitigation measures
Child protection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The contractor will develop and implement a Child Protection Strategy that will ensure minors are protected against negative impacts associated by the project including Sexual Exposure and Abuse (SEA). All staff of the contractor must sign, committing themselves towards protecting children, which clearly defines what is and is not acceptable behavior. Children under the age of 18 years should not be hired on site as provided by the Child Rights Act (Amendment Bill)2014 Comply with all relevant local legislation, including labor laws in relation to child labor specifically provisions of Kenya Employment Act Cap 226 of 2007 part VII on protection of children against exploitation
Increase in Transmission of HIV/AIDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sensitize workers and the surrounding communities on awareness, prevention and management of HIV/AIDS and sexual health and rights through staff training, awareness and campaigns, multimedia and workshops or during community Barazas Use existing clinics to provide VCT service to construction crew and provision of ARVs for vulnerable community members Ensure safety of women and girls in provision of VCT services
Health Impact spread of Covid-19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The contractor will develop SOPs for managing the spread of Covid-19 during project execution and submit them for the approval of the Supervision Engineer and the client before mobilizing the site. The SOPs shall be in line with the AfDB guidance on covid-19, Ministry of Health Directives and site-specific project conditions All workers and visitors accessing worksites every day or attending meetings shall be subjected to rapid Covid-19 screening which may include temperature check and other vital signs Ensure routine sanitization of shared social facilities and other communal places routinely including wiping of workstations, door knobs, handrails etc Electronic means of consulting stakeholders and holding meetings shall be encouraged whenever feasible
Traffic Impacts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The contractor shall develop a traffic management plan ; The contractor shall provide temporary road signs or notices to indicate ongoing works. The contractor together with the Residential Engineer should plan itineraries for site traffic on a daily basis and avoid peak traffic periods. The contractor should effect traffic controls and cleanliness to avoid congestion and truck accidents on roads. Designates loading/unloading areas.
Sexual Exploitation and Abuse	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop and implement a SEA action plan with an Accountability and Response Framework as part of the C-ESMP. The SEA action plan will follow guidance on AfDB Good Practice note for addressing Gender-based Violence in investment project financing involving Major Civil Works (Sept 2018) The SEA action plan will include how the project will ensure necessary steps are in place for Prevention of SEA; including COCs and ongoing sensitization of staff on responsibilities related to the COC and consequences of non-compliance; project-level IEC materials
Occupational Health and Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notify public the intent to cut sections of the road for safety precautions Provide signage and safety information in all work areas. Ensure compliance by workers with safety safeguards including the OHS, provision of safety gear and enforcement of application. Provide onsite first aid kit accessible by workers in need. Install barriers along walkways, crossing and public places affected by the works for public safety. Where there is potential for nuisance from dust generation, ensure earth moving is under dump conditions (consider water where necessary). Inform immediate communities or stakeholders of the activities.

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

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

A copy of the EIA report can be downloaded at www.nema.go.ke

NEMA invites members of the public to submit oral or written comments within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice to the Director General, NEMA to assist the Authority in the decision making process for this project. Kindly quote ref. No. **NEMA/EIA/5/2/2052**.

Comments can also be e-mailed to dgnema@nema.go.ke

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Ministry partners with stakeholders to fight malnutrition in Garissa



Tom Omollo, the Garissa County Unicef Project manager addressing the press at a Garissa hotel during the launch of a response programme to malnutrition among children, pregnant and lactating mothers.

BY ERICK KYALO (KNA)

The Ministry of Health, in collaboration with Garissa County Government and a Non-Governmental Organization, Terre des Hommes (TDH) has launched a Nutrition Response Programme to curb malnutrition prevalence in children, pregnant and lactating mothers in Garissa County.

The program aims at addressing the nutrition and health needs of the vulnerable populations in the county as a result of the immediate drought emergency as well as strengthening community and facility level nutrition services and hygiene promotion. According to Tom Omollo, UNICEF's Project Manager in Garissa County, the nutrition situation among children in the county remains very critical as over 60,000 children are suffering from malnutrition, with 17,000

of them severely malnourished.

"The county government has been working very closely with other partners and United Nations agencies to mount intervention measures to address the response to the cases of malnutrition," Omollo said.

"Through this response, we have been able to reach many children. Last year alone, over 7,000 malnourished children were treated as a result of partners' collaborations. This year, we have been able to screen all children between six and 59 months and pregnant mothers," he added.

Omollo said that due to the concerted efforts of all players in the sector, malnourished children and mothers identified in the screening process have been treated on site, with others referred to hospitals, thus making sure that no death has been reported as a result.



PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS BOARD

TENDER NOTICE

The Pest Control Products Board is a statutory organization of the Kenya Government established under the Pest Control Product Act, Cap 346 Laws of Kenya of 1982, to regulate the importation, exportation, manufacture, distribution, use and disposal of pest control products. The organization invites sealed bids for supply, installation and commissioning of laboratory equipment at PCPB HQ.

Interested and eligible bidders may obtain further information from PCPB website:

**The applications should be addressed to:-
The Chief Executive Officer/ Secretary
P.O.Box13794-00800
NAIROBI**

For further details on requirements and how to apply for the tender, please visit our website www.pcpb.go.ke or www.tenders.go.ke and be deposited in the tender box located at **PCPB HQ, Loresho, off waiyaki way on or before 23rd May 2023 at 11:00 East African Time. Late bids will be rejected.**



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION AND IRRIGATION

WATER SECTOR TRUST FUND



NOTICE FOR REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS FOR FINANCIAL YEARS 2023-2025

Water Sector Trust Fund (WaterFund) is a State Corporation under the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation and established under the Water Act, 2016, Section 113, with the mandate to provide conditional and unconditional grants to the Counties and to assist in financing the development of and management of water and sanitation services in the marginalised and underserved areas.

To enhance the capacity of the WaterFund in carrying out its mandate, we are in the process of registering suppliers for provision of goods, works and services for the period 2023-2025 Financial Years. **Currently registered service providers who wish to be retained in the register should apply and submit up-to-date information as requested in the registration document.**

REFERENCE NO.	DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY
CATEGORY A: SUPPLY OF GOODS		
WSTF/A/01/2023-2025	Supply of general and printed stationery	Special groups
WSTF/A/02/2023-2025	Supply of computers, electronic equipment and related accessories and consumables	Open
WSTF/A/03/2023-2025	Supply of motor vehicle tyres, tubes and batteries	Special groups
WSTF/A/04/2023-2025	Supply of staff uniforms	Special groups
WSTF/A/05/2023-2025	Supply, repair and maintenance of office furniture, furnishings and fitting, curtains and window blinds	Open
WSTF/A/06/2023-2025	Supply of calling & scratch cards, satellite phones airtime	Special groups
WSTF/A/07/2023-2025	Supply and delivery of clean drinking water	Special groups
WSTF/A/08/2023-2025	Design and printing services for promotional items (T-shirts, umbrellas, caps, and banners)	Special groups
WSTF/A/09/2023-2025	Supply and maintenance of PABX, telephone heads and other telecommunication equipment and spares, satellite phones	Special groups
WSTF/A/10/2023-2025	Supply and delivery sanitary, cleaning materials and Detergents	Open
CATEGORY B: PROVISION OF SERVICES		
WSTF/B/11/2023-2025	Provision of insurance brokerage services (Motor Vehicles, Fire, Burglary & Fidelity)	Open
WSTF/B/12/2023-2025	Provision of insurance brokerage services (Medical services, Group personal accident (GPA) and Group Life (GL).	Open
WSTF/B/13/2023-2025	Provision of air ticketing agency services	Open
WSTF/B/14/2023-2025	Provision of office cleaning services	Special groups
WSTF/B/15/2023-2025	Supply, repair, maintenance and servicing of office furniture/equipment	Special groups
WSTF/B/16/2023-2025	Provision of ICT consultancy services and support services	Open
WSTF/B/17/2023-2025	Provision of taxi and car hire services (Saloon cars, vans, mini buses and buses)	Special groups
WSTF/B/18/2023-2025	Provision of mail delivery and courier services	Open
WSTF/B/19/2023-2025	Provision of team building and change management services	Open
WSTF/B/20/2023-2025	Provision of HR management consultancy	Open
WSTF/B/21/2023-2025	PR/Advertising services (design, layout & printing of newsletters, booklets, strategic plan, brochures, etc.)	Special groups
WSTF/B/22/2023-2025	Provision of legal services	Open
WSTF/B/23/2023-2025	Provision of photography & audio-visual production/ filming and documentary services	Open
WSTF/B/24/2023-2025	Market research / institutional survey consultancy services	Open
WSTF/B/25/2023-2025	Provision of fumigation and pest control services and sanitary support services	Open
WSTF/B/26/2023-2025	Provision of event planning/management and decoration services	Open
WSTF/B/27/2023-2025	Provision of occupational health, safety and environment services	Open

REFERENCE NO.	DESCRIPTION	ELIGIBILITY
WSTF/B/28/2023-2025	Provision of motor vehicle repairs and maintenance services (Provide certificate for Ministry of Public Works Government approved garages)	Open
WSTF/B/29/2023-2025	Provision of web design, hosting and maintenance consultancy services	Open
WSTF/B/30/2023-2025	Provision for development of corporate communications strategy consultancy services	Open
WSTF/B/31/2023-2025	Provision of HR Recruitment Consultancy Services	Open
WSTF/B/32/2023-2025	Provision of outside catering services	Open
WSTF/B/33/2023-2025	Provision of public relations and communication consultancy services and support services	Open
WSTF/B/34/2023-2025	Provision of clearing and forwarding agency services	Open
WSTF/B/35/2023-2025	Provision of hotel conference and accommodation - Nairobi, Mombasa, Kilifi, Lamu, Tana River, Garissa, Wajir, Mandera, Isiolo, Nakuru/Naivasha, Turkana, Kajiado, Taita Taveta, Machakos, Marsabit, West Pokot, Eldoret, Samburu, Kitui, Baringo	Open
WSTF/B/36/2023-2025	Provision of valuation, asset marking & tagging	Open
CATEGORY C: PROVISION OF WORKS		
WSTF/C/37/2023-2025	Provision of small works services (Repairs, partitioning, renovation and painting services) Mandatory NCA registration	Open
WSTF/C/38/2023-2025	Provision of electrical works (EPRA registration requirement and NCA registration)	Open

Interested suppliers and service providers are directed to download registration tender document **free of charge** from WaterFund Tenders' portal <http://waterfund.go.ke/downloads/tenders> or from the PPIP tender portal.

Completed registration of suppliers documents should be submitted in plain, sealed envelopes clearly indicating the **Tender Reference Number (WSTF/PR/2023-2025)** and **Category Description** being applied for (**separate document per category**) and deposited in the Tender Box marked **"REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS"** located at WaterFund reception on or before **24th May 2023 at 10.00AM** and be addressed to:

**Chief Executive Officer
Water Sector Trust Fund
1st Floor CIC-Plaza, Mara Road, Upper Hill
PO BOX 49699-00100, Nairobi**

Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend while observing Ministry of Health prescribed COVID-19 protocols. Late submissions shall not be accepted.

LARGE TENDERS THAT CANNOT FIT IN THE TENDER BOX SHALL BE REGISTERED AT WATERFUND RECEPTION.

WaterFund reserves the right to accept or reject any application in part or in whole and is not bound to give reasons for its decision.

Youth, Women and Persons with Disabilities (preference categories) service providers registered with the National Treasury are encouraged to continue registering.

