

Missing activist was tortured by his captors

Silencing critics? Human rights activist Mwabili Mwagodi, who had been missing for days, was dumped in Kwale at the Kenya-Tanzania border on Sunday morning. **P.2**



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Justice Two police officers to be sentenced today for murdering a detainee

Exposed: Police killings cover-up

Court proceedings on police killings during recent protests are exposing attempts to conceal incriminating evidence in a pattern that has played out in past trials. A judge once rebuked “the blue code of silence”- referring to a conspiracy within the police service to shield rogue colleagues. **Pages 4&5**



Ruto allies plot Mt Kenya comeback

Game plan President's loyalists held meetings at hotels in three counties on Saturday to refine a strategy to counter former Deputy President Rigathi Gachagua's influence in the region. **Story on Page 7**

THE STRATEGY

● Cease engaging Gachagua on political rhetoric

● Launch ward-level conversations with voters

● Withdraw 'oppressive' boda boda and coffee pay policies

● Give financial support to needy residents

● Hype Ruto service delivery

● Work towards getting 60pc of Mt Kenya

● Poach leaders from opposition

● Keep rivals' families from political wars

● Have President visit the region

● Stop hurling insults at rivals



LABOUR

Big win for former NHIF staff as court settles pay dispute

Workers who were either absorbed into the Social Health Authority, or redeployed elsewhere in the public service, will retain their last drawn salaries. **P.3**

Police, goons clash with opposition leaders

Police officers in Murang'a yesterday combined their efforts with goons to disperse opposition politicians. The politicians, who are pushing to stop President William Ruto's re-election in the 2027 General Election, had attended Sunday service at AIPCA Kahuro Church in Kigumo constituency and were on their way out when all hell broke loose.

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National News

Activist Mwagodi 'was tortured, injected with unknown substance'

BY KEVIN MUTAI

Human rights activist Mwabili Mwagodi, who was reported missing in Tanzania, is receiving treatment at a Mombasa hospital after being found dumped in Kwale County.

Mwagodi was taken to hospital after being found helpless in Lunga Lunga, which is located at the Kenya-Tanzania border. He is reported to have been dumped by people believed to be plainclothes police officers.

Muslims for Human Rights (Muhuri) Rapid Response Officer Francis Auma

said Mwagodi was found at around 3am and driven to Mombasa. He is expected to be flown later to his family in Nairobi.

"This is now becoming a trend. We saw what happened to Boniface Mwangi, who was also abducted in Tanzania and dumped at the border," Mr Auma said.

Mwagodi's uncle, Zacharia Mwabili, who was accompanied by other family members, said their kin was in pain and in dire need of medical assistance.

"It is by God's miracle that we have found him. We were really worried about his life," he said.

Mwagodi told his family members that

he had been questioned by detectives in Tanzania, who wanted to know his reason for visiting the country and whether he had any political associations there.

Anti-government protests

The activist has been a critic of President William Ruto and part of a vocal group of activists leading protests against the government. He played a role during the anti-Finance Bill, 2024 protests, mobilising residents from the Coastal region to take to the streets.

"They took away his items, including travel documents, phones, money and

identification documents," Mwabili said yesterday.

The human rights activists, who picked up Mwagodi in Diani, said he told them that he had been tortured and locked up in a dark, isolated room.

They condemned the Kenyan authorities, whom they accused of intimidating him while in hospital.

His family urged the police, who were at the hospital, to give him time to recover before questioning him.

"They tortured him because you can clearly see he is mentally unstable. He claims that they beat him up and inject-

ed him with something we don't know. That's why he needs to be treated as soon as possible," said human rights activist Walid Said.

Mwagodi's abduction sparked an online debate, with the hashtag #FreeMwabiliMwagodi trending on X.

Members of civil society groups are now demanding answers. They are calling on the Kenyan Government to take action against those who abducted Mwagodi last Wednesday and ensure that justice is served.

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Opposing voices Commonwealth Lawyers Association denounces rise in politically-motivated abductions in East Africa

EA's abduction crisis: Vanishing voices of dissent

Family of Kenyan activist Mwagodi says he had been receiving threats over his outspoken criticism of the government

BY NYABOGA KIAGE

At the time of his abduction in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania, the family of Kenyan activist Mwabili Mwagodi—popularly known as TL Elder on X—had been receiving threats over his outspoken criticism of the Kenyan government.

Until his disappearance on July 23, Mwagodi, who has over 76,000 followers on X, was working at Amani Beach Hotel in Kigamboni. He was found yesterday, having been dumped by unidentified men in Lunga Lunga, 419 kilometres from his workplace.

According to his family, there was no doubt that Mwagodi was a marked man. His troubles began during the height of last year's Gen Z-led anti-Finance Bill protests, which culminated in the storming of Parliament on June 24, 2024.

The tipping point came when he led a protest at a church service attended by President William Ruto in Nyahururu, Laikipia County last year.

His sister, Isabella Kituri, told the Nation that men in plainclothes visited their home and identified themselves as officers from the Directorate of Criminal Investigations (DCI). She said that they warned their parents that Mwagodi should "cool off" on the protests and focus on his family.

"In October 2024, my parents received visitors who claimed to be from the DCI. They warned that if my brother did not stop criticising the government, there would be consequences," she said.

When he was eventually found, Mwagodi said he had been held in a dark room by Tanzanian security officers who interrogated him about his presence in the country and his political affiliations. He also claimed that he had been injected with an

unknown substance.

He was later taken to Pandya Hospital for medical attention.

Mwagodi's abduction is among several recent cases in East Africa involving activists and opposition figures. The trend has triggered widespread concern and condemnation from international human rights groups.

The Commonwealth Lawyers Association (CLA) has denounced the rise in politically motivated abductions across East Africa, particularly in Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania.

"CLA is alarmed by a pattern of abductions and torture which has increased in several countries in East Africa—predominantly, but not exclusively, in Kenya, Uganda, and Tanzania," the organisation said in a statement.

The CLA, an international non-profit that promotes the rule of law across the Commonwealth, noted that most victims are opposition leaders, activists, human rights defenders, protesters and journalists. The group said abductions are being used to suppress dissent and instil fear among citizens exercising their constitutional rights.

"Detention without due process, as was in the case of Mwagodi, amounts to a denial of justice," CLA said.

According to the African Charter on Human and Peoples' Rights, Article 5 guarantees the dignity of every individual and prohibits torture, slavery, and inhumane treatment. Article 6 states that no one may be arbitrarily arrested or detained without legal justification.

Despite these legal safeguards, abductions continue to rise in the region, drawing global attention.

Among other recent victims is Tanzanian editor and activist Maria Sarungi, who fled to Kenya after threats from the late Tanzanian Pres-



Family members console activist Mwabili Mwagodi at the Pandya Memorial Hospital in Mombasa yesterday. KEVIN ODITI | NATION

ident John Magufuli. On January 12, 2025, she was abducted in Kilimanjaro, Nairobi, and released hours later. She claimed she was manhandled, choked, and forced into a car by four unidentified assailants.

"I believe the motive was to access my social media accounts and intimidate me because of my whistleblowing work," she told journalists.

In May 2025, Kenyan activist Boniface Mwangi and his Ugandan counterpart, Agatha Atuhaire, were abducted by Tanzanian authorities. In court filings, they stated how they

were tortured before being dumped at various border points. Atuhaire said she was ordered to undress and was beaten while handcuffed.

"They tried to put a sweater over my arms, possibly to conceal more severe injuries," she recounted.

Mr Mwangi said he endured "four dark days," before being left at Horohoro, on the Kenya-Tanzania border, barely able to walk. Tanzanian President Samia Suluhu Hassan did not directly address the incident. Instead, she warned outsiders against trying to destabilise her country.

"Because of the strength and stability of our nation, some people from outside want to come and disrupt us. Defending the country is not just my job or that of the security forces—it is everyone's responsibility," she said.