The list of the successful bidders will be posted on our website by **28th June, 2023.**

WaterFund is the Winner of prestigious 2021 United Nations Public Service Awards (UNPSA). For more information, see: <https://waterfund.go.ke/2021unpsa>

For WaterFund's complaints and access to information procedures and redress mechanisms, kindly follow the link: <https://waterfund.go.ke/access2info>

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY PRESIDENT

TENDER NOTICE

The Office of the Deputy President invites applications from interested and eligible bidders for the registration of suppliers, consultants and contractors for use on 'as and when required basis' in the Financial Years 2023/2024 and 2024/2025 ending on 30th June 2025 in the following listed categories:-

NO.	CATEGORY NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION OF GOODS, WORKS AND SERVICES	ELIGIBILITY/RESERVED
CATEGORY A: REGISTRATION OF SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF GOODS			
1)	A1	Supply and Delivery of General Office Stationery and Supplies	AGPO registered firms
2)	A2	Supply and Delivery of Computer, Printer and photocopier consumables, related accessories and Supplies	AGPO registered firms
3)	A3	Supply and Delivery of Computers, Laptops, Printers, Tablets related ICT Equipment and Accessories	Open to all
4)	A4	Design, Supply and Delivery of Branded Promotional Materials: T-shirts, Caps, Carrier bags, Umbrella, Banners etc	AGPO registered firms
5)	A5	Supply and Delivery of General Office Furniture and Fittings	AGPO registered firms
6)	A6	Supply and Delivery of General Office Equipment	AGPO registered firms
7)	A7	Supply, Delivery and Installation of Computer Software including Software Development, Customization and Support Services	Open to all
8)	A8	Supply and Delivery of Audio Equipment, Public Address System and Related Equipment such as Microphones, Recorders, Control units	Open to all
9)	A9	Supply and fitting of Motor Vehicle Spares, Tyres, Tubes/Air bridge Tyres, Batteries, Tyre repairs, Wheel alignment and balancing	Open to all
10)	A10	Supply and Delivery of Corporate Uniforms, Footwear, Clothing, Linen, Equipment and Accessories	Open to all
11)	A11	Supply and Delivery of Electrical Items and its related Accessories including provision of fittings	Open to all
12)	A12	Supply and delivery of Hardware/ Building materials and related equipment including fittings	Open to all
13)	A13	Supply and Delivery of Sanitary, Cleaning Materials and Detergents	AGPO registered firms
14)	A14	Supply, delivery, installation and commission of Security Equipment	Open to all
15)	A15	Supply, Delivery and maintenance of Gym Equipment and related Infrastructure	Open to all
16)	A16	Supply and delivery of Kitchen Utensils, Crockery, kitchen ware, related Equipment and Accessories	Open to all
17)	A17	Supply and delivery of Linen materials, Table Cloths, Napkins, Covers and related materials, etc.	Open to all
18)	A18	Supply of Cooking Gas, Utilities and related items (including refilling)	Open to all
CATEGORY B: PROVISION OF SERVICES/WORKS/CONSULTANCY			
19)	B1	Provision of Travel and Air ticketing Agency Services (<i>ATA Registered firms Only</i>)	Open to all
20)	B2	Provision of Charter Plane and Chopper Services	Open to all
21)	B3	Provision of Office Refurbishment and Furnishings e.g. curtains and carpet, vertical blinds, sheers, window films etc.	Open to all
22)	B4	Provision of Vehicle Transport, Car hire and Taxi Services	Open to all
23)	B5	Provision of Photography and Video coverage services	Open to all
24)	B6	Provision of Creative Design and Printing Services i.e Brochures, flyers, banners, flexes etc.	AGPO registered firms
25)	B7	Provision of Asset Marking/Tracking of Asset system	Open to all
26)	B8	Provision of repair and maintenance of Audio Visual Equipment, Public Address equipment, Amplifiers, microphones, column speakers, Electric bells, Recorders and related services	Open to all
27)	B10	Provision of minor works and building repairs including partitioning, minor renovations/refurbishments, routine maintenance works, paint works, installations of minor equipment, plant and machinery etc. (Must be registered with National Construction Authority - NCA)	Open to all
28)	B10	Provision and repair and maintenance of Plumbing and Sewerage System Services (Must be registered with National Construction Authority- NCA)	Open to all

29)	B11	Hire of Tents and Chairs, Drappings and Decorations for Events and related event items	Open to all
30)	B12	Hire of Audio Equipment, Public Address System and related Equipment	Open to all
31)	B13	Repair and Servicing of Motor Vehicles (approved garages only by State Department of Public Works)	Open to all
32)	B14	Provision of repair and maintenance of Computers, Printers, Networks and related IT Equipment	Open to all
33)	B15	Hire of Crockery, Utensils, Kitchen ware and related Equipment	Open to all
CATEGORY C: PROVISION OF SPECIALIZED SERVICES			
34)	C1	Provision of Comprehensive Cleaning Services	Open to all
35)	C2	Provision of Laundry & Dry Cleaners Services	Open to all
36)	C3	Provision of Fumigation & Pest Control Services	Open to all
37)	C4	Provision of Gardening Services	Open to all
38)	C5	Supply and maintenance of Fresh Flowers, Flower pots, floral arrangements and related items	Open to all
39)	C6	Provision of swimming pool and water treatment maintenance services	Open to all
40)	C7	Provision of Garbage collection services	Open to all
41)	C8	Provision of Borehole maintenance services	Open to all
42)	C9	Provision of Steam bath, Sauna and related Equipment maintenance services	Open to all
43)	C10	Provision of CCTV equipment and Biometric maintenance services	Open to all
44)	C11	Provision of Air conditioning and related equipment maintenance services	Open to all
45)	C12	Provision of maintenance services for Kitchen Equipment, Cold rooms and related infrastructure	Open to all
CATEGORY D: PROVISION OF CATERING GOODS & SERVICES			
46)	CATEGORY D1	Supply of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables	Open to all
	Lot 1	Supply and delivery of Fresh Fruits	
	Lot2	Supply and delivery of Vegetables	
47)	CATEGORY D2	Supply of Meat and Meat products	Open to all
48)	Lot 1	Poultry	
	Lot 2	Fish and Sea Food	
	Lot 3	Beef	
	Lot 4	Pork	
	Lot 5	Lamb	
	Lot 6	Goat	
49)	CATEGORY D3	Supply of Soda & Bottled Drinking Water and beverages (including dispenser water)	Open to all
50)	Lot 1	Supply of Soda	
	Lot2	Supply of Bottled water	
51)	CATEGORY D4	Supply of Dairy Milk and Dairy Products	Open to all
52)	CATEGORY D5	Supply of Fresh fruit Juices	Open to all
53)	CATEGORY D6	Supply of Dry Goods and Food Items	AGPO registered firms
54)	CATEGORY D7	Provision of Outside Catering services	Open to all

The complete set of registration documents may be obtained free of charge by interested applicants by downloading them from the office of the Deputy President's website <https://www.deputypresident.go.ke> or at <http://supplier.treasury.go.ke/>.

Submissions should be serialized i.e. with page numbers and must contain copies of mandatory statutory documents among other requirements.

The complete submissions (original only) in plain sealed envelope clearly marked **Tender No. ODP/01/2023-2024, respective Category and Item Description** should be deposited in the Tender Box situated at the ground Floor, Harambee House Annex, Harambee Avenue, Nairobi or be addressed to:

**Principal Administrative Secretary
Executive Office of the Deputy President
Harambee House Annex, Harambee Avenue
P.O. Box 74434-00200 Nairobi.**

so as to reach him on or before **Friday 26th May 2023 at 11.00am.**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the tenderers who choose to attend or their representatives at Harambee House Annex, 4th Floor Harambee Avenue, Nairobi.

NB: All current registered suppliers including AGPO registered firms should re-apply in order to update the status of their records including their eligibility

Principal Administrative Secretary



PS flags off Water Police Unit vehicles

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of Taita Taveta who is the Chairperson of Council of Governors-Kenya Water Committee Andrew Mwadime said "Linda Maji, Lipa Maji" Programme that was launched in January this year, is meant to address Non-Revenue Water and has managed to fix to close to 80 per cent of Water leakages in Nairobi County, ensuring regular supply of water has now been cascaded to all other counties.

He said the officer in-charge of WPU is fully empowered and expected to work with various security structures at Regional, County, Sub-County, Ward Location, and Sub-Location through email: police@water.go.ke and Toll-Free No. 0800721760 to ensure that each infrastructure is protected.

Other areas to be protected by the WPU include Water catchment areas, riparian areas, curtail encroachment into rivers banks, forests and dams.


NOTICE

CLOSURE OF REGISTERS 4% & 7% CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES

Notice is hereby given that the half-yearly dividends due on **30th June 2023** on the above shares will, subject to Withholding Tax where applicable be paid on the due date to shareholders registered in the books of the Company at the close of business on **Wednesday, 31st May 2023.**

**IMELDA BORE
GENERAL MANAGER,
LEGAL, REGULATORY AFFAIRS & COMPANY SECRETARY**

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KENYATTA NATIONAL HOSPITAL

PUBLIC NOTICE

DISPOSAL OF UNCLAIMED BODIES

Kenyatta National Hospital is in its possession a number of unclaimed bodies at its Farewell Home. Pursuant to **Public Health Act Cap 242 [Subsidiary Legislation PUBLIC HEALTH (PUBLIC MORTUARIES) RULES, 1991]**, interested members of the public are therefore requested to identify and collect the bodies within **7 days**, failure to which the hospital will seek authority from the courts to dispose them. The list of the bodies is available at the KNH Farewell Home and can also be accessed on the link below:

www.knh.or.ke or <https://knh.or.ke/index.php/disposal-of-unclaimed-bodies/>

KNH FAREWELL HOME



PUBLIC NOTICE

CALL FOR COMMENTS & INVITATION FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON THE DRAFT NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE FUND (NHIF) AMENDMENT ACT REGULATION, 2023 AND THE DRAFT REGULATORY IMPACT ASSESSMENT (RIA) REPORT ON THE NHIF ACT.

The National Health Insurance Fund (NHIF) is a State Corporation established in 1966 with a core mandate of providing medical insurance cover to all its members and their declared dependants. The original Act of Parliament that set up the Fund has, over the years, been reviewed to accommodate the changing healthcare needs of the Kenyan population and the restructuring in the health sector.

The NHIF Act (1998) was amended and passed in Parliament on 21st December 2021 and assented into law on 10th January 2022.

IT IS THEREFORE NOTIFIED for information to the public that following the public participation held on the draft regulations in 2022, NHIF has taken into account the feedback received and consolidated the draft Regulations, 2023 to facilitate implementation of the provisions of the NHIF Act No. 9 of 1998.

NOTE: This regulation is available at NHIF Website: www.nhif.or.ke

FURTHER, in compliance with Section 6 of the Statutory Instruments Act NO. 23 of 2013, a Technical Working Team including the Ministry of Health, the Attorney General, the Kenya Law Reforms Commission and NHIF prepared a Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) for the proposed Regulations. The Regulatory Impact Assessment is available at <https://www.nhif.or.ke/>.

NHIF invites interested members of the public, stakeholders, and organizations to submit any comments, views or make presentations regarding the draft regulation and the Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) report.

The comments, views, representation and any written memoranda may be forwarded to the Chief Executive Officer of the National Health Insurance Fund, P.O Box 30443-00100, Nairobi, by hand-delivery to the Office of the Chief Executive Officer on NHIF Building 10th Floor, Nairobi; or emailed to regulations@nhif.or.ke; or through the website www.nhif.or.ke, to be received on or before, 11th May 2023, by 5:00 pm.

NHIF shall communicate the dates and venues for the physical and virtual public participation through official emails, the NHIF website, phone calls and letters.

All interested persons should submit written comments on the draft Regulatory Impact Assessment in the prescribed format as follows: -

Regulation/Clause	Issues of Concern	Justification	Recommendation


SAMSON KUHORA
AG. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



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MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION, AND IRRIGATION

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI) FOR CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION

HORN OF AFRICA - GROUND WATER FOR RESILIENCE PROJECT (HOAGW4RP)

PROJECT ID NO.:	P174867
CREDIT NO.	IDA-7082-KE
ASSIGNMENT TITLE:	CONSULTANCY SERVICES TO UNDERTAKE COMPREHENSIVE AQUIFER ASSESSMENTS AND THE PREPARATION OF DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS FOR LOGOLOGO SHUUR, WALDA RAWANA, AND MANDERA WEST/ ELWAK AQUIFER SYSTEMS
REFERENCE NO.:	KE-WRA-326582-CS-QCBS

- The Government of the Republic of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Horn of Africa Ground Water for Resilience Project (HoAGW4RP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
- The consulting services ("the Services") include: identifying and assessing with high percentage of certainty (high precession/ resolution) the existence of both shallow (up to 250 m) and deep (deeper than 500 m), characterizing and determine the recharge mechanism and areas for groundwater resources underlying the Logologo Shuur, Walda Rawana, and Mandera West/Elwak aquifer systems and determine the recharge areas. The assignment also consists of putting in place development and management plans for the aquifer through extensive stakeholder consultation. The consultancy will provide proposals and supervision for exploratory wells as well as proposals for monitoring wells and managed aquifer recharge infrastructure.
- The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment found at the following website: <http://www.info@wra.go.ke>; <http://www.tenders.go.ke> or can be obtained at the address provided below.
- The Water Resources Authority now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:
 - Core business as a consulting firm in the water sector within the last five (5) years. Have delivered consultancies in water resources planning, development, and management in Kenya or within the sub-Saharan region and experience in undertaking feasibility studies, detailed designs, and supervision of water related facilities/infrastructure.
 - Demonstration by consulting firm of having been involved in successful execution, completed and/or ongoing, of at least two (2) assignments of similar nature both in scope and complexity in a similar operating environment in the last five (5) years with preferably one (1) assignment, completed or ongoing, in an informal settlement or similar environment in the last five (5) years. Details of the assignment - Name and address of the client, scope, value, and period shall be provided; and
 - Technical and managerial capability of the consulting firm to undertake the assignment which should be supported by detailed company profiles providing details about staff skills, necessary tools, equipment, and software to undertake the assignment.