Kenya and Uganda have also been implicated in cross-border abductions. In November 2024, opposition leader Kizza Besigye was abducted in Nairobi and handed over to Ugandan authorities. Kenya has denied involvement. Foreign Affairs Principal Secretary Korir Sing'oei stated that Kenya was not part of the operation.

The rise in such cases drew concern from US Senate Foreign Relations Committee Chairman Jim Risch, who said the incidents reflect a dangerous erosion of governance and

rule of law in the region.

"Rising abductions and torture in East Africa signal more than abuse—they expose state decay and impunity. That's a direct threat to regional stability, security, and US interests," Mr Risch said.

In October, four Turkish nationals—Mustafa Genç, Hüseyin Yeşilsu, Öztürk Uzun, and Alparslan Taşçı—were abducted in Kenya and deported. Kenya acknowledged the repatriation, saying it was done at the request of the Turkish government.

Lawyer Ken Nyaundi told the Nation that abductions amount to a gross violation of the law.

"Kenya signed the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance in 2007. While it hasn't ratified the convention, signing it shows intent to be bound by it," he said.

Nyaundi said enforced disappearances constitute crimes against humanity under international law and fall under the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court (ICC).

"Those behind these abductions may escape justice for now, but eventually they will be held accountable. There are no timelines for prosecution at the ICC," he warned.

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Isabella Kituri, Mwabili Mwagodi's sister



Landmark judgement Ministry said only 815 of 1,737 workers would transition to SHA

Big win for ex-NHIF staff as court settles pay row



Salaries of workers who moved to SHA, or other areas in public service, to stay intact

BY JOSEPH WANGUI

Staff of the defunct National Hospital Insurance Fund (NHIF) who were either absorbed into the Social Health Authority (SHA), or redeployed elsewhere in the public service, will retain their last drawn salaries, the Labour Relations Court has ruled.

In a landmark decision that comes as a major relief to hundreds of affected employees, the court ordered that all former NHIF staff will continue to earn the same salaries they received prior to the transition.

"All staff of the defunct NHIF who are not absorbed by the Social Health

Authority (SHA) and opt for redeployment in the wider public service shall retain their prevailing NHIF salaries, personal to self, until they exit the public service through normal retirement, resignation, or any other lawful means," ruled Justice Byram Ongaya.

The order follows a mediation agreement between three petitioners, SHA, and the Public Service Commission (PSC), in a case challenging SHA's recruitment process and seeking to safeguard the salaries of former NHIF employees.

The petitioners moved to court after the Ministry of Health revealed in February 2025 that only 815 out of the 1,737 NHIF staff would transition to SHA. The remaining 922 employees were to be redeployed across other departments in the public service.

Justice Ongaya further said: "Any letters already issued to staff of the defunct NHIF, who have been redeployed within the public service, shall be varied to reflect the retention of

salary, personal to self."

As part of the consent order, the petitioners also agreed to withdraw a contempt of court application against SHA Chief Executive Officer Dr Mercy Mwangangi and her PSC counterpart, Mr Paul Famba.

"The application for contempt of court dated June 17, 2025, is hereby marked as withdrawn," said Justice Ongaya.

The contempt motion had sought to cite Dr Mwangangi and Mr Famba for allegedly violating court orders issued in April 2025, which temporarily suspended recruitment at SHA and required the disclosure of exit packages for NHIF staff who were not absorbed.

The CEOs were also accused of failing to provide the petitioners with the SHA-approved staff structure, including job titles and grades. These matters have now been resolved following the consent agreement.

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The National Hospital Insurance Fund building in Nairobi on February 9, 2022. FILE NATION

Legal battle

Lawyers fight over Senior Counsel title

BY JOSEPH WANGUI

A dispute is brewing in court between lawyers over reconstitution of an influential committee that selects the advocates to be conferred the Senior Counsel title.

The dispute is pegged on allegations that the committee, which is tasked with considering applications for the conferment of the rank, is now moribund due to alleged failure by members of the Senior Counsel Bar to nominate their representatives.

Resulting from the alleged failure and delay, it was claimed in court that the process of recognition of qualified advocates for appointment to the prestigious rank has stalled. The last admission of advocates to the Senior Counsel Bar was in August 2022.

Lawyer Francis Njoroge has initiated a case in the High Court against the chairperson of the

The Respondent's (the chairperson) failure to call a meeting for the purposes of nominating three senior counsels to the Committee on Senior Counsel has rendered the committee moribund. The committee is traditionally chaired by a senior counsel

Lawyer Francis Njoroge



Senior Counsel Bar in Kenya, Dr Fred Ojiambo, over alleged failure to convene a meeting to nominate three representatives of the bar to the committee.

The mandate of the 10-member Committee on Senior Counsel includes evaluation and recommendation of advocates for conferment of the rank and dignity of Senior Counsel.

According to the Advocates Act, (Senior Counsel Conferment and Privileges) Rules, members of the committee include a judge of the Supreme Court nominated by the Chief Justice, a judge of the Court of Appeal nominated by the judges of the Court of Appeal and a judge of the High Court nominated by the Kenya Magistrates and Judges Association.

Other members are the Attorney-General, the chairperson of the Law Society of Kenya, three Senior Counsels nominated in a meeting of Senior Counsels and two advocates who have at least 10 years experience in practice, elected by the Law Society. The rank of Senior Counsel is the highest professional recognition for advocates.

In his case Mr Njoroge alleges that the term of the previous representatives to the committee expired on July 23, 2024 and that for the Senior Counsel Bar, its representatives are yet to be replaced.

The previous representatives were Senior Counsels Prof Albert Mumma, Zehrabanu Janmohammed and the late Judy Thongori.

"The respondent's (the chairperson) failure to call a meeting for nominating three Senior Counsels to the Committee on Senior Counsel has rendered the committee moribund. The committee is traditionally chaired by a Senior Counsel," says the lawyer.

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National News

Incriminating evidence Court proceedings expose attempts by officers to exonerate their colleagues of criminal The 'blue code of silence': How police

Albert Ojwang's murder and the killing of Rex Masai among cases unmasking conspiracies by police to protect their suspected colleagues

BY BRIAN WASUNA AND SAM KIPLAGAT

Court proceedings on police killings during recent protests are exposing attempts to conceal incriminating evidence in a pattern that has played out in past trials, prompting a judge to rebuke "the blue code of silence".

The murder of Albert Ojwang' in police custody and the killing of protester Rex Masai are among the cases that have exposed this conspiracy by police in attempts to cover for their rogue colleagues.

Firstly, the official position of the National Police Service (NPS) was that Ojwang' committed suicide inside a Central police station cell.

As that lie was falling apart, the technician who installed the station's surveillance system was clandestinely hired to go and tamper with footage that would have offered more insights into what happened to the 31-year-old teacher.

An Independent Policing Oversight Authority (Ipoa) investigation has also revealed that Ojwang' was initially booked in as sick, before the record was altered to show that he was healthy when being taken into the cell.

That technician is now a prosecution witness in the Ojwang' murder trial, where former Officer Commanding Station (OCS) Samson Taalam and two of his juniors – James Mukhwana and Peter Kimani – are suspects.

General Service Unit deserter John Ngige Gitau, Ginn Ammitou and Brian Mwaniki are the other suspects.

In an inquest into the murder of 29-year-old Masai, Taalam's predecessor, Tiberious Ekisa, has testified that the police CCTV command centre was not operational on the afternoon of June 20, 2024, when the protester was shot dead.

Multiple discrepancies

Last week, another officer attached to Central police station, Martin Githinji, was at pains to explain multiple discrepancies in an arms movement register filed before the court, and which would have aided in establishing whether Masai was felled by a police gun, and who the weapon had been assigned to.

Among the discrepancies was the use of different service numbers against Githinji's name in the sections where he claims to have signed out two guns.

The court heard that another officer's name was whitewashed from the arms movement regis-

ter, and replaced with a Sammy Waweru.

The two incidents have revived fears of a secret, unwritten rule amongst police officers that the courts have previously frowned upon when convicting rogue officers – the blue code of silence.

Under the blue code, police officers are not to report or expose the wrongdoings of their colleagues, no matter how grave the action. Despite the term being coined in the US, the vow of silence has been in existence even outside the police service.

In the criminal world, for instance, the popular phrase snitches get stitches applies the same principles as the blue code of silence.

The catchy term, used globally, is a fancy synonym for cover-up, which has deeper legal implications if one is found guilty.

All through the Masai and Ojwang' cases, several concerns have been raised about alleged cover-up attempts, which are

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Justice Eric Ogola



Inspector-General Douglas Kanja, flanked by other top police chiefs, addresses journalists at Central Police Station in Nairobi, where teacher Albert Ojwang' died in custody. BILLY OGADA | NATION

now playing out before judges.

But the concerns and allegations are not new to Kenya's justice system. Much like Ojwang', British aristocrat Alexander John Runan Monson was taken into a police cell healthy – early in the morning of May 19, 2012, but unclear events led to his death.

He was 28 at the time, and was arrested at around 1.30am for allegedly smoking marijuana outside Tanduri Bar in Diani. At 5.30pm the same day, he was dead. Police officers insisted that he died of a drug overdose, even though toxicology tests showed that there were barely any drugs in Alexander's body at the time of his death.

"Due to what is referred to as 'blue code of silence' in the police force, the accused persons are bound to protect their own. However, while this may help them escape the hangman, it does not stop their responsibility to take care of the deceased the moment they became aware that the deceased was unwell," Justice Eric Ogola said in Mombasa on November 15, 2021, as he convicted four officers of manslaughter.

"The deceased came into their hands a healthy man. He left without his life. The authority of the police the world over is to protect life, and not to take it away. A cell must be a safe place regardless of why the suspect is

in it."

Naftali Chege (15 years), Charles Munyiri (12 years), John Pamba (12 years) and Ishmael Baraka Bulima (nine years) were sentenced to prison in what was the first ever Ipoa investigation after its 2012 creation.

The International Justice Mission (IJM) has consistently raised concern over the persistent issue of the 'blue code of silence' within police ranks, which undermines investigations and often leads to cover-ups. A striking example is the case involving former Ruaraka OCS Nahashon Mutua, who tortured a man in custody and attempted to frame a cellmate.

He enlisted fellow officers in a



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR CONSULTANCY OF A STRATEGIC PLAN (2026-2030)

1.0 BACKGROUND

Kenversity Co-operative Savings and Credit Society Limited hereinafter referred to as "SACCO" is a deposit taking (DT) tier II Sacco registered in Kenya since 1976 under the Co-operative Societies Act and licensed by Sacco Societies Regulatory Authority (SASRA) under Sacco Act and Regulations 2010. The main core business is to mobilize savings from its members and grant loans at competitive interest rates.

The Society strategic plan 2021-2025 is expiring as at 31st December, 2025 and the Sacco intends to formulate a strategic plan to guide its operations for the period 2026-2030.

0.1 OBJECTIVES

The consultant shall guide the sacco clearly in defining the following:-

- vision, mission, strategic areas and objectives; including priority focus areas for the strategic period,
- situational context, through SWOT, PEST and any other relevant analysis,
- sustainability plan which will include proposals for effective financial and human resource strategies
- stakeholder map and identify relevant strategies for engaging them to advance the stated objectives,
- monitoring and reporting framework to enable effective tracking of the strategic plan
- costing of the plan

2.0 DELIVERABLES

The consultant will deliver on the following:-

- an inception report detailing the methodology/approaches and timelines associated with this consultancy assignment,
- a report highlighting the current status and gaps in the sacco strategic direction, covering both internal and external factors relevant to the organizational operating environment,
- a report that includes the major activities of the consultants, the highlights of the strategic planning workshop and an evaluation of the workshop,
- a revised strategic plan incorporating all the feedback from the stakeholders
- a consultancy report that includes the major activities of the consultancy, the highlights of the strategic planning workshop and an evaluation of the workshop,
- any other relevant deliverables not included above.

Download the requirements by clicking on the following link or alternatively visit Kenversity sacco website: <https://www.kenversitysacco.co.ke>. Interested bidders are expected to write to info@kenversitysacco.co.ke for any clarification. The SACCO will also provide the answers via the same email used by the vendor and send their application to on or before **12th August 2025** by 12 noon.

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To provide strategic leadership and oversight to the Sacco branch operations with a focus on business growth, customer service excellence, and compliance. The Branch Manager will be responsible for driving member recruitment, marketing of products and services, loan portfolio growth, and operational efficiency, in line with Nafasi Sacco's strategic objectives.

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REPUBLIC OF KENYA

IN THE HIGH COURT OF KENYA

INSOLVENCY NOTICE NO. E106 OF 2025

IN THE MATTER OF THE INSOLVENCY ACT, 2015

AND

IN THE MATTER OF MOUNT KENYA BREWERIES LIMITED

(IN ADMINISTRATION)

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

I, THE OFFICIAL RECEIVER, of P. O. Box 30404 – 00100, Nairobi, give notice that I have been appointed as Administrator of the property of MOUNT KENYA BREWERIES LIMITED (the Company), by the holder of a qualifying floating charge. The appointment is made with effect from the 7th day of June, 2025 and in accordance with the provisions of the Insolvency Act.

Pursuant to this appointment, the affairs of the company as well as its assets are now vested with the Administrator. **TAKE NOTE** that no action can be taken against the Company without the consent of the Administrator. Any matters relating to the Company should be directed to the Administrator through the address below. Claims against the company should be sent to the undersigned through filing of Proof of Debt (Form No.5) on <https://brsv2.ecitizen.go.ke>

Dated this 9th day of JULY, 2025

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acts that may lead to their conviction

cover up killings

INDIVIDUAL	DATE OF DEATH	CAUSE OF DEATH	ALLEGED COVER-UP	COURT ACTION TAKEN
Albert Ojwang	June 13, 2025	Physical assault at Central police station, Nairobi County	Occurrence Book allegedly falsified, CCTV allegedly tampered with	Three police officers, three civilians charged. Case ongoing
Rex Masai	June 20, 2024	Shot during anti-Finance Bill 2024 protests along Moi Avenue, Nairobi County	Arms movement register allegedly tampered with	Inquest ongoing
Alexander John Runan Monson	May 19, 2012	Assault in Ukunda police station	Contradicting testimonies in court by police officers, planted drugs on victim	Police officers Naf-tali Chege Charles Munyiri, John Pamba and Ishmael Baraka Bulima convicted of manslaughter
George Namalwa Wekesa	December 26, 2018	Physical assault by police at Nambusi 'B' village, Kakamega County	Contradicting testimonies in court by police officers	Police officer Francis Amulei Iyaya convicted of murder
Moses Wan-yoike	July 25, 2014	Shot by a police officer at Crescent Island, Lake Naivasha	Police officers omitted facts in OB recording, pushed trumped up charges against eye witnesses	Police officer Evans Maliachi Wiyema convicted of murder
Dennis Lusava	October 7, 2022	Physical assault at Mbururu police post, Kakamega County	Body dumped in River Nzoia, backdated OB to show victim was released before death	Police officers Emmanuel Wafula and Godwine Wekesa Sirengo convicted of murder
Martin Koome	December 19, 2013	Physical assault at Ru-araka police station, Nairobi County	Police officers attempted to frame Kelvin Odhiambo, another suspect in the cells, for the murder	Former Ruaraka OCS Nahashon Mutua convicted of murder
Willie Kimani, Josphat Mwenda	June 23, 2016	Physical assault to block progress in a case Mwenda had filed against a police officer	Dumping of bodies in Ol-Donyo Sabuk river, falsified statements, contradicting testimonies in court	Police officers Fredrick Leliman, Stephen Cheburet, Sylvia Wanjiku and Peter Ngugi convicted of murder
Kingori Kanyi	March 7, 2015	Shot in his Mukurwe Ini, Nyeri County home by police officer retaliating bar brawl	Dumping body of deceased in a coffee plantation, planting evidence to claim shooting was in self-defence	Police officer Chibungu Sanga convicted of murder
Kenneth Kimani	April 14, 2013	Shot by police officer in Githurai, Nairobi County following allegation that he was a robber	Records of gun and bullet issuance, serial numbers falsified	Police officer Titus Ngamau Musila Katitu convicted of murder. Released in 2024 and placed on probation

coordinated effort to conceal the murder by falsely attributing it to a detainee already facing murder charges, until IJM intervened.