Please Note: Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

- The Consultant(s) will be selected in accordance with the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, July 2016, revised November 2017, revised August 2018, and revised November 2020 which can be found at the following website: www.worldbank.org/procurement.
- The duration of the consultancy services is twelve (12) months, comprising six (6) months for the design phase and six (6) months for the supervision stage.
- The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" Fourth Edition November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected. However, the experience of a sub-consultant will not be considered while short-listing.
- A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the quality cost-based selection (QCBS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.
- Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours [weekdays Monday to Friday 0800hrs to 1700hrs local time excluding public holidays]. Interested Consultants are required to continually check the Water Resources Authority website <http://www.info@wra.go.ke> for any additional information or clarification that may arise before the submission date.
- Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) so as to be received on or before **Tuesday 30th May, 2023 at 1300Hours, Kenya local time. (GMT+3 hours).**

Chief Executive Officer
Water Resources Authority,
Ragati Road off Ngong Road,
NHIF Building,
9th Floor Wing B
NAIROBI, KENYA.

Telephone: +254 2732291, +254 2729048/9

Email addresses: procurement@wra.go.ke / info@wra.go.ke



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MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND SOCIAL PROTECTION STATE DEPARTMENT FOR LABOUR AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANCY SERVICES

COUNTRY:	The Republic of Kenya
PROJECT TITLE:	Kenya Youth Employment & Opportunities Project – KYEOP
PROJECT ID:	P151831
CREDIT NO.:	58120-KE

The Government has received a credit from the International Development Associations (IDA) towards the cost of the Kenya Youth Employment & Opportunities Project and intends to engage Consultancy services.

The State Department now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the following consultancy:

S/ NO	Reference Number	Reference Name	Eligibility
1.	KE-MEALSS-270462-CS-INDV	Consultancy Services for an Individual Consultant to Develop a Web-based KeSIC Interactive System	Individual Consultant

Interested individuals may access and download the detailed Request for Proposals document from the State Department's Website: www.labour.go.ke and the government tender portal www.tenders.go.ke for free.

Duly filled Request for Proposals should be submitted in a plain sealed envelope clearly marked with the reference name and number and forwarded either by:

- Depositing in the tender box located on **14th floor of NSSF building, Block A, Eastern Wing, Bishops Road, Nairobi, Kenya** during office hours (Weekdays 8.00 am to 5.00 pm)

OR

- Mailing to the: **Principal Secretary, State Department for Labour and Skills Development P. O. Box 40326 – 00100 Nairobi, Kenya**

So as to be received by **Thursday 18th May 2023 at 10.00a.m.** East African Time.

The Technical Proposals will be publicly opened immediately after closing time on **Thursday 18th, May 2023 at 10:00a.m.** at the conference room located at **NSSF Building, Block B, 15th Floor** in the presence of interested bidders who may choose to attend. Only shortlisted candidates Financial Proposals will be opened at a later date.

Head/ Supply Chain Management Services
FOR: PRINCIPAL SECRETARY



Sweet potato farming changes fortunes for a Turkana farmer

BY PATER GITONGA(KNA)

Turkana County, one of the Arid and Semi-Arid Lands (ASALs) in Kenya is considered a food insecure county that is currently reeling under the effects of one of the worst droughts to have plagued the country in 40 years.

Aware of the impact of climate change, state and non-state actors have recognized the importance of irrigation in promoting food security in the country.

In Turkana county, Bayer Fund through the Improved Approach to Community-Based Nutrition in Turkana (IMPACT) project has committed to reducing global acute malnutrition and improving resilience against food-security-related shocks at the household level.

Hundreds of Turkwel and Katilu Ward residents have benefited from the project including Patrick Juma, a father of four, one of the beneficiaries who have embraced the orange-fleshed sweet potato farming.

The resident of Kangirega, Katilu Ward in Turkana South Sub-County has become a role model to his villagers for his success in farming.

A victim of the post-election violence in 2007, he had to relocate from Nakuru County to Kangirega and started selling charcoal to meet his daily needs and support his family.

About two years ago, Juma became a farmer un-



Patrick Juma, one of the beneficiaries of the Improved Approach to Community-Based Nutrition in Turkana (IMPACT) Project showcases his Orange Fleshed Sweet Potatoes (OFSP).

PHOTO: PETER GITONGA

der the PanAfricare IMPACT Project. He attended meetings where representatives of PanAfricare trained him and other farmers on good agricultural practices, village savings and loans association, as well as the establishment of Water Users Association.

The farmers are also provided with farm inputs, water, and seeds.


Currently, Juma is planting orange-fleshed sweet potatoes (OFSP), cassava, sorghum, millet, cowpeas and maize.

"I decided to farm so


that I can get food for home consumption and to sell the surplus. I save the income from the sales in the groups that offer loans at the village level," he says.

Unlike traditional sweet potato varieties, OFSP contains vitamin A, which is especially important to women's and children's health.

Selling OFSP is a profitable business. For two years now, Patrick has made a good enough income to improve his family's nutritional needs and livelihood.



KENYA MARITIME AUTHORITY



TENDER NOTICE

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

No	Tender No.	Item/Service Description	Tender Security (Kshs)	Closing Dates/Time	Targeted Group
1	KMA/ONT/26/2022-2023	Supply, Delivery, Installation and Commissioning of GMDSS Satellite Based Communication and Maritime Safety Information Distribution System	200,000.00	23 rd May, 2023 at 10:00am	Open
2	KMA/ONT/27/2022-2023	Provision of Internet services to KMA Offices	70,000.00	23 rd May, 2023 at 10:00am	Open

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

Original, Completed Tender documents plus **one replica copy** should be enclosed in plain sealed envelope, clearly marked with tender reference name & number and should be deposited in the Tender Box located at the Ground Floor of Kenya Maritime Authority's Headquarter Offices; White House Building, Moi Avenue, Mombasa addressed to: -


**Ag. Director General
Kenya Maritime Authority
P. O. Box 95076-80104
MOMBASA**

so as to be received on or before **23rd May, 2023 at 10.00 am.**

Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the Candidates or their representatives who choose to attend at the **KMA Board Room- White House Building, Moi Avenue, Mombasa.**

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

**AG. DIRECTOR GENERAL
KENYA MARITIME AUTHORITY**





KENYATTA UNIVERSITY TEACHING, REFERRAL & RESEARCH HOSPITAL (KUTRRH)

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EMAIL: info@kutrrh.go.ke



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Kenyatta University Teaching, Referral and Research Hospital invites request for Expression of Interest from interested eligible bidders for Design and Implementation of Room Acoustics as per details provided here below:

- Kenyatta University Teaching, Referral & Research Hospital (KUTRRH) is a leading level 6 National Referral Hospital with a 650-bed capacity and equipped with state-of-art medical amenities.
- KUTRRH wishes to engage services of a competent firm for design and implementation of room acoustics, builders, electrical and mechanical works for the Audiology clinic.
- Interested firms will be required to provide information indicating their incorporation or registration status, qualifications, capabilities, pricing model and details of past experience of up to 2 similar assignments undertaken in the last five years and the names and contacts of client's experience in similar conditions. Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications.
- KUTRRH will prepare a shortlist of firms to whom the **Request for Proposals** will be distributed. Complete Expressions of Interest documents (**original and two (2) copies**) should be enclosed in a separate sealed envelope and clearly marked and labeled "EOI for Design Services" and addressed to:


**Chief Executive Officer,
P.O. Box 7674 00100
Nairobi Kenya.**


and be deposited in the Tender Box on Ground Floor, Main Hospital Building so as to be received on or before **18th May 2023.**

Any request for clarification for this EOI must be emailed to procurement@kutrrh.go.ke to the address below no later than **Friday 12th May, 2023 at 5.00 p.m.** Kenyan Time The client will provide responses to all clarification requests by **Monday 15th May, 2023 at 5.00 p.m.** Kenyan Time.

The Expression of Interest will be opened immediately after the closing date and time in the presence of candidates or their representatives who choose to attend. KUTRRH reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs.







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

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

No.	Tender No.	Tender Description	Eligibility	Closing Date
1	EPRA/SCM/4/2/22-23/160	Supply, Delivery and Maintenance of Server	OPEN	19/5/2023
2	EPRA/SCM/4/3/22-23/161	Framework Contract for the Provision of Conference Facilities	OPEN	19/5/2023
3	EPRA/SCM/4/3/22-23/162	Consultancy on the Regulatory Impact, Assessment on the Appliances' Energy Performance and Labelling Regulations	OPEN	19/5/2023
4	EPRA/SCM/4/2/22-23/163	Framework Contract for the Supply of Petroleum Products for the Authority's Motor Vehicles	OPEN	19/5/2023

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

**Director General
Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority**

www.mygov.go.ke

Environment CS orders crackdown on logging, encroachment of public forests

BY TEMESI LUKANI (PCO)

Environment, Climate Change and Forestry Cabinet Secretary Ms Soipan Tuya has ordered the Kenya Forest Service to mount an aggressive nationwide crackdown on illegal activities in public forests including logging, encroachment and charcoal burning, which she blamed for the recent spike in forest fires.

Speaking at a press briefing convened by her ministry to outline recent reforms in the management of public forests, Ms Tuya cautioned communities living adjacent to public forests against engaging in illegal forest activities and asked them to be the first line of defence for Kenya's forests.

"Apart from the fires that devastated huge parts of our forests, we now have reports of rampant illegal logging of

forests, encroachment and other related illegal activities.

"I am directing the Acting Chief Conservator of Forests to with immediate effect, activate the multi-agency crackdown team, to mount an intense, targeted and sustained crackdown across all forest ecosystems in the country to end these illegal activities," CS Tuya ordered.

The Cabinet Secretary said illegal forest activities were a major setback to Kenya's ecosystem restoration efforts, including the ambitious plan to stretch the country's tree cover from the current 12.3% to 30% in 10 years by planting 15 billion trees, and urged Kenyans to intensify tree planting during the ongoing long rains season.

"We are urging Kenyans to plant trees on their birthdays, during holidays, at each and every occasion

where it is possible to plant a tree. 15 Billion trees sounds huge and mind boggling but believe me you, it translates to only 30 trees per Kenyan per year over the next 10 years. It is doable," Ms Tuya rallied.

On provision of adequate seedlings to support the 15 billion trees drive, the Cabinet Secretary said her ministry was working with several state and non-state partners to intensify propagation of tree seedlings across the country.

"We are establishing 11 fully fledged seed centres across the country that will be operational by the end of May 2023. These seed centres under the Kenya Forestry Research Institute (KEFRI), will produce both indigenous seeds and fruit tree seeds for propagation across Kenya Forest Service nurseries and private, and community nurseries across the country.



MINISTRY OF LANDS, PUBLIC WORKS, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

TENDER INVITATION

Employer:	Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development
Project:	State Department for Housing and Urban Development
Contract:	Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2)
Title:	Supply and Delivery of Two (2 No.) Mapping UAV/Drone and training of staff on their operations
Country:	Kenya
Credit No.:	6759-KE
RFB No.:	KE-MOTI-355241-GO-RFB
Issued on:	9 th May 2023

- The Government of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2)** and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for **Supply and Delivery of Two (2 No.) Mapping UAV/Drone and training of staff on their operations**.
- The State Department for Housing and Urban Development through the **Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2)** now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for **Supply and Delivery of Two (2 No.) Mapping UAV/Drone and training of staff on their operations**
- Bidding will be conducted through International Competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 revised November 2017, August 2018 and November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information, from the **KISIP Project Procurement Office, Elgon Road, Upper Hill, Nairobi during normal office working hours (0900 to 1700 hours EAT)**. Those who download the document should immediately send their particulars to the **Head of Supply Chain Management office at Ardhi House 6th Floor** for the purpose of registration and receipt of any further clarifications.
- The bidding document can be downloaded **free of charge** from www.housingandurban.go.ke/tenders and www.tenders.go.ke/openTenders or can be obtained at the address given below.
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- "Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document."
- The address(es) referred to above is:

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State Department for Housing & Urban Development
Ardhi House, 6th Floor,
P.O. Box 30119-00100,
Nairobi, Kenya
Tel: +254-020-2713833



National Environment Management Authority

Popo Road, off Mombasa Road P.O.BOX 67839-00200, Nairobi, Kenya,
 Tel: 0724253398, 0735013046 E-mail: dgnema@nema.go.ke
 Website: www.nema.go.ke

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

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

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

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

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

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

A copy of the EIA report can be downloaded at www.nema.go.ke

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

Comments can also be e-mailed to dgnema@nema.go.ke

DIRECTOR GENERAL

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State launches Lamu Sand Dunes groundwater conservation campaign

BY BERNADINE MUTANU (MYGOV)

The Principal Secretary State Department Water and Sanitation Dr Kipronoh Ronoh has launched the ministry's tree growing and restoration campaign at the Amu Sand Dunes Groundwater Conservation area.

Speaking in Lamu, Dr Ronoh said the Lamu Aquifer comprises 34 wells which serve as the only source of fresh water in the County comprising a population of 143,920 people, supplying approximately 3000m3 per day.

The PS noted that the tree growing and restoration campaign is very crucial in

protecting the catchment from saltwater intrusion which leads to the deterioration of the fresh water for the Lamu County people.

"Due to their aesthetic nature and proximity to the Indian Ocean, the sand dunes have been vulnerable to severe catchment degradation. The water quality and quantity has been adversely affected by encroachment, salt-water intrusion due to over-abstraction, soil erosion and reduced forest cover," the PS said.

Dr Ronoh noted that the Water Resources Authority (WRA) has embarked on a range of activities to conserve and protect the vul-

nerable aquifer.

"The activities include the development of management guidelines and a plan for the Amu Sand Dunes Groundwater Conservation Area in consultation with stakeholders, re-vegetation of the degraded sand dunes in collaboration with Water Resource User Associations (WRUAs), construction of rainwater harvesting and storage tanks in schools and social facilities," the PS said.

Additionally, Dr Ronoh disclosed that WRA has purchased a boat to enhance surveillance of the conservation area, "As part of the conservation program the Authority initi-



The Principal Secretary State Department Water and Sanitation Dr Kipronoh Ronoh (2nd right) flanked by Mohamed Shurie, CEO Water Resources Authority during the launch of tree growing at Lamu Sand Dunes Groundwater conservation area.

ated the construction of a boardwalk on the dunes to reduce compaction of sand."

The PS noted that WRA has published in the Gazette, the Amu sand dunes as a protected Groundwater Conservation Area, "The Authority is seeking collaborations with stakeholders in enhancing catchment protection especially in vulnerable catchments."

"The zone is delineated to ensure the sustainability of the groundwater resources in the Amu Sand Dunes Catchment and protect it from over-exploitation, degradation, and pollution," he said.

The PS said the delineation will contribute to the conservation of biodiversity and ecosystems in the area.

Dr Ronoh said that the Authority also initiated

gazettement of Kikuyu Springs Groundwater Conservation Area, Dikdik Gardens in Kileleshwa, Ngareren Springs in Loitoktok and Lake Kenyatta

"The Authority has earmarked Maanguo Swamp in Limuru; Ewaso Narok; Kajuju Springs in Kisumu and Kabere Springs in Timau for gazettement as protected conservation areas," he added.



MINISTRY OF LANDS, PUBLIC WORKS, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

TENDER INVITATION

Employer:	Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development
Project:	State Department for Housing and Urban Development
Contract	Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2)
title:	Supply and Delivery of Drone Images for Selected Informal Settlements in Kenya in Mombasa, Kwale, Taita Taveta, Kirinyaga and Nairobi Counties
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RFB No:	KE-MOTI-356448-NC-RFB
Issued on:	9th May 2023

- The Government of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2)** and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for **Supply and Delivery of Drone Images for Selected Informal Settlements in Kenya in Baringo, Nandi, Turkana, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nakuru, Trans Nzoia and Migori Counties**
- The State Department for Housing and Urban Development through the **Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP2)** now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for **Supply and Delivery of Drone Images for Selected Informal Settlements in Kenya in Baringo, Nandi, Turkana, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nakuru, Trans Nzoia and Migori Counties**
- Bidding will be conducted through International Competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 revised November 2017, August 2018 and November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information, from the **KISIP Project Procurement Office, Elgon Road, Upper Hill, Nairobi during normal office working hours (0900 to 1700 hours EAT)**. Those who download the document should immediately send their particulars to the **Head of Supply Chain Management office at Ardhi House 6th Floor** for the purpose of registration and receipt of any further clarifications.
- The bidding document can be downloaded free of charge from www.housingandurban.go.ke/tenders and www.tenders.go.ke/openTenders or can be obtained at the address given below.
- Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **Wednesday 7th June 2023 at 1100hrs East African Time, EAT**. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend in Ardhi House (1st Ngong Avenue), 6th Floor Boardroom.
- All bids should be accompanied with a Bid security in form of a **Bank Guarantee** or a **Bank Draft issued** by a reputable Bank located in Kenya, or Insurance of 2% (Bid Sum) from a reputable Insurance firm approved by Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA).
- "Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document."
- The address(es) referred to above is:

Principal Secretary
Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development,
State Department for Housing & Urban Development
Ardhi House, 6th Floor, P.O. Box 30119-00100,
Nairobi, Kenya
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Ministry in grand plan to grow biofuel crops in ASALs for export



Department of Crop Development Principal Secretary Kello Harsama with the ENI group at his office at Kilimo House.

BY IAN CHEPKUTO
(KNA)

The Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock is working on modalities of promoting the growth of crops which are rich in the production of biofuels in Arid and Semiarid Lands (ASAL) in the country for export purposes and domestic use.

The Ministry, in partnership with ENI group, an Italian agency have finalized plans to enhance production of castor oil, croton, and cotton in the largely under-utilized ASAL areas.

With 80 per cent of the country's land mass classified under arid and semi-arid areas, the move will significantly increase the country's agricultural production.

The State Department of Crop Development under Principal Secretary Kello Harsama will be leading the way in the project, which intends to use marginal or degraded land to grow crops that do not compete with the food supply chain.

ENI has already supported more than 50,000 farmers in 11 counties and established a pro-

cessing plant (agri-hub) in Makueni County with a production capacity of 15,000 tons per year. The vegetable oil produced by this plant is currently used at the Gela Refinery in Italy.

To expand this program, a second agri-hub will be launched in the latter half of 2023 with more planned in the years ahead with the aim of producing 200,000 tonnes by 2026.

This expansion to more counties, with plans to reach over 200,000 farmers and 200,000 hectares, will have a significant impact on the lives of these communities, creating economic opportunities and improving overall agricultural production.

To achieve this goal, the initiative will involve the provision of technical support and training to farmers on modern agro-forestry techniques, such as intercropping and soil conservation practices.

The initiative is set to transform the livelihoods of these communities by providing a reliable source of income and improving the economic conditions of the ASAL areas.



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

KENYATTA UNIVERSITY TEACHING, REFERRAL & RESEARCH HOSPITAL (KUTRRH)

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OPEN NATIONAL TENDERS

Kenyatta University Teaching, Referral and Research Hospital invites sealed tenders from interested eligible bidders as per the instructions provided here under.

No	Reference	Description Of Services	Closing Date	Eligibility
1.	KUTRRH/TNDR/G/003/SDOM/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Motor Vehicles & Motorcycle	26/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
2.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/018/ SDICRE/2022-2023	Supply, Delivery, Installation and Commissioning of Radiology Equipment	23/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
3.	KUTRRH/TNDR/G/037/SDLM/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Landscaping Materials (<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and People with Disability</i>)	26/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
4.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/039/ SDURS/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Universal Retractor System	26/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
5.	KUTRRH/TNDR/S/041/RMBPE/2022-2023	Provision of Repair and Maintenance Services for Boiler Plant and Associated Equipment	23/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
6.	KUTRRH/TNDR/S/043/PFPS/2022-2023	Provision of Fire Protection Services	26/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
7.	KUTRRH/TNDR/G/048/PMSWD/2022-2023	Placement, Maintenance and servicing of Water Dispensers and Supply of Bottled drinking Water & Disposable Cups	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
8.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/049/ SDICI/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Infection Control Items (<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and People with Disability</i>)	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
9.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/051/ SDSB/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Scan Boxes	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
10.	KUTRRH/TNDR/S/053/RMAC/2022-2023	Provision of Training Services for Advanced Cardiovascular Training Services and Basic Life Support Services (ACLS & BLS)	25/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
11.	KUTRRH/TNDR/S/056/FBFI/2022-2023	Tender for Provision of Fire, Burglary and Fidelity Guarantee Insurance Services	19/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
12.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/074/ SDP/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Pharmaceuticals	25/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
13.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/075/ SDRIC/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Radio Pharmacy (I.M.I.C) Consumables	23/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
14.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/076/ SDCSE-G/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of CSSD Equipment	25/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
15.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/077/ SDPPE/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Maintenance Personal Protective Equipment(PPE)(<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and People with Disability</i>)	25/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
16.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/078/ SDICU-G/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Intensive Care Unit (I.C.U) Equipment	25/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
17.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/079/ SDGSP/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Gama Sentinel Node Probe	25/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
18.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/080/ SDSCU/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Staff Nursing and Corporate Uniforms. (<i>Reserved for Women and People with Disability</i>)	30/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
19.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/081/ SDLI/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Laundry Items. (<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and People with Disability</i>)	30/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
20.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/082/ SDBE/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Brachytherapy Equipment	30/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
21.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/083/ SDPSC/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Pediatric Surgery Consumables	30/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
22.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/084/ SDNCE/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Network Core Equipment- I.C.T	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
23.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/085/ SDNVR/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Network Video Recorder(NVR) & Back-Up Storage- I.C.T	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
24.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/086/ SDAP/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of an Annular Phantom for PET CT	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
25.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/087/ SDPA/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Staff I.D Printer Accessories. (<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and people with Disability</i>)	30/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
26.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/088/ SDCL/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Cath Lab Consumables	30/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
27.	KUTRRH /TNDR/W/089/ PWBWC/2022-2023	Provision of Minor Works for Borehole Water Connection	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
28.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/090/ PCSS/2022-2023	Provision of Cleaning and Sanitary Services. (<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and people with Disability</i>)	23/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
29.	KUTRRH/TNDR/S/091/RMMGP/2022-2023	Provision of Maintenance Services Medical Gases Plants	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
30.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/092/ SDCSC/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Cardiac Surgery Consumables	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
31.	KUTRRH /TNDR/W/093/ PWCF/2022-2023	Provision of Minor Works –Change of Floor at the Boiler/Incinerator Area	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
32.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/094/ SDRC/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Radiology Consumables	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
33.	KUTRRH /TNDR/S/095/ PSMI/2022-2023	Provision of Staff Medical Insurance Cover	19/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
34.	KUTRRH /TNDR/S/096/ PSS/2022-2023	Provision of Security Guarding Services	23/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
35.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/097/ SDRI/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Rehabilitation Items	26/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
36.	KUTRRH /TNDR/S/098/ PCSS/2022-2023	Provision of Cleaning and Sanitary Services.(<i>Reserved for Youth, Women and people with disability</i>)	23/05/2023 at 10.00am	Reserved
37.	KUTRRH /TNDR/S/099/ PCRW/2022-2023	Provision of Calibration Room Works	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
38.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/100/ SDPF/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Pharmaceutical Fridges	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
39.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/101/ SDQAP/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of a Patients Specific QA Phantom	31/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open
40.	KUTRRH /TNDR/G/102/ SDDC/2022-2023	Supply and Delivery of Desktop Computers	24/05/2023 at 10.00am	Open

- I. Interested eligible candidates may obtain further information from our website: www.kutrrh.go.ke. All tenders **Must** be submitted On or before the **STIPULATED RESPECTIVE DATES ABOVE at 10:00am**.
- II. Bidders seeking clarification **MUST** strictly do so through the emails provided – procurement@kutrrh.go.ke. Any addendum issued will be sent to all the bidders and posted on the website (bidders are encouraged to keep visiting the website www.kutrrh.go.ke from time to time).

NOTE: Canvassing will lead to automatic disqualification.

KICC rolls out grassroots campaign to promote conference tourism

BY CHRIS MAHANDARA
(KNA)

Kenya International Convention Centre (KICC) has launched a grassroots initiative to boost conference tourism in the country.

Through the initiative dubbed MICE Mashinani, the country's premier conference facility targets to create partnerships with various stakeholders in the sector across the country to grow meetings, incentives, conferences and exhibitions.

KICC Acting Chief Executive Officer Patricia Ondeng said the initiative aims at opening up rural Kenya to tourism to spur economic development.