“In instances where police officers investigate their colleagues, even if the same would be done scrupulously, it is of fundamental importance and not just merely of some importance, that the integrity of the process should manifestly and undoubtedly be seen to have been maintained,” said Vincent Chahale, IJM Kenya country director.

“In such cases, what is important is not just what was done but what may appear to have been done. Justice would not appear to have been done.”

Additionally, the complexity of forensic analysis and tracking firearm movements within police operations presents significant challenges. In some cases, firearms are switched or mis-attributed, making it difficult to hold any officer accountable.

Chahale further said that without transparent systems and external oversight, critical evidence can be obscured or mishandled.

Strengthening the role of independent forensic experts and ensuring full cooperation with Ipoa is essential to uphold accountability and restore public confidence in the justice system, the IJM Kenya country director added.

Sentencing

Today, Justice Reuben Nyakundi, sitting Eldoret, is expected to sentence police officers Emmanuel Wafula and Godwine Wekesa, who murdered 21-year-old Dennis Lusava in a Kakamega police station in October 2022.

The two officers were convicted of murder three weeks ago. Initially, they attempted to arrest Dennis on October 4, 2022, in Likuyani, Kakamega County, but members of the public saw this as harassment and blocked the move.

Three days later, the two officers arrested Dennis, booking him in for the same offence, but with a

deeper motive: to get vengeance for the humiliation they felt he had taken them through.

They tortured Dennis to death, and then dumped his body in River Nzoia before falsifying the Occurrence Book to show that the 21-year-old had been released from custody.

In an ongoing inquest into the death of 35-year-old Mariam Kigenda and her four-year-old daughter Amanda, Mombasa chief magistrate Alex Ithuku last Thursday issued a warrant of arrest for a police officer who allegedly mishandled CCTV footage of the 2019 incident.

The CCTV footage was expected to determine whether the Kenya Ferry Services could be to blame for the incident in which Mariam’s vehicle reversed off the MV Harambee and plunged into the Indian Ocean on account of the vessel’s condition.

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MINISTRY OF INFORMATION, COMMUNICATION AND THE DIGITAL ECONOMY

MEDIA COUNCIL ACT, 2013

DECLARATION OF VACANCIES

IN ACCORDANCE with Section 7(2) of the Media Council Act, 2013 (“the Act”), the Cabinet Secretary for Information, Communications and Digital Economy declares vacancies in the positions of **Four Members** of the Media Council of Kenya.

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A. QUALIFICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL

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National News

On edge There was a public uproar over plans to end free primary, secondary education programmes Education not at risk, Ruto says

President says government committed to its duty of providing affordable education for all Kenyan children

BY DANIEL OGETTA

President William Ruto has reassured Kenyans of his commitment to supporting education despite growing concerns over reduced government funding for public schools. Speaking yesterday during a service at St Martins Light Industries Anglican Church in Kariobangi, Nairobi, the President said that education remains a non-negotiable national priority. "I want to assure you that education cannot be compromised. We cannot compromise access to education, quality, affordability, and we cannot compromise relevance," he said.

The President's remarks come amid mounting anxiety from parents, teachers and education stakeholders after recent revelations that the government is struggling to fully fund the Free Primary Education and Free Day Secondary Education programmes.

Under current policy, each primary school learner is entitled to an annual capitation of Sh1,420,



while those in junior secondary receive Sh15,042. Senior secondary school learners are allocated Sh22,244.

President Ruto reaffirmed the importance of education as a cornerstone of national development.

"The greatest gift God has given Kenya is the gift of Kenyans—our people. Our biggest asset is our

human capital. That is why education is critical," he said.

Dr Ruto pledged to continue collaboration with religious organisations to ensure education remains accessible and relevant.

"We will continue partnering with religious groups to ensure education is well managed, of good quality, and accessible to all the youth of Kenya," he said.

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President William Ruto



There has been public outcry after Treasury Cabinet Secretary John Mbadi said last week that the government is unable to fully fund the free education programmes.

Appearing before the National Assembly Education Committee, Mr Mbadi said that secondary school capitation had been reduced from Sh22,244 to Sh16,428, creating a funding gap of Sh5,340 per learner.

This shortfall has left schools burdened by debts to suppliers

and unable to pay non-teaching staff salaries—raising fears of mass school dropouts and the possible collapse of the free basic education policy.

Education stakeholders, including the National Parents Association, have since warned of a looming crisis. The association's chair, Mr Silas Obuhatsa, said the funding cuts are poorly timed as many parents are still grappling with post-Covid economic challenges.

"This news shocked parents. The funding has been reduced when many are still recovering from job losses and income cuts. Instead of decreasing the amount, the government should have increased it," he said.

"Parents are struggling. This reduction will especially hurt children in rural areas, where parents cannot raise extra money. It could push thousands of learners out of class," Mr Obuhatsa warned.

Separately, Deputy President Kiithure Kindiki said that the transformation of Kenya's education sector over the last 22 years is "irreversible," citing seven major milestones achieved in the past two years.

Prof Kindiki said in a statement that at the core of the transformation is the overhaul of the Competency-Based Curriculum, that was previously plagued by implementation challenges.

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Politics Prof Kindiki has revealed that plans are underway to lure some opposition bigwigs to President Ruto's camp

President's allies mull strategies to win back support in Mt Kenya

The politicians held meetings in hotels in Murang'a, Kirinyaga and Nyeri counties where they devised a two-pronged execution plan in their bid to stop the growing hostility against President Ruto in the region

BY MWANGI MUIRURI

President William Ruto's loyalists in Mt Kenya have devised new strategies in their bid to woo back the hostile but vote-rich region ahead of the 2027 elections.

On Saturday, the politicians held a series of meetings in hotels in Murang'a, Kirinyaga and Nyeri counties where they devised a two-pronged execution plan in their bid to stop the growing hostility against President Ruto in the region that overwhelmingly voted him in 2022.

One wing will be led by Deputy President Kithure Kindiki alongside Majority Leader Kimani Ichung'wa and Information, Communications and the Digital Economy Cabinet Secretary William Kabogo. The other wing will be led by The Service Party leader and Laikipia East MP Mwangi Kiunjuri.

The team led by Prof Kindiki later congregated at Kimorori grounds in Maragua Constituency for an "economic empowerment" drive together with Mr Ichung'wa and Mr Kabogo. After the Kirinyaga meeting, Mr Kiunjuri and his team landed in Nyeri County where they held further closed-door sessions at a local hotel.

"We have audited ourselves for the past three years and come to the conclusion that this is the ideal government for the Mt Kenya people and there is no need to agitate for a new one," Mr Kiunjuri said.

He added that "we have also looked at the events (surrounding the impeach-



Deputy President Kithure Kindiki greets residents at Ong'or grounds in Nyatike Constituency, Migori County, on Saturday. PHOTO | DPCS

ment of former Deputy President) Rigathi Gachagua in October last year and come to a conclusion that it was justified".

But speaking in the United States where he is currently on a two months' tour, Mr Gachagua dismissed all efforts by President Ruto to win back the region's support.

Insisting that "the Mt Kenya region is gone for good and nothing can change", Mr Gachagua, addressing Dr Ruto, said: "You do your politics, I and the people of the mountain will do ours."

"We are now at another level as a people and a region. We'll craft alliances with other communities and regions to vote out President Ruto's government and its collaborators," he said.

Mr Kiunjuri accused the former DP of "leading a crusade against President Ruto" by "inciting Mt Kenya voters".