The country, she said, was endowed with rich tourism attraction sites adding that through the programme, KICC was set to showcase to the world different venues and facilities to host meet-



KICC Acting Chief Executive Officer Patricia Ondeng (in blue coat) during the launch of the project.

ings and conferences.

"When we go out to market Kenya as a conference destination we also want to tell them that we don't just have KICC in Nairobi but other venues as well," she said.

Various towns and cities in the country, she added have demonstrated capacity to host international meetings, adding that through

MICE Mashinani KICC plans to build their capacity to give visitors world class experience.

She pointed out Kisumu City which last year played host to the Afri-Cities conference where over 10, 000 delegates from around the world attended.

Speaking during the launch of the initiative in Kisumu, Ondeng said KICC

plans to partner with hoteliers, tour companies, resorts, county governments and other stakeholders to grow the country's conference and meetings capacity.

"We have the knowledge and technical know-how which we want to share with them to help grow the sector," she said.

The move, she said, would have a ripple effect on other businesses and in the process stimulate economic growth.

Kisumu County Executive Committee Member (CECM) in charge of Tourism Farida Salim said the initiative was timely adding that it will go a long way to market the lakeside city and other areas in the lake region and conference hubs.

The county government, he said, has made great strides in putting Kisumu on the world map adding that the partnership with KICC would take the programme to greater heights.

"We are very much on track and we believe that with this partnership we are set to go far," she said.

Lave Victoria Tourism Association Chairman Robinson Anyal said the initiative was set to unlock tourism potential for the lake region.

Investors, he said, have come up with state of the art facilities dotted across the region adding that through partnership with KICC the facilities were set to secure business.



MINISTRY OF LANDS, PUBLIC WORKS, HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT STATE DEPARTMENT FOR HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

(CONSULTING SERVICES – INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT SELECTION)

Country:	Kenya
Name of Project:	Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP 2)
Project No.:	P167814
Credit No.:	6759-KE
Assignment Title:	Consultancy Services for Individual Social Safeguards Consultant (1No.)
Contract No.:	KE-MOTI-216657-CS-INDV

- This Request for Expression of Interest follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in Development Business; issue No. 1686 of 1st January 2021.
- The Government of Kenya has received a Credit from International Development Agency (IDA) towards the cost of the Second Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Project (KISIP 2) and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this Credit to payments under this contract: **Consultancy Services for Individual Social Safeguards Consultant Contract No KE-MOTI-216657-CS-INDV**
- The overall objective of this consultancy is to offer technical support to National and County Project Coordinating Teams on the development, implementation, monitoring, and reporting on the applicable social safeguard instruments and issues.
- The tasks to be carried out under the assignment includes but not limited to:
 - General Technical Support to Project PCTs:** Providing expert advice to the NPCT and CPCTs, on the management of social risks, including but not limited to the preparation, implementation, and monitoring of resettlement action plans (RAPs), Environmental and Social Management Plans (ESMPs), Social Management Plans (SMPs), Vulnerable and Marginalized Groups Plans (VMGPs), and Stakeholder Engagement Plans (SEPs); so as to ensure compliance with the World Bank's Safeguard policies.
 - Review of related reports from related consultancies :** Assist the NPCT to review reports of various safeguard instruments prepared by consultants; and ensure effective quality control systems are in place and the submitted work is in compliance with technical specifications, and the World Bank and Government of Kenya (GOK) quality standards.
 - Monitoring and Reporting:** Assist in the preparation of quarterly work plans, quarterly and annual project safeguards performance reports, and any other technical reports and presentations as may be required from time to time, by the project.
- The consultant shall possess the following qualifications:**
 - A Degree in one of the Social Sciences with a bias in the fields of law, sociology, community development, Environmental studies, and Land Economics or related fields from a recognized university;
 - A Minimum of ten (10) years of full-time relevant operational experience in social development with a focus on advice and / or the management of resettlement, community participation and social safeguard requirements; Five (5) of which working with donor funded projects and/or government agencies implementing similar projects.
 - Strong knowledge and experience with World Bank social safeguards (involuntary resettlement, stakeholder engagement, indigenous peoples, gender and social inclusion among others) and Bank operations, (or with the operations and social safeguards of another development finance institution); including the Government of Kenya legal, policy and institutional frameworks governing safeguards issues.
 - Experience in preparing and implementing Resettlement Action Plans (RAPs) and preferably for World Bank-financed projects. Experience working in at least one (1) project in urban informal settlements is highly desirable.

In addition, possession of the following shall be an added advantage:

- Postgraduate degree in any social science course mentioned in 5(a) above will be an added advantage;
 - Proven ability to effectively coordinate activities involving multiple disciplines and organizational units, including experience with public sector;
 - Excellent leadership skills especially teamwork.
- The Consultancy Services Contract is expected to be for a period of **Twelve (12) months** renewable upon successful and satisfactory performance.
 - The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website: www.housingandurban.go.ke/tenders or can be obtained at the address given below.
 - The Ministry of Lands, Public Works, Housing, Urban Development through the Second Kenya Informal Settlement Improvement Project (KISIP2) now invites individuals to express their interest in providing the services. Interested individuals must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (**attach CV, Certified copies of Academic and Professional Certificates**).
 - The Individual Consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers dated November 2020 (Regulations) Interested individuals may obtain further information at the address below from 0900 to 1700 hours from Monday to Friday excluding lunch hour (1300 to 1400Hrs) and public holidays.

Expression of interest shall be delivered by **23rd May 2023 at 1100 hrs**. East African Time - using one of the following modalities: (i) deposit in the tender box located on 6th Floor, Ardhi House in Nairobi, or (ii) send by email to: kisip2.procurement@housingandurban.go.ke and quote the Assignment title in the subject row. For expressions of interest that will be deposited at the tender box, the packages should be clearly marked **Consultancy Services for Individual Social Safeguards Consultant. Activity No. KE-MOTI-216657-ICS-INDV**

Principal Secretary
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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT STATE DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT

ADDENDUM NO 1

THE DAIRY INDUSTRY ACT CAP 336 LAWS OF KENYA

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT DAIRY INDUSTRY BILL, 2023

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

Stakeholders are hereby advised to note the following changes:

No	Date	Location	Venue	Time
1	Wednesday 24 th May 2023	Nyamira	Borabu Hotel - Nyamira town	10.00 am
		Kapsabet	Kapsabet Municipal Hall	10.00 am
2	Monday 29 th May 2023	Kiambu	PCEA Ayub Kinywa Church – Githunguri Town	10.00 am
		Muranga	Nokras Hotel – Muranga Town	10.00 am
3	Tuesday 30 th May 2023	Machakos	Machakos Agricultural Training Center (ATC)	10.00 am
		Embu	Embu Social Hall	10.00 am
		Kajiado	Masaai Technical Training Center	10.00 am

All other details remain unchanged.

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

- Draft Dairy Industry Bill, 2023
- Public Comments/ Feedback form

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

- directorpolicy@kilimo.go.ke
- dairybill@kdb.co.ke

Or sent by ordinary mail to;

The Cabinet Secretary,
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development,
Cathedral Road,
Kilimo House,
P O Box 30028-00100,
NAIROBI or

The Managing Director
Kenya Dairy Board
NSSF Building, Block A
Eastern Wing, Bishop's Road,
P.O Box 30406-00100
NAIROBI

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY
STATE DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT



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Women rake millions from beads business

BY ABDUBA MAMO (KNA)

About one hundred and twenty women groups in eight counties are making millions of shillings from the sale of beads locally and abroad which has helped them mitigate against poverty and pay for the education of their children.

According to the Northern Rangeland Trust (NRT) Director for Gender Ms

Beatrice Lempira, single mother are the most active in the new business venture of bead making and have managed to pay for the education needs of their children compared to other women.

Speaking at a women conference held at Isiolo which was attended by women from Marsabit, Samburu, Laikipia and Isiolo, Ms. Lempira (Pictured)

said that NRT supports 1,200 women by providing beads which is sold abroad to empower women who are not educated by virtue of their nomadic life styles.

The NRT official further added that women are the most resilient economically and trustworthy to donors among the pastoralist and are in the forefront of giving direction in the field of education and management of security in their areas.

The gender boss said that despite most of the conservancies in the eight counties are managed by men,



women have contributed a lot in return from the sales of beads annually to service vehicles and other office administrative activities.

The Marsabit County Executive Committee Member for Culture, Gender and Social services Mr. Jeremy Ledaany said that NRT has been a blessing for pastoralist communities and urged the beneficiaries to take advantage of the goodwill to uplift themselves.

Mr. Ledaany said that his government would bring all fourteen tribes in the Marsabit county during the Loiyangalani Cultural Festival to export their talents and traditional products to other counties.

He added that since NRT

introduced women empowerment in the northern semi arid counties, women have started owning land, livestock and have a say on their husband's properties when alive or dead.

The CECM said that women in Marsabit have started adopting the blue energy by using gas and solar in order to reduce firewood and charcoal.

Ledaany added that drought has threatened Marsabit Forest following an influx of livestock in search of pasture women have started tree nurseries to increase forest coverage by 10 percent.



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TENDER NOTICE

S/No	Category reference no.	Item description	Category
A SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF GOODS			
1	ELDOWAS/T/01/2023-2024	Supply and Delivery of Calcium hypochlorite.	Open
2	ELDOWAS/T/02/2023-2024	Supply and Delivery of Aluminium Sulphate	Open
3	ELDOWAS/T/03/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of Polyamines.	Open
4	ELDOWAS/T/04/2023-2024	Framework Contract for Supply and delivery of General Office stationery.	Y, W & PWD
5	ELDOWAS/T/05/2023-2024	Framework Contract for Supply and Delivery of Lab Equipment and chemical Reagents.	Open
6	ELDOWAS/T/06/2023-2024	Framework Contract for Supply and Delivery of Pipes and Fittings.	Open
7	ELDOWAS/T/07/2023-2024	Framework Contract for Supply and delivery of HDPE pipes and Fittings.	Open
8	ELDOWAS/T/08/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of Domestic Cold-Water meters	Open
B PROVISION OF SERVICES.			
9	ELDOWAS/T/09/2023-2024	Provision of Medical insurance services.	Open
10	ELDOWAS/T/10/2023-2024	Provision of General Insurance services.	Open
11	ELDOWAS/T/11/2023-2024	Provision of Motor vehicle insurances services.	Open
12	ELDOWAS/T/12/2023-2024	Framework Contract for Provision of Courier Services.	Open
13	ELDOWAS/T/13/2023-2024	Framework Contract for Provision of Catering Services.	Y, W & PWD
14	ELDOWAS/T/14/2023-2024	Provision of Cleaning Services	Y, W & PWD.
C REGISTRATION OF SUPPLIERS.			
15	ELDOWAS/P/15/2023-2024	Provision of Motor vehicle Maintenance.	Open
16	ELDOWAS/P/16/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of computer and printers.	Open
17	ELDOWAS/P/17/2023-2024	Servicing of photocopiers, computers and printers	Y, W & PWD
18	ELDOWAS/P/18/2023-2024	Supply and Delivery of office furniture and cabinets.	Y, W & PWD
19	ELDOWAS/P/19/2023-2024	Provision of welding and fabrication works.	Open
20	ELDOWAS/P/20/2023-2024	Provision of air ticketing services.	Open.
21	ELDOWAS/P/21/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of tyres and tubes.	Open.
22	ELDOWAS/P/22/2023-2024	Provision of Legal services.	Open
23	ELDOWAS/P/23/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of Electrical items	Open.
24	ELDOWAS/P/24/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of Sand and Ballast	Y, W, PWD
25	ELDOWAS/P/25/2023-2024	Supply and delivery of Fuel and lubricants	Open

Participating firms are advised to Download Tender Documents **Free of Charge** from the Company's website: <https://www.eldowas.or.ke>. All other Terms and Conditions remain as per the Tender Document.

Completed Bid Documents enclosed in plain sealed envelopes clearly marked with Reference Number and Name send to Company's Head Office without identifying the sender or be deposited in the Tender Box at Procurement Department not later than **26th May, 2023 at 12.00pm**. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter at the Company Boardroom in the presence of bidders or their representatives who wish to attend.