To stem the tide, Prof Kindiki, Mr Ichung'wa and Mr Kabogo have now announced that, going forward, there would be no further engagement with the opposition regarding public discussion of political issues.

"We will instead remain focused on tell-

ing our story and endearing ourselves (to the people) through service delivery while ignoring the rhetoric from the other group until that opportune moment when we shall engage about 2027," said Prof Kindiki.

The other item that Mr Kiunjuri highlighted was the need to engage voters at the ward level, including the youth.

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Laikipia East MP Mwangi Kiunjuri



"We will be addressing salient issues that affect our people, making their lives more difficult," Nyeri town MP Duncan Mathenge said.

Mr Kiunjuri disclosed that plans are underway to lobby for the abandonment of Kakamega Senator Bonny Khalwale's boda boda Bill "since it goes against our region's interests".

Dr Khalwale's Bill proposes mandatory registration with county governments so as to obtain operating licences. All motorcycles will have a specific colour, apart from displaying registration number plates at both the front and rear. They will also be subject to annual inspections as public service vehicles.

Besides mandatory safety training, all operators will be required to register in cooperatives while all boda boda owners will be compelled to sign employment contracts with their riders, with contravention of this attracting a Sh20,000 fine or six months' imprisonment or both.

Opposing the Bill, Mr Kiunjuri said "we were not consulted and if Mr Khalwale will not withdraw it, we will ensure it falls flat on its face".

He added that "coffee farmers have re-

fused the policy that seeks to compel them to be receiving their pay directly on their phones."

"That too, alongside the high taxes imposed on small-scale importers per container, will be addressed," he said.

On his part, Mr Ichung'wa said pro-Ruto politicians "will be concentrating more on telling our success stories rather than responding to diversionary noises".

The issue of how President Ruto's administration communicates its achievements has become the subject of intense debate especially in the Mt Kenya region.

Mwea MP Mary Maingi had, in a recent interview on Inooro TV, lamented that "the government has no competent way of communicating its success stories (and is constantly) being put on its defence by propagandists".

She posed: "Who defends this government? Where are the Mt Kenya cabinet members to tell the people that service delivery is on course?"

"So disjointed is its communication that we as its elected supporters have retreated to our constituencies to defend our service delivery track record as individuals," she added.

Prof Kindiki revealed that plans are underway to lure some opposition bigwigs to President Ruto's camp.

"We are also not abandoning those noise-makers. They are our fellow Kenyans. We will continue with efforts to bring them on board so that we can move together as one nation under one flag," he said.

"It is true we are pursuing Mr Kalonzo Musyoka, Dr Fred Matiang'i, Trans Nzoia Governor George Nitembeya and DAP-Kenya party boss Eugene Wamalwa," Mr Kiunjuri said.

Mr Kiunjuri added that "we have also launched a charm offensive targeting Ki-haru MP Ndindi Nyoro who, after being mentored politically by the President, is dancing on the periphery with no certainty of where he is headed to".

"We in the Mt Kenya region have resolved to sanitise our politics and, among other issues, we will at all times keep families from our political wars, publicly disown hate speech and violence and embrace tolerance," Maragua MP Mary wa Maua said.

Mr Ichung'wa said President Ruto is planning another extensive visit of Mt Kenya "to reconnect, listen and escalate the development agenda". He said the visit might happen anytime starting next month.

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Police, goons clash with opposition leaders in Murang'a after church service



Police fire tear gas canisters at the convoy of DCP leaders, including Nyandarua Senator John Methu, after they attempted to address a public rally in Kigumo yesterday. MARTIN MWAURA | NATION

BY MWANGI MUIRURI

Police officers in Murang'a yesterday combined their efforts with goons to disperse opposition politicians.

The politicians, who are pushing to stop President William Ruto's re-election in the 2027 General Election, had finished Sunday service at AIPCA Kahuro Church in Kigumo Constituency and were on their way out when all hell broke loose.

The goons erected barriers on the road as police lay in wait. Immediately the politicians' convoy arrived at Ngonda shopping centre, the police started shooting. The lobbed tear gas canisters at the convoy as the goons hurled stones.

Those caught up in the mayhem were Murang'a, Kiambu and Nyandarua senators Joe Nyutu, Karungo Thang'wa and John Methu respectively, Naivasha MP Jayne Kihara, Kigumo MP Joseph Munyoro, Mukurweini MP John Kaguchia and Kanyenya-ini MCA Grace Nduta.

Others were lawyer Ndegwa Njiru, Kathiani MP Robert Mbui, Makueni, Kitui and Machakos senators Dan Maanzo, Enoch Wambua and Agnes Kavindu respectively as well as former Machakos Town MP Victor Muniyaka.

Condemning the incident, Wiper party leader Kalonzo Musyoka said: "This is a government that has reached the end of its tether. It can on-

ly reason through brute force. I condemn in totality the use of goons to help police fight democracy and overthrow our constitution."

Former Interior Cabinet Secretary Fred Matiang'i termed the incident "a retrogressive culture of intolerance where force replaces reasoning".

Addressing journalists in Thika later yesterday, Mr Njiru announced that they had recorded a police statement regarding the attack.

"We have secured OB Number 03/27/07/25 of 6.16 pm at Gachochi police post, narration being attack by police officers and goons where we incurred injuries, loss of properties and malicious damage of our vehicles," Mr Njiru said.

National News

Contention High Court had ordered the allocation of Sh10.5 billion to the counties

Governors, MPs in legal battle over billions from roads levy

Appeal against decision was filed by the National Assembly and the Kenya Roads Board

BY JOSEPH WANGUI

The National Assembly and Council of Governors are headed for a legal battle at the Court of Appeal over control of billions of shillings collected by the government under the Roads Maintenance Levy Fund (RMLF).

The dispute involves a decision of the High Court to order the allocation of Sh10.5 billion to the counties for road maintenance on the grounds that their exclusion from the RMLF was unconstitutional. Pending determination of the appeal filed by the National Assembly and the Kenya Roads Board, the Court of Appeal on Friday stopped the implementation of the High Court decision for one year to enable the appellants to prosecute their appeal.

The stay order is also meant to avert "chaos and disorder" in roads management. This effectively blocks the counties from receiving the funds until the Court of Appeal determines the dispute. The ruling by Justices Daniel Musinga, Pauline Nyamweya and George Odunga came at a time when the counties were waiting for the disbursement of Sh6.8 billion of the Sh10.5 billion the governors said was due to them in the 2024/25 financial year. Court papers show only Sh3.6 billion had been disbursed.

"We are satisfied that the applicants have demonstrated that the orders sought in the consolidated applications are merited. The appeal and the intended appeal are arguable. The appeals shall be rendered nugatory un-



The Milimani Law Courts on April 10, 2025. The National Assembly and governors are headed for a legal battle. WILFRED NYANGARESI | NATION

less the orders sought are granted. The public interest also favours grant of the orders sought," the bench said.

It noted that the contested judgment has far-reaching ramifications with regard to the operations of national road agencies—the Kenya National Highways Authority, Kenya Rural Roads Authority, and the Kenya Urban Roads Authority.

"Section 6 of the Kenya Roads Board Act allows for securitisation of 50 per cent of the Kenya Roads Board Fund to meet financial demands for maintenance, development and rehabilitation of roads. The section also provides the formula for sharing of the RMLF among the said road agencies

and the Kenya Wildlife Services," stated the judges.

The section had been declared unconstitutional by the High Court in the contested decision dated June 5, 2025. "It is not possible for these agencies to fund their operational and administrative expenses if the section became totally inoperative, without

Sh10.5bn

Amount from the Roads Maintenance Levy that governors say was due to them in the 2024/25 financial year.

any appropriate legal framework in its place. That would occasion considerable deterioration of our road network."

And since the judgment had also declared that the classification of roads as national, rural and urban under Section 47 of Kenya Roads Act was unconstitutional, the Court of Appeal said that without such classification, there would be chaos in roads management. "It is also not in dispute that Section 47 of the Kenya Roads Act provides the legal framework for classification of all public roads in Kenya. Without it, the road classification will be inoperational and there would be chaos and disorder between national and county governments as to which roads fall under which level of government," the judges said.