Tenders should be addressed to:

**THE MANAGING DIRECTOR,
ELDOR ET WATER AND SANITATION COMPANY LTD.
P.O BOX 8418-30100 ELDOR ET.**



TRAINING CALENDER ON PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AND ASSET DISPOSAL - 2022-2023

PROGRAM	DURATION	TARGET GROUP	VENUE	DATES	COSTS
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b) PPIP · Overview of EO No 2 of 2018 & Mandatory reporting requirements · Introduction to the PPIP front & back ends, · Practical end-to-end exercise on uploading procurement transactions on the PPIP · PPIP Reporting & Report Generation	2days	· Supply chain management officer's · All other staff who may be appointed to upload procurement transactions in PPIP	NAKURU-BONTANA HOTEL	22 nd TO 23 rd MAY, 2023	KES 22,000 PER PERSON INCLUSIVE OF CONFERENCE
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1. Chief Psycho-Social Officer, Grade 3 (Ref. 01/2023) 1 post

Duties and Responsibilities

The officer will head the Psycho-social Division at the Agency and will provide efficient and effective psychosocial services to vulnerable persons within the justice system, staff and also provide leadership and execute all Agency psychological and social related matters.

Specific duties include; coordinate psychological assessments and analysis, manage mental health plans and psychological services to support the vulnerable persons and those related to and/or associated with them; create a supporting work environment and Wellness Unit; document, submit psychological reports and professional views to law enforcement agencies on psychological related matters; coordinate medical, psychological needs and other related treatment of the vulnerable persons, related persons and/or associates; coordinate the design and the training on psychosocial programmes to address the needs and management of vulnerable persons including minors, those suffering from trauma, persons with disability, elderly, sexual and gender based violence for both the beneficiaries and other support officers; facilitate the effective implementation of the administration of justice program; facilitate strategic linkages with other state and non-state Agencies in the administration of justice and security related programmes; coordinate the inclusion, management and durable solutions of the vulnerable persons and their dependents and/or associates in administration of justice programme; ; facilitate the undertaking of forensic psychological analysis and research trends .

Qualifications and Experience

For appointment to this grade, a candidate must have:

- Served for a minimum period of three (3) years in a senior management position in social work, psychological, clinical, forensic and counseling services or a comparable position in the Public Service or reputable organization in the Private Sector;
- A Master's degree in the following fields: Social, Psychological, Clinical and Forensic Science or their equivalent qualification from a recognized university;
- Registered member of a relevant professional body;
- A valid driving license; and
- Shown merit and ability as reflected in work performance and results.

Note: Possession of a Strategic Leadership Development Course lasting not less than six (6) weeks or an equivalent leadership course from a recognized institution and competence in tackling diversity including social, ethnic and racial issues will be added advantages.

2. Psycho-Social Officer, Grade 6 (Ref. 02/2023) 1 post

Duties and Responsibilities

The Officer will provide social and psychological support and assessment services to clients. Specific duties include; preparing psychosocial reports; developing and implementing support and management plans for clients; assist in designing clients protection and training programmes to address the needs of children and other vulnerable clients suffering from trauma; carrying out counseling sessions; developing support services to clients; networking with other relevant organizations for effective support services; facilitating assimilation of clients into secured environment; implementing exit strategy and support programmes for the clients; Providing linkages with medical and psychosocial related service providers; ensuring safe custody of clients' records; facilitating treatment of clients and provision of psychosocial needs; and assisting clients attending court sessions.

Qualifications and Experience:

For appointment to this grade, a candidate must have:

- Served for a minimum period of three (3) years in a middle management position in social, psychological, clinical, forensic and counseling services or a comparable position in the Public Service or a reputable organization in the Private Sector;
- A Bachelor's degree in the following fields: Social, Psychological, Clinical and Forensic Sciences or equivalent qualification from a university recognized;
- Registration and membership with a relevant professional body; and
- A valid driving license.

3. Internal Audit Manager, Grade 3 (Ref. 03/2023) 1 post

Duties and Responsibilities

The officer will head the Internal Audit Unit at the Agency and will report to the Board's Audit and Risk Committee and administratively to the Chief Executive.

The officer will perform internal audit tasks to ensure establishment of appropriate and functioning systems of internal controls, risk management framework and compliance to various regulatory frameworks that govern the organization's financial, administrative and governance activities that create operations efficiency and effectiveness.

Specific duties include: Establishment, review, revision and implementation of system of Internal controls; identifying, advising and mitigating on operational, financial, technological and other risk exposure to the Agency; preparing and implementing Internal Audit Work Plans, Budgets and work schedules preparing and presenting Internal Audit Reports, making follow-ups and actions; review of Agency financial reports and returns – Management, annual and periodic reporting on compliance, accuracy, presentation and any other areas of concern; ensure the Agency Assets are properly maintained – record, storage, utilization and identification; Liaise and support external auditors in annual statutory audit and plan, Work Schedule; review of budgetary control systems; undertake special audit assignment; collecting audit evidence on major issues; supervise internal Audit and Risk staff; identify training needs; organize for their training and evaluate impact on training; maintenance of high internal audit standards complaint with applicable professional requirements.

Qualifications and Experience

For appointment to this grade, a candidate must have:

- Served in Internal Audit or External Audit for at least three (3) years at a Senior Level;
- Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Business Administration (Accounting or Finance Option) or equivalent qualifications from a recognized University;
- Completed Certified Public Accountant (CPA-K) or Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) and

be registered with the Institute of Certified Public Accountants of Kenya (ICPAK) or Institute of Internal Auditors (IIA);

- Qualification in various Computer Application Skills – MS Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Communications utilities from a recognized institution;
- Knowledge of various computerized aided audit tools, financial and enterprise resource management systems;
- Demonstrable wide administrative capabilities and high degree of Competence managing the Audit function at a high level;
- Ability to Develop and implement strategic corporate and operational audit plans; and
- Excellent Communication, Report Writing and Presentation skills.

Note: Possession of a Strategic Leadership Development Course lasting not less than six (6) weeks or an equivalent leadership course from a recognized institution and Corporate Governance training of not less than 5 days from a recognized institution will be an added advantage.

4. Personal Secretary II, Grade 7 (Ref. 04/2023) 1 post

Duties and Responsibilities

The officer will Provide effective and efficient office administrative services to the Agency.

Specific duties include processing data and information; coordinate the Directors Office with Heads of Department, contact between the executive, in/external clients; ; handling telephone calls and appointments; ensuring security of office records, equipments and documents, including classified materials; draft letters, email, memos and other correspondences including handling verbal instruction or requests internally and ensure prioritization; effective office records management; organizing all meetings, taking minutes and circulating decisions to relevant action office, type briefs and draft reports; compiling, analysis and computing data as requested; coordinate, schedule/diarize and follow up on appointments including conferences, staff leave, Management and Board meetings; efficient and effective planning of travel itinerary; financial planning and preparation, book keeping and documentation for the Executive and the Board; support the preparation of presentations, speeches and Board papers for the executives; assist in operational and administrative routine decision making, research and monitoring including training, supervision and recruiting.

Qualifications and Experience:

For appointment to this grade, a candidate must have:

- Served for a minimum period of three (3) years in a middle management position in secretarial personnel services or in the public service or a reputable private organization;
- A Bachelor's degree in Secretarial Studies or Business and Office Management or equivalent degree from a recognized university.

OR

A Higher Diploma/Diploma in Secretarial Studies by KNEC or equivalent qualifications from recognized institutions

OR

the following qualifications from the Kenya National Examinations Council:

- Shorthand III (minimum 100 w.p.m)
- Typewriting III (50 w.p.m.)/Computerized Document processing III
- Business English III/Communication II
- Commerce II
- Office Management III/Office Administration and Management III
- Secretarial Duties II
- Office Practice II
- Audiotyping (will be added advantage)

iii. A certificate in Computer Application (Windows, Ms- Word, Ms Excel, Ms Access and Ms Powerpoint) from a recognized institution;

iv. Shown merit and ability as reflected in work performance and results;

v. Excellent oral and written communication, organizational and time management skills;

vi. Team working, diplomacy and negotiation skills; and

vii. Proactive, flexible, attention to details and tact.

Note: For all the positions, candidates must, in addition, possess the following attributes: high integrity; ability to make appropriate decisions; self-driven and motivated; professionalism; strong communication and good interpersonal skills; be a team player and have respect for diversity; have strong ability to maintain confidentiality; and be computer literate.

Interested Candidates who meet the required qualifications should send their applications with detailed curriculum vitae, copies of academic and professional certificates, copies of appointment and promotional letters and other relevant testimonials, copy of National Identity Card, telephone contact, e-mail address, and names of three referees with their contacts.

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- Directorate of Criminal Investigation
- Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission
- Credit Reference Bureau
- Any professional body to which the candidate is a member

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ECONOMY



Prof Njuguna Ndung'u (left), the CS Treasury, and his PS James Muhati at the launch of Economic Survey 2023 in Nairobi.

This is our path to economic recovery - Treasury

The government is hopeful of positive economic growth this year due to increased investment in MSMEs as well as high rainfall that is expected to boost agricultural production

BY AGENDA KENYA WRITER

The National Treasury is optimistic that the country would register positive economic growth this and coming years due to the interventions it has put in place to stimulate recovery.

Prof Njuguna Ndung'u, the Cabinet Secretary, National Treasury and Economic Planning, said that they expect the economy to grow by 6.1 per cent in 2023, recovering from a stifled 4.8 per cent growth in 2022.

The country's economic growth dropped to 4.8 per cent in 2022, from a high of 7.6 per cent registered in 2021, according to the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics (KNBS).

KNBS attributed the slow growth to contraction of various sectors, including agriculture and manufacturing as well as

elevated inflation during the period.

Mr Macdonald Obudho, the KNBS director-general, while releasing the Economic Survey 2023 in Nairobi last week, said agriculture contracted due to prolonged drought, impacting the overall economic growth.

The sector recorded a negative growth of 1.6 per cent in 2022, a further decline from - 0.4 per cent in 2021.

"Drought in most parts of the country severely affected agricultural production. Maize production decreased from 36.7 million bags in 2021 to 34.3 million bags in 2022. Tea production decreased from 537,800 tonnes in 2021 to 535,000 tonnes in 2022 on account of depressed rainfall in growing areas," said Mr Obudho.

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Treasury and KNBS officials during the launch of the Economic Survey 2023 in Nairobi.

RECOVERY

Treasury eyes 6.1pc economic growth, up from 4.8pc in 2022

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He added, "However, the country earned more, Sh163 billion, from tea in 2022 due to a stronger dollar."

On the other hand, the volume of horticultural exports decreased from 405,000 tonnes in 2021 to 392,000 tonnes in 2022.

Similarly, manufacturing registered a -2.7 per cent growth from 7.3 per cent in 2021 while the growth of the construction sector slowed down to 4.1 per cent compared to 6.7 per cent in 2021, according to KNBS.

Prof Ndung'u believes the worst is over for Kenya, and the country would record accelerated economic growth moving forward.

"2022 is a year most of us want to forget because of the many negative shocks from the supply side, which were persistent, undermining government efforts to stabilise the economy," he said.

The negative shocks include high global commodity prices, which are still evident

today, that affected the structure of economy as they impacted on the cost of living, he observed.

"It is harder to lay a good economic foundation when the cost of living is affected by supply shocks from outside. But we have now instituted a raft of policy measures to



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effect a positive economic growth," he said.

To turnaround the economy, Prof Ndung'u said the government has invested in key areas through the Bottom-Up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA).

"Under this agenda we have targeted critical areas namely agriculture, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, healthcare, housing and settlement and the digital and creative economy. This we believe will support economic growth and recovery," he explained. In agriculture, he said the government has distributed some six million bags of subsidised fertiliser to hundreds of farmers across the country at a cost of Sh3,500, down from Sh6,000.

Coupled with good rains that are being experienced currently, Prof Ndung'u said agricultural production is set to increase lowering the cost of living.

The contribution of agriculture sector to the gross domestic product went down to 21 per cent in 2022 due to declined production

following a lengthy dry spell that affected production of all crops including coffee, tea, cut flowers and horticulture.

"Decline in production from agriculture sector has a spiral effect on manufacturing which relies on raw materials from the latter. This in turn affects economic growth," said Prof Ndung'u, noting that the government is seeking to have each county have an agricultural processing plant to boost value addition.

Under the MSMEs sector, the CS said the Hustler Fund has positively impacted small businesses and traders with some of them borrowing up to 300 times.

"This fund is changing the landscape of the financial sector as the people at the bottom of the pyramid borrow cash without presenting any collateral. This we expect will stimulate the economy positively," he said.

Since the launch of the fund in November last year, some Sh27 billion has been disbursed to 19 million people, with repayments standing at Sh17 billion, President William Ruto said during Labour Day celebrations.

The International Monetary Fund has lauded the economic recovery programme, with managing director Kristalina Georgieva saying the government's investment in agriculture and MSMEs will offer a offer quick turnaround results.

She added that the government's prudent fiscal measures and transparency in governance have further set the country on the path of success.

"We commend you for what you are doing on your fiscal measures. The country is certainly headed in the right direction," she said during a meeting with President.

However, one of the major threats to the expected positive economic growth this year, according to the KNBS, is the weakening of the shilling against the dollar, which will make imports expensive and slow trade with the rest of the world.

Additionally, the projected decline in global demand due to elevated inflation and sustained high interest rates causing deceleration in the global economy is expected to reduce demand of Kenyan exports.

Overall, Prof Ndung'u said while the country's economy declined 4.8 per cent in 2022, this performance was higher than the 3.9 per cent growth for sub-Saharan Africa and 3.4 per cent for the global economy.

"The world economic growth decelerated to 3.4 per cent in 2022 from a growth of 6 per cent in 2021. The decelerated growth was as a result of post Covid-19 tightening of monetary policies in most regions, resurgence of Covid-19 in China and the Russia-Ukraine war that led to supply chain disruptions," said Mr Obudho.

He added that the sub-Saharan Africa economy contracted due to a decline in household consumption and private investment resulting from rising global inflation and tightened monetary policies.

On the other hand, the East African Community economy expanded by 4.9 per cent in the period under review compared to 6.7 per cent in 2021. ■

INFOBOX

The highlights

- Employment in the informal sector rose by 4.6 per cent to 16 million jobs. On the other hand, wage employment in the private sector recorded a growth of 4.8 per cent from 1.98 million jobs in 2021 to 2.08 million jobs in 2022.
- There was increased expenditure on imports due to continued rise in petroleum products, which amounted to Sh597.7 billion, accounting for nearly a quarter of the total import bill in 2022.
- Construction sector registered a growth of 4.1 per cent in 2022 compared to 6.7 per cent in 2021.
- Cement consumption increased from 9.1 million metric tonnes in 2021 to 9.5 million metric tonnes in 2022.
- The tourism sector recorded an improved performance in 2021 driven by an increase in international visitor arrivals from 871,000 in 2021 to 1.54 million in 2022.
- The number of crimes reported to the police increased by 8.4 per cent to 88,083 in 2022.
- The financial and insurance sector expanded by 12.8 per cent in 2022 from 11.5 per cent in 2021.
- Education sector expenditure grew by 7.1 per cent to Sh548 billion in 2022/23 financial year.

BRIEFS

Expect higher nut prices, Linturi tells macadamia farmers

THE GOVERNMENT HAS promised macadamia farmers better prices after the lifting of the ban on export of unprocessed nuts. The price of nuts had dropped to as low as 20 per kilo prompting Trade Cabinet Secretary Moses Kuria to lift the ban to save farmers from exploitation by processors.

Agriculture CS Mithika Linturi (right) said following the lifting of the ban, prices had started to rise with a kilo currently selling at Sh65 up from Sh20 a month ago. Mr Linturi, who was accompanied



by International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) president Alvaro Lario during a tour in Embu, said the government is keen on ensuring farmers' earnings improve.

Mr Linturi said the government is pushing for further rise in nut prices from the current Sh65 to Sh100.

"And depending on the outcome of SGS inspection, a global macadamia certification body, prices could jump to Sh150 by June," said Mr Linturi. Besides prices, the CS said other key areas the government is seeking to address to boost farmers earnings are grading and value addition. ■
– KNA

Bottom-Up agenda gets Sh400bn funding boost

THE GOVERNMENT'S BOTTOM-UP Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA) has received a major boost after the African Export-Import Bank (Afreximbank) agreed to provide Sh400 billion financing. Under the financing programme, Sh110 billion will be spent on the

construction of 200 dams to provide water for irrigation, domestic use and livestock.

"With the deteriorating water levels due to climate change, it is important that we maximise water harvesting," said President William Ruto following the signing of the agreement between Kenya and Afreximbank. He added that the fund will also support the government's industrialisation efforts, especially the development of industrial parks and five special economic zones in Nakuru, Busia, Kirinyaga, Thika and Eldoret. Afreximbank President Benedict Oramah said the programme will support the government's priorities in enhancing capacity of critical commodities, agriculture, water harvesting, construction of industrial parks and investment in the digital superhighway. ■

Banks go for climate financing in search of new business

MOST BANKS HAVE come up with climate financing solutions as they seek to mitigate climate-related risks and harness opportunities in the sector, according to the Central Bank of Kenya.

The bank said in a survey titled Banking Sector Innovation 2022 that 51 per cent of commercial banks and 43 per cent of microfinance banks in Kenya had innovated a climate product in the past one year. "In comparison to 2021, we note an increase in the innovation of climate-related products by both banks and microfinance banks from 33 per cent and 36 per cent, respectively, indicating a steady focus on the emerging issue," said the Central Bank. ■

President William Ruto during the launch of the Status of Migration in the East and Horn of Africa 2022 report in Nairobi.



REGIONAL PEACE

Why Kenya wants speedy resolution of Sudan crisis

President William Ruto has been piling pressure on the warring generals to stop the war and return the country to democracy

BY AGENDA KENYA WRITER

The prospects of Sudan becoming a member of the East African Community and the need to entrench democracy in Africa has seen Kenya push for peaceful resolution of the conflict in the country.

President William Ruto is spearheading part of the efforts to see the two warring generals in the Northeast African nation stop the war and agree to return to democracy.

“As a region, our message to the generals is clear, they have no business destroying what the Sudanese people have painstakingly built for years,” said President Ruto in Nairobi during the launch of an Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD) report on migration in the region.

The President said IGAD would hold the two generals heading the Sudanese Armed Forces (SAF) and the Rapid Support Forces (RSF) accountable for causing unnecessary

chaos when the war that erupted on April 15 in Khartoum can be solved through dialogue.

“A very small matter at the tail end of a transition pact is causing the war. We need to stop the slide of Sudan into chaos. As Kenya, we owe it to the people of Sudan that we must support them to resolve their issues,” he said.

He observed that Kenya is happy to help stabilise the Democratic Republic of Congo, Somalia and Sudan to build a stronger East African Community, with the President saying the last two are welcomed in the regional bloc.

“Africa is ready to build democratic institutions for people to choose their leaders. We will not entertain military rule



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According to the President, the current war is fuelling a forced migration crisis in the region with countries like Kenya and Uganda already bearing a huge burden. While Uganda hosts some 1.5 million refugees, Kenya has 500,000.

“Migration plays a crucial role in regional integration, enabling society to exchange skills and deepen bonds between regions and communities. However, it should not be forced because of displacement,” he said.

Last week, President Ruto convened a virtual meeting with the heads of the United Nations agencies and other partners to mount a response to the worsening humanitarian crisis in Sudan.

The meeting resolved to find ways to provide humanitarian support to the people of Sudan “with or without a ceasefire”.

“The humanitarian crisis in Sudan has reached catastrophic levels. The protagonists have declined to heed the calls by the IGAD, the African Union and the international community to cease fire,” the President said.

The meeting was attended by United Nations Deputy Secretary-General Amina Mohamed, African Union Commission chair Moussa Faki Mahamat and former Prime Minister of Sudan Abdallah Hamdok. ■

INFOBOX

Sudan Conflict

The war erupted on April 15 between the Sudanese Armed Forces (SAF) and the Rapid Support Forces (RSF) in Khartoum. More than 450 people have been killed nationwide, and over 4,000 have been injured.

Thousands have fled Sudan to neighbouring countries. The number has been on the rise as violence continues. The most major cross-border movements in the region have been the Sudanese fleeing to Chad, and South Sudanese refugees returning to their country.

Source: United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs



HUDUMA CORNER

PS, Huduma Kenya boss pick lessons on using technology to deliver public services

The Principal Secretary in the State Department for Public Service, Mr Amos Gathecha, and the Acting chief executive officer of Huduma Kenya, Mr Mugambi Njeru, attended the World Bank’s inaugural GovTech Global Forum in Washington, DC for lessons on using technology to efficiently deliver government services.

The prestigious event brought together thinkers, innovators and practitioners in government technology for the sharing of insights to help shape the digital transformation of the public sector.

One of the topics discussed at the event was how digital technologies can help governments deliver faster and more efficiently.

According to the World Bank, the GovTech

Global Forum provides a new approach to public sector modernisation.

“It emphasizes three aspects of public sector modernisation: citizen-centric, universally accessible public services, and whole-of-government approach to digital government transformation,” said the bank.

The forum provided a unique opportunity for participants to engage and learn from each others experiences, as they explored various strategies for leveraging technology to drive innovation, efficiency and effectiveness in public service delivery.

Huduma Kenya is credited for positively changing the way citizens access public services. Its centres across the country have taken government services closer to the public.

They include ID card and driving licence application, processing and collection as well as registration for NHIF, NSSF and KRA services.

Last December, the government extended service hours in 18 select centres, including GPO, City Square, Makadara, Kibra and Eastleigh in Nairobi as well as Thika, Nakuru, Eldoret, Nyeri, Embu and Kisii. ■



Right: The Principal Secretary in the State Department for Public Service, Mr Amos Gathecha at the GovTech Global Forum in Washington, DC.



Above: Acting chief executive officer of Huduma Kenya, Mr Mugambi Njeru.



What is Cyberknife?

It is one of the newest forms of cancer treatment technology used in the delivery of radiation therapy. Cyberknife offers high doses of radiation to targeted body areas, in particular the cancerous tumours. Despite its name, Cyberknife involves no cutting.

And what is cancer?

It is the name given to a disease where some of body’s cells grow uncontrollably and spread to other parts or surrounding tissues. In normal cases, human cells grow and multiply to form new ones needed by the body. However, sometimes this systematic process fails, allowing abnormal or damaged cells to rapidly grow and multiply when they shouldn’t forming tumours, which can be cancerous or not. If cancerous, they become a threat to the body. Cancer treatment include surgery, chemotherapy and radiation therapy. Cyberknife uses radiation therapy.

Cyberknife radiation therapy involves...

This involves high-energy X-rays or photons that the Cyberknife machine releases with the aid of artificial intelligence (AI), tracking and targeting the cancerous cells. The aim of the treatment is to eliminate the disease, prolong life, and improve the quality of life of the patient. However, as many other diseases, effective and efficient treatment happens if there is early detection of cancer.

How does Cyberknife differ from other cancer treatments?

Unlike treatments such as open surgery or chemo that affects the entire body, Cyberknife treatment focuses only on the affected area of the body without any incisions and has virtually no side effects, pain or down time for patients. Cyberknife radiation therapy also requires fewer treatments.

What kind of cancers does it treat?

The technology is used in the treatment of brain tumours as well as breast, liver, prostate, spine, lung, and pancreatic cancers.

Tell me about the treatment procedure

The patient first undergoes imaging scans to help the radiation oncologist map the tumour. With the information from the scans, the Cyberknife system’s computer is able to create a three-dimensional map of the tumour before radiation therapy starts.

After the tumour is mapped, then what?

The patient lies under a robotic device – the Cyberknife – that delivers the radiation therapy. Specially trained personnel oversee the computer guided treatment, with the robot focusing precisely on the affected area.

So, no anesthesia is administered?

Absolutely, since the body is not opened up. The treatment causes no pain, therefore, anesthesia and pain medication are not needed.

What if the patients moves or coughs?