It was not lost on the court that allocation of resources between the national and county governments has for a long time been a source of contention and legal challenges, primarily stemming from disagreements on devolution. The judges observed that county governments have often accused the National Assembly of frustrating devolution by misallocating funds, thus hurting their services.

Opposing the application for stay of the High Court judgment, the Council of Governors, through Chief Executive Officer Mary Mwititi, said the government raises an average of Sh80 billion annually through RMLF. The money is administered by the roads board.

Ms Mwititi said that after an elaborate inter-governmental process that involved the Summit chaired by the President and the Commission of Revenue Allocation, it was determined that for the financial year 2024/2025, the counties would get Sh10.52 billion to maintain county roads. The Senate thus allocated the sum.

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West Pokot Senator Julius Murgor in Eldoret on June 5, 2024. JARED NYATAYA | NATION

Why senators want State to review hostel fees in varsities

BY COLLINS OMULO

Senators are pushing to have the government reduce high accommodation fees across public universities, with some charging as high as Sh40,000 a semester.

The development follows a sudden increase in hostel fees over the past four years. The lawmakers now want the Ministry of Education to explain the rationale behind the increase, especially in light of the prevailing economic hardship and the need to ensure affordability and safety for all students. Public universities have traditionally offered affordable rates to students, particularly those from low-income backgrounds.

However, in recent years, the cost of on-campus accommodation has risen significantly, placing a heavy financial burden on students and their families. Raising the alarm, Nairobi Senator Edwin Sifuna complained that the hiked accommodation fees have forced most students to seek cheaper, often unsafe, off-campus alternatives. This, he argued, has put female students, in particular, at heightened risks in insecure neighbourhoods. "This situation undermines not only the right to education, but also the right to dignity and safety for learners," Mr Sifuna said.

Untold suffering

West Pokot Senator Julius Murgor questioned the sudden change, saying the hike will lead to untold suffering, especially for students from low-income households. He said students from poor backgrounds could have to drop out of university. "This increase in accommodation fees means that children from well-to-do families and those of the people who can pay will be the ones to be housed in those hostels. Children of poor people, the commoners, will not be accommodated in the hostels in our universities."

Nandi Senator Samson Cherargei lamented that some universities charge as high as Sh40,000 per semester, yet their hostels are in deplorable conditions, and nothing is being done to change the situation. "Can you believe that you will still find bedbugs in most of our universities? Even slums look better than most of the hostels we are seeing in most of these universities," he said, appealing to the government to include hostels in the affordable housing programme, to make life bearable for students.

For his part, Kakamega Senator Boni Khalwale said there is a need to relook at the university funding model, arguing that whereas the old model allowed parents to pay a small fee, they cannot afford the current increment, even with the government covering most of the costs.

Gulf Energy tops list in Sh23.8bn fuel stabilisation payouts

BY EDWIN MUTAI

Gulf Energy tops the list of six oil marketing companies that received billions of shillings from the Ministry of Energy and Petroleum for pump price stabilisation over the past two financial years.

Gulf Energy—one of the three oil importers under Kenya's government-to-government (G-to-G) petroleum supply deal signed in 2023—was paid Sh23.8 billion in the 2023/24 and 2024/25 financial years. It received Sh14.32 billion in 2023/24 and Sh9.47 billion in 2024/25. Data submitted to the National Assembly Energy Committee shows the ministry spent Sh19.2 billion from the Petroleum Development Levy to pay three firms under the fuel stabilisation subsidy programme. Of this, Gulf Energy received Sh9.5 billion, Galana Energies Sh4.65 billion, and Oryx Energies Sh218.56 million.

In 2023/24, the government collected Sh24.16 billion through the PDL and Sh26.37 billion in 2024/25. The levy—charged at Sh25 per litre—is used to

cushion citizens against fuel price volatility through the Petroleum Stabilisation Fund. The Treasury allocated Sh25 billion for stabilisation in 2025/26.

Kenya's G-to-G fuel import arrangement—signed with Saudi Aramco, Emirates National Oil Company and Abu Dhabi National Oil Company—was implemented in March 2023 to ease pressure on foreign exchange reserves and ensure stable fuel supply.

The framework allows for petroleum imports under a 180-day deferred payment plan, coordinated by the Ministry of Energy. Statistics tabled before the Energy Committee by Energy and Petroleum Cabinet Secretary Opiyo Wandayi show that six oil marketers received a combined Sh13.69 billion in stabilisation payments in 2024/25.

Gulf Energy took the lion's share at Sh9.5 billion, followed by Galana Energies (Sh1.85 billion), One Petroleum (Sh998.4 million), Oryx Energies (Sh1.11 billion), Asharami Synergy (Sh257.8 million) and Texas Energy (Sh1.65 million). The committee had requested a detailed breakdown of the PDL collec-

tions and expenditures for 2023/24 and 2024/25. This included amounts collected annually, specific stabilisation periods, total fuel volumes subsidised, a list of benefitting oil marketers, exact payments made to each and any balance carried forward.

Mr Wandayi, who appeared before the committee last Tuesday, also presented the status of the G-to-G fuel deal. He said the government had successfully negotiated lower freight and premium costs under the arrangement and imported petroleum products worth Sh1.6 trillion (\$12.34 billion) since 2023.

According to the CS, 170 fuel cargoes—delivering 14.67 million tonnes of petroleum—have arrived under the G-to-G deal, ensuring consistent supply. "Through the 170 cargoes, a total of 14,669,534.96 tonnes have been delivered by the suppliers and their nominated oil marketing companies," he said.

He presented comparative fuel price data across East African countries. As of June 2025, the retail price per litre of Super Petrol was Sh186.31 in Nairobi, Sh148.14 in Dodoma, and Sh183.24 in Kampala.

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Abuse of Terrorism Act marks beginning of nation's decline

I sat watching television in a foreign country once and the news item was about Kenya having caught a mastermind of some terrorist act. I listened to the person (suspect) and he sounded upcountry closer to central Kenya. His hair and skin colour could not fool me. This arrest happened during the time Kenya experienced spates of terrorism that affected even places not known for violence such as Mwembe Tayari bus terminus in Mombasa. In fact, the coastal strip, despite being wrongly targeted by security forces during this time, was always a relaxed place and people went about their businesses in their usual laid-back ways until terrorism was brought to their shores. I should know I grew up there.

I am not suggesting the suspect who was arrested could not commit an act of terror, but his profile suggested he was play-acting on orders. At a time when anyone with even the remotest physical appearance as Arab, Somalian, Indian or any one from the Horn of Africa, it just did not make sense that a person who does not fit the usual profile of a terrorist seems to be banded around TV shows as proof that Kenya was tackling some imaginary terrorism.

Kenya is not the only country that was caught in the phoney war around terrorism. I am not suggesting for a minute that terrorism is not and was not a security problem, but its extended reach across Africa, even in areas with minimal Muslim population, and its ever-elastic definition in Africa, made anti-terrorism measures in some African countries suspect. Firstly, the proliferation of arms in Africa was questionable. It won't be far-fetched to assume Africa became a new market for arms. Secondly, the elastic definition of terrorism gave African dictators a weapon to terrorise the opposition. Next, Kenya enters the list of countries in Africa where its leaders make up the log of terror-

Comparing the bombing of twin towers with the act of lawful protests by citizens is quite frankly laughable and embarrassing.



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ists from those opposing them politically.

Since the June 25, 2025 Gen-Z protests, Kenya's government has continued to experience revolt by the young. What is allowed by the law as peaceful protests turned into violence where looting and destruction of properties were reported. The protesters believe the government embedded paid thugs to disrupt peaceful protests, which it denies and is categorical that it is the protesters causing mayhem. Enter the Terrorism Act eventually to the dismay of Kenyans. Like many African governments that were accused of human rights violations and shrinkage of civic spaces, Kenya, too, resorted to terrorism laws to clamp down on dissenters. A country that makes up fake terrorists will be hard pressed to convince Kenyans that peaceful protesters and dissenters are indeed terrorists. Comparing the bombing of New York's twin towers with the act of lawful protests by citizens is quite frankly laughable and embarrassing.

Using the Terrorism Act to suppress freedoms and rights of citizens is a sure way of leading to more an-

archy. The latter being the creation of the state from the beginning when it unleashed terror on the young whose only crime was to ask for better governance. In the wake of the government response, hundreds of young people were killed and thousands more arraigned on fabricated charges. What is more, young people being disappeared at the hands of the security forces has been normalised, that families would rather stay silent than ask for accountability for fear of reprisal. In such a scenario where the state is the instigator, it is difficult to even suggest that the terrorist is the citizen when, in fact, state-sponsored terrorism has gained traction.

Freedoms and rights

The 2010 Constitution envisaged a democratic Kenya where fundamental freedoms and rights are to be enjoyed by all and sundry born and bred in Kenya, including those who chose to reside in the country. The wheels have now come off and democracy in Kenya has become just another 'faux-democracy' experienced by many Africans whose leaders chose to reverse the gains by using the Terrorism Act to weaponise peaceful protests and civic spaces.

Terrorism is not something to be quaffed at. It is a serious issue to be handled with all the seriousness it deserves. However, the Kenyan government thinks it can dilute it to include skirmishes and verbal altercations experienced in the streets during peaceful protests. The tendency in the government to create criminal acts even when the acts do not warrant a slippery slope to miscarriage of justice and, I hope the courts will be vigilant enough to stand up for those wrongly accused of terrorism and other made-up crimes.

There are many ways to be great leaders, but using intimidation and violence speaks more of the character of modern Kenyan politicians than it does the voters whose cry for better governance keeps being ignored. Reliance on the Terrorism Act is a sticking plaster solution and won't end the demand for better governance, and neither would it cloak rogue leaders in glory. It will only lead to the decline of the country.

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How Kenya is re-engineering its water future

Kenya's water sector has undergone a profound transformation over the past two decades. The combination of progressive legal reforms, strategic infrastructure investments, enhanced governance, and a multi-stakeholder approach has positioned the country on a promising path towards water security and sustainability. Although challenges remain, the foundations laid so far provide a strong platform for future success.

The Water Act, 2016, was a landmark reform that strengthened the gains of the Water Act, 2002, while aligning the sector to the 2010 Constitution. This Act was enacted in the backdrop of devolution, which shared the water function between the two levels of government. It, therefore, reorganised the sector to better fit this new reality by providing a clear and coherent framework for policy formulation, regulation and service provision in the water and sanitation sectors. With this new reality, it introduces new institutions with clear mandates in an effort to avoid overlaps.

Milestones

One of the key achievements was the separation of Water Resources Management and Water Service Provision. This ensures clearer accountability and enhances service delivery, with county governments taking greater responsibilities in the provision of water and sanitation services while national government agencies play complementary roles in financing, regulation, planning and execution of inter-county and large-scale infrastructure projects. The recent amendments to the Act have expanded the mandates of some national institutions like the Water Works Development Agencies to handle bulk water supply infrastructure to boost large-scale projects across regions and to avoid conflicts. The reforms in the water sector have been far-reaching and the effects have been benchmarked and adopted in different countries, including South Africa, Nigeria, Ethiopia, Zambia, Malawi, Uganda, Tanza-

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Samwel Alima Transformation

nia, Ghana, Senegal, Cambodia, and Mozambique.

Resulting from the institutional arrangement the Act has provided, the ministry has adopted a sector-wide approach to planning, enhancing coordination among all actors, including government agencies, development partners, civil society, and the private sector. This inclusive model has ensured that planning, investment, and implementation are harmonised and aligned with national and international goals.

Significant strides have been made in increasing access to safe water and safely managed sanitation. In 2002, only 30 per cent of Kenyans had access to water. Currently, this figure has risen to 73 per cent. Similarly, access to safely managed sanitation has grown from 26.1 per cent in 2017 to the current 40.9 per cent.

These improvements have been driven by a range of large-scale and targeted interventions: Kenya Towns Sustainable Water Supply and Sanitation Programme, ongoing projects expected to serve 3.4 million people in 30 towns across 30 counties; Water and Sanitation Development Project, serving over two million people in Northern and Coastal Kenya through enhanced infrastructure and service delivery; Horn of Africa Groundwater for Resilience Programme, aiming to drill 400 boreholes to provide reliable groundwater to arid and semi-arid regions; and Kenya Water and Sanitation Programme, aiming to cover 19 coun-

ties to improve rural water and sanitation access, eliminate open defaecation and enhance the financial viability of water service providers within these counties.

The ministry is emphasising water harvesting and storage. This strategy will enhance water sustainability and achieve resilience towards the effects of climate change. Key multipurpose dams have been constructed, including Karimenu II, Yamo, Forole, Na'keitum and Kases, with the latter three being dubbed as 'Peace Dams'. In addition, water pans have been constructed to solve the water insecurity problem. Ongoing dams that would significantly boost the water storage capacity include Thwake and Mwache Multipurpose Dams.

Water towers and catchment areas are the lifeblood of Kenya's water resources, but they are increasingly threatened by deforestation, encroachment, and pollution. In response, the government continually identifies and gazettes wetlands, sub-catchment, and groundwater conservation areas, and riparian land to protect water sources and biodiversity. The country was delineated into six basins through which the basin-wide approach in management of water resources is being undertaken. Basin management plans were drawn up for each basin and cascaded down to sub-catchment management plans being implemented through water resources users' associations, ensuring community-led conservation efforts to combat soil erosion, undertake riparian protection, reforestation and afforestation, and to encourage rainwater harvesting at the household level.

The ministry developed the Kenya National Water and Sanitation Sector Financing and Investment Plan, identifying Sh995 billion worth of priority investments over the medium term, including infrastructure development, expansion of service networks, and improvements in utility efficiency with the aim of achieving universal coverage and increasing storage capacity.

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DAILY NATION

Crack down on police selling arms to bandits

The police are always in the news for the wrong reasons. Lately, they have been accused of brutalising peaceful anti-government demonstrators, with nearly 100 killed and hundreds severely injured. These officers, whose key mandate is to enforce law and order, excel in brutality, extortion, and corruption. A new front in police notoriety is the link to the smuggling of firearms. The National Police Service also features prominently in the corruption index, greatly undermining public confidence in the security personnel. In some cases, unfortunately, the people are more scared of the police than of criminals.

Interior Cabinet Secretary Kipchumba Murkomen has now linked the smuggling of illegal guns and ammunition to some of the officers deployed to the insecurity-prone regions.

The CS says they are to blame for the deterioration in security in the banditry-prone regions. It is shocking to hear that the government cannot even account for many of the bullets used in security operations. Some of the bullets in the hands of the bandits are sold to them by rogue police officers. Also involved are crooked government officials, who facilitate this crime that has ravaged the northern regions for a long time.

But the deadly racket is even wider. CS Murkomen has also flagged civilians, including professionals from the affected areas, who sell guns and ammunition. This menace persists. It is a lucrative source of ill-gotten wealth. The proliferation of small arms, poverty, and historical grievances are fuelling the conflict. Armed bandits continue to wreak havoc, especially in the North Rift, claiming lives, displacing locals, and disrupting essential services. It is encouraging that Interior CS Murkomen is promising to establish more police stations to enhance security. The disclosure that rogue police sell firearms to bandits is a serious national security issue that calls for thorough investigations to expose the criminal ring, arrest, and swiftly prosecute culprits. Convictions and severe sentences are the deterrent measures urgently needed.