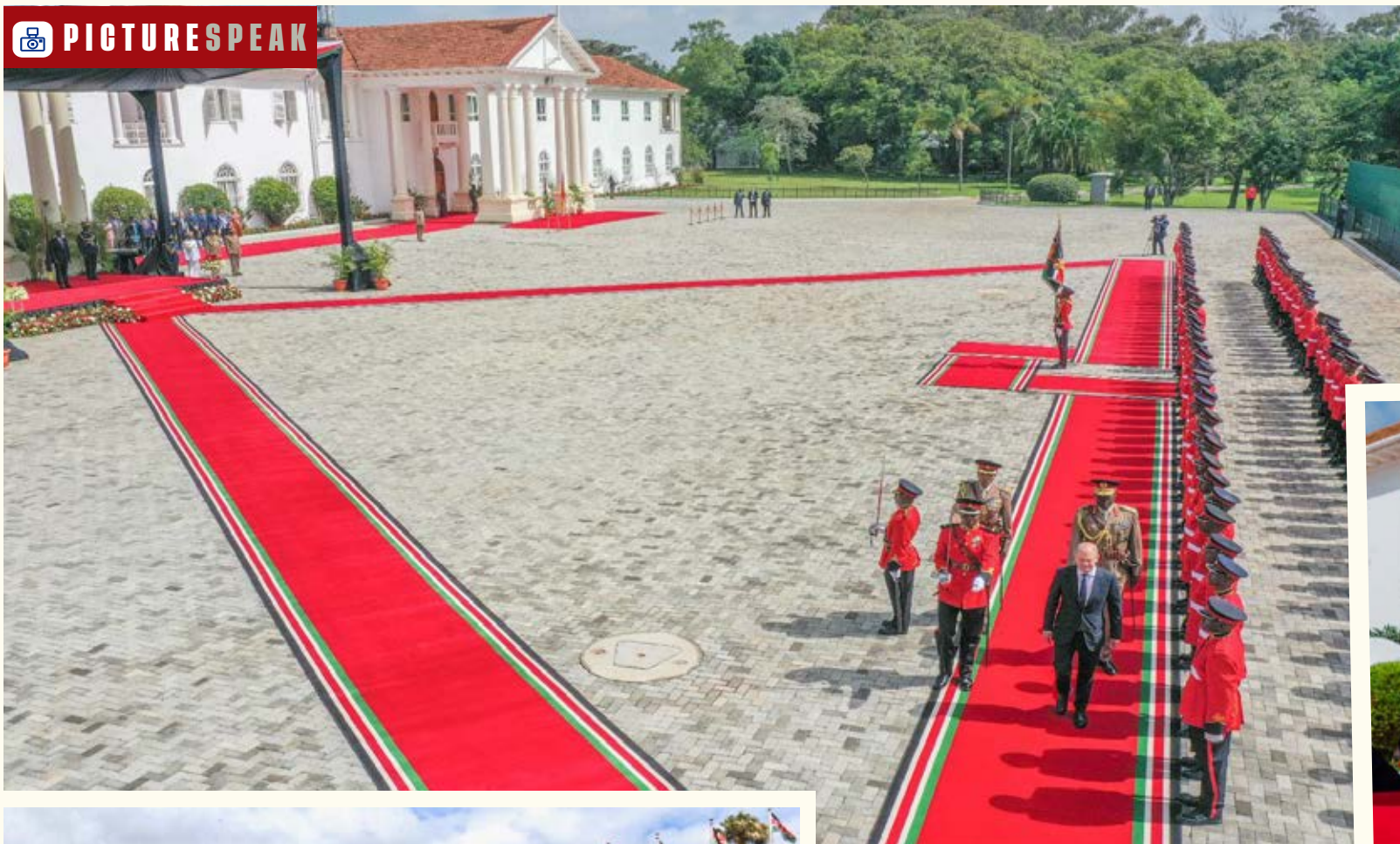
To help incorporate adjustments for patient movement and breathing in targeting the radiation, tiny gold markers are sometimes positioned in or around the tumour. This guides the system on the real-time position of the tumour for effective elimination of the disease.

Is Cyberknife only used to treat cancer?

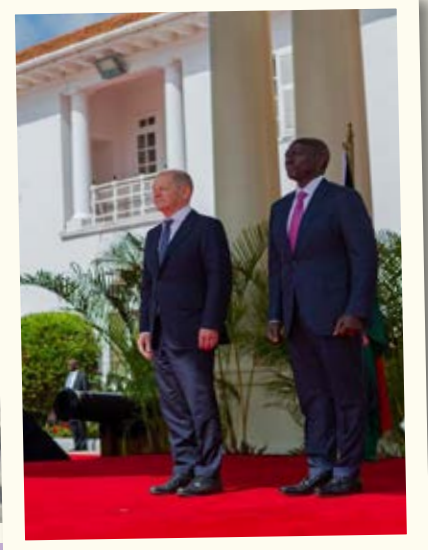
It is used in the treatment of both cancerous and non-cancerous tumours and several other conditions on the body including on the prostate, lung, brain, spine, liver, pancreas and kidney, where radiation therapy is needed.

AGENDA KENYA

PICTURESPEAK



The Chancellor of Germany Olaf Scholz inspects a guard of honour at State House, Nairobi. Mr Scholz and President William Ruto held talks on regional conflict, renewable energy and how to strengthen bilateral ties. President Ruto announced that Kenya had officially joined the Climate Club established last year by the G7 for nations that pursue ambitious climate policies. President Ruto said Kenya wanted to play a leading role in the initiative. Kenya is Germany's most important trading partner in East Africa. However, the trade balance is in favour of Germany. In 2021, Kenya's exports to Germany were worth \$130 million, while imports amounted to \$392 million. PHOTOS: PCS



Japanese Prime Minister Kishida Fumio inspects a guard of honour while on a two-day visit of the country. He discussed with President William Ruto issues of commercial and economic partnerships, education and scholarships, as well as infrastructural development. PHOTO: PCS



Central Bank of Kenya governor Patrick Njoroge (left) and Safaricom CEO Peter Ndegwa during the launch of universal QR code enabling business owners to use a single code across all payment apps.



Interior and National Administration Cabinet Secretary Kindiki Kithure when he ordered an operation to flush out armed criminals and cattle rustlers hiding in Marsabit forest. He met the county security and intelligence team in Marsabit Town and instructed the officers to investigate, apprehend and prosecute all criminals behind recent killings. Several current and former political leaders in Marsabit County, as well as some religious and community leaders are under investigation.

Principal Secretaries during a Public Service Commission (PSC) workshop. PSC enlightened them on the pathways to instilling prescribed standards of good governance and the principles of public service delivery within their respective State Departments. They provided a rundown on the obligations of the PSs as the top policy makers and accounting officers to ensure transparency in managing human/financial resources within their departments and inculcate ethical conduct, accountability and responsiveness in the workforce.



Environment and Climate Change CS Soipan Tuya with World Meteorological Organization (WMO) secretary-general, Prof Petteri Taalas. The two discussed partnership for the upcoming Africa Climate Change summit to be held in Nairobi from September 4-6.

State launches new guidelines for avocado, beans and peas farming

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The Government, through the National Horticulture Task force (NHT) has launched the Good Agricultural Practice (GAP) guidelines for Avocado, Beans and Peas in pods to address the challenges faced by farmers as they strive to meet the commercial quality and the regulatory requirements in the horticulture sub-sector.

National Horticulture Task-force Chairman, Clement Tulezi said the good agricultural guidelines have come at a critical moment in the horticultural sector of Kenya which is currently facing major bottlenecks that need to be addressed to enable it to competitively thrive in the marketplace.

"The Good Agricultural Practice Guides have been developed by stakeholders to address the challenges relating to the commercial quality and the regulatory requirements for beans, peas and avocado.

These challenges, he added, include compliance with sanitary and phytosanitary requirements such as pres-



Avocado fruit and Beans. The government has launched GAP guides for avocado, beans and peas.

ence of harmful organisms and maximum residue limits for pesticides, use of quality and true to type planting materials and adoption of good hygiene practices. Additionally, Tulezi noted that there has been disease prevalence which has led to lack of ripening of mature fruits, or hardening. "Some farmers have been harvesting im-

mature avocados which has led to flagging of the avocado exports to

Some farmers have been harvesting immature avocados - Clement Tulezi

the niche markets. The good practice guides contain strategies on addressing these challenges," he said.

Harsama Kello, the Principal Secretary, State Department for Crop Development said horticulture is the fastest growing sub-sector in Agriculture and has been on a steady rise in terms of production volumes and revenue for the last 10 years.

He added that the foreign earnings from the sub-sector have surpassed the tea industry, which has been a major foreign exchange and income earner and the gap in earnings has since been widening.

"In 2022, the country earned Sh146 billion from horticulture exports, with

flowers contributing Sh103 billion, vegetables Sh23 billion and fruits Sh20 billion," Kello said.

The PS acknowledged that the private sector plays a very big role in the industry of exporting beans, peas, avocado and other horticultural products, with more than 150,000 small scale farmers participating in value chains for the export market and with large scale farmers-small scale linkages as a driving force as well as marketing strength.

Kello said the Ministry will continue creating an enabling environment for the sub-sector to thrive and ensure that the country realizes the desired agriculture transformation.

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Career educationists clinch prestigious global awards

Two career educationists and three Technical and Vocational Education and Training teachers have thrust Kenya on the world map after being feted by the World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics (WFCP).

Rift Valley Institute of Science and Technology (RVIST) Principal Sammy Chemoiwo was awarded a gold medal in Leadership in Inclusivity category, while his predecessor Dr. Daniel Mutai was feted with a silver medal in the Lifetime Achievement award category during the sixth edition of the World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics 2023 TVET excellence for all awards held in Montreal, Canada.

At the same time, the 43-year-old RVIST won a gold medal for the Sustainable Development Goals Award, Harare National Polytechnic of Zimbabwe took home the silver, while Australian Technical and Further Education (TAFE) institute got the bronze. Dr. Mutai said the awards were telling the world that Kenyan TVETs have done a good job, adding that it goes into global records that the country had made a mark.

WFCP 2023 Awards of Excellence recognized outstanding

contributions from member institutions, individuals and associations' exceptional initiatives, which are strengthening applied learning and research outcomes.

The congress, touted as the largest professional and technical education event in the world, was attended by more than 700 delegates from 50 countries and six continents. Both Kenya School of TVET and Nairobi Technical Training Institute clinched bronze medals for the Teacher Professional Development Award and the Applied Research and Innovation Award categories respectively. WFCP is a global network of individual, national and regional associations of colleges, with those in Kenya represented through the Kenya Association of Technical Training Institutions (KATTI). Earlier during the fifth edition of the WFCP 2022 Congress that was held in Donostia-San Sebastian, Spain, Dr. Mutai, who retired in February last year, won a bronze medal in the Leadership in Diversity and Inclusion Award category, becoming the first-ever Kenyan to win the award. *By Anne Mwale and Dennis Rasto (KNA)*

Women make a fortune from sale of beads locally and abroad

About one hundred and twenty women groups in eight counties are making millions of shillings from the sale of beads locally and abroad.

According to the Northern Rangeland Trust (NRT) Director for Gender Ms Beatrice Lempaira, single mothers are the most active in the new business venture of bead making and have managed to pay for the education needs of their children compared to other women.

Speaking at a women conference held at Isiolo and attended by women from Marsabit, Samburu, Laikipia and Isiolo, Ms. Lempaira said NRT supports 1,200 women by providing beads which are sold abroad to empower women who are not educated by virtue of their nomadic lifestyles.

The NRT official further added that women are the most resilient economically and trustworthy to donors among the pastoralists and are in the forefront of giving direction in the field of education and management of security in their areas.

The gender boss said despite most of the conservancies in the eight counties being managed by men, women have contributed a lot in return from the sales of beads annually to

service vehicles and other office administrative activities. The Marsabit County Executive Committee Member for Culture, Gender and Social services Mr. Jeremy Ledaany said NRT has been a blessing for pastoralist communities and urged the beneficiaries to take advantage of the goodwill to uplift themselves.

Mr. Ledaany said his government would bring all fourteen clans in the Marsabit county during the Loiyangalani Cultural Festival to export their talents and traditional products to other counties.

He added that since NRT introduced women empowerment in the northern semi-arid counties, women have started owning land, livestock and have a say on their husband's property when alive or dead.

The CECM said that women in Marsabit have started adopting the blue energy by using gas and solar in order to reduce use of firewood and charcoal.

Ledaany added that drought has threatened Marsabit Forest following an influx of livestock in search of pasture women have started tree nurseries to increase forest coverage by 10 percent.

By Abduba Mamo (KNA)

CS launches housing industry 'Green Book' to address challenges affecting sector

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Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development Cabinet Secretary Zachariah Njeru, has launched the Kenya Property Management Standards (The Green Book) which will help in addressing challenges facing the housing industry in the country.

Speaking while launching the book at a Nairobi hotel, Njeru commended the Institution of Surveyors of Kenya (ISK) for its role in creating the guidelines which will give property management experts a foundation for offering their clients high-quality services across the country.

CS Njeru added that the guidelines will make sure tenants' and property owners' rights are protected from grabbers and land speculators. The standards, the CS said, will also encourage



Zachariah Njeru (Centre) Cabinet Secretary for Lands, Public Works, Housing and Urban Development with heads of various technical institutions during the launch of the Kenya Property Management Standards (The Green Book).

transparency and accountability in the housing sector, both of which are essential for luring investment and fostering growth. "With the implementation of these standards, we can expect to see a significant improvement in the ethical conduct of property management professionals, which will ultimately benefit all stake-

holders in the sector," said CS Njeru.

He noted that the guidelines come at a time the Government is focusing on building 200,000 houses annually. Njeru pointed out that another crucial element of the Green Book is financial management. Property managers will be able to prove their proficiency in

financial management using the parameters set out in the guidelines. The CS emphasized that the standards provide guidelines on property maintenance, which will help property managers to deliver high-quality maintenance services and ensure that properties are kept in good condition and also address that tenant relations.