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End school games fraud

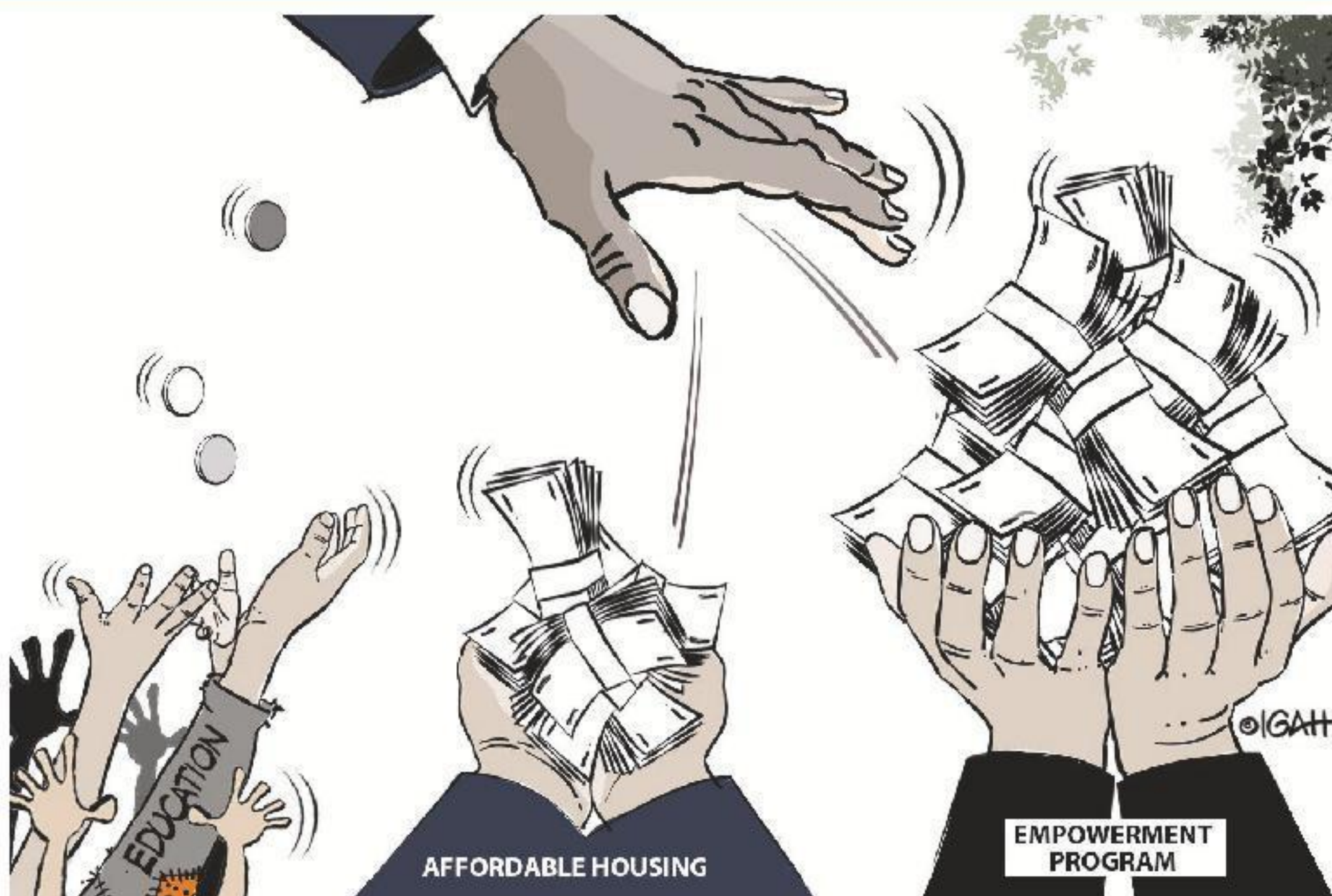
The organisers of the Kenya Secondary Schools Sports Association (KSSSA) National Term Two Games that started in Kakamega County yesterday must ensure transparency and accountability in the games.

School principals, teachers and coaches that handle teams must be aware that the games deal with a stage that is so crucial for the country's development and growth of sports. It is a stage where the country can make or break in its sports policy, hence the ministries of Sports and Education, and the Kenya Academy for Sports must take keen interest in the games.

We hope KSSSA has devised a mechanism that will definitively address age cheating and mercenaries in school games besides the provision of the right facilities. Over the years, talent has been killed and dreams shattered by rogue schools that have continued engaging in the vice, with their actions going unpunished, hence creating an atmosphere of impunity. This has not only denied genuine athletes their time to develop, but also the country in developing talent. That is outright unacceptable.

Allegations of age cheating and fielding of mercenaries dominated some of the county and regional games. For instance, in Kakamega County, Musingu High School and Kakamega High School accused each other of fielding overage players. A similar case was witnessed in Trans Nzoia County between St Anthony's Boys and St Joseph's Boys. In Kisumu County, Onjiko High School was banned for three years after being found guilty of fielding ineligible players. The authorities must reprimand school heads, teachers and coaches involved in these vices if KSSSA is to seriously stem them out.

The KSSSA should also strive to provide good facilities for the schools besides quality officiating, as they go a long way in developing talent the right way across the disciplines. This is the age set that has provided athletes for the Anoka School Games that started in Annaba, Algeria, on Saturday and will for the 2026 Dakar Youth Olympics Games.



Time to get off the debt treadmill

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Economic collapse is usually the forerunner of significant political change, and all the signs are that Kenya is approaching such a defining moment.

Governments that lack the skill to navigate through economic turbulence are sooner than later booted out of office with little or no regard to their smooth spiel and expertise in shadowboxing imaginary enemies. The recent flurry of statements from government factotums on the state's inability to fund education belies a burgeoning crisis around displaced social spending in the budget. All the three supplementary estimates seeking to correct the Sh4.2 trillion 2024/25 budget reduced spending on education and health. At some point, money for security printing of examinations was knocked off the budget, and the financial support to keep each student in school is disbursed in hiccups, leading to some institutions being torched and closed before the end of term.

Although the Treasury is preaching austerity, it has been splurging on spies, bullets and teargas. Some 12 days before the previous financial year elapsed, a third supplementary budget was presented to Parliament for approval in which the Treasury increased the allocation to the security sector by Sh5.2 billion. Of this, Sh3 billion had been earmarked for the National Intelligence Service to support "security operations", Sh1.3 billion allocated to the State Department of Internal Security and National Administration for "operational activities", and Sh0.9 billion was directed to the National Police Service to strengthen its "security response" efforts.

Supplementary estimates are published to respond to circumstances or crises not anticipated at the time of drawing up the budget—a process that runs all year. In the extraordinary case of Kenya's third supplementary budget—the only other time the country took this route was during the Covid-19 pandemic—it cut spending on development, hence reduced its threshold far below what is legally permitted.

The Public Finance Management Act re-

The Public Finance Management Act requires that at least 30 per cent of all budget spending go to development.



Kwamchetsi Makokha | Justice

quires that at least 30 per cent of all budget spending go to development. In the present circumstances, where Sh900 million pays the salaries of civil servants and Sh1.2 trillion services debt, the only way to reach the spending threshold on development is to fudge the numbers by claiming that the revenues will be good. Tax targets are set with the objective that they will be missed with notorious religiosity. This way, the overestimation of revenue allows space to budget for money that will be borrowed as an "emergency".

The recent emergencies include reallocation of billions of shillings to State House renovation in the face of pressing social spending. It makes all the claims about austerity and fiscal discipline hollow. Importantly, this profligacy is being performed away from any form of oversight or control after the government walked away from conditional lending by the International Monetary Fund in March. The obscure public wage bill, currently at 45 per cent in the face of shrinking private sector employment, is probably one of the reasons the IMF loan talks collapsed.

The government is going big into employment. Only this month, 4,000 internship slots were advertised under the Affordable Housing programme and the Climate Work environmental cleanup programme seeks to hire some 110,000 youths this year. Even as these government jobs continue to

trickle in, real wages are contracting, and people's ability to meet daily needs is severely constrained, especially in the face of declining public spending on education and the shaky transition in health insurance. It is not the time to discuss wage bill reductions and staff rationalisation.

Meanwhile, the \$750 million World Bank loan expected last month is no longer coming. This means the government will be selling more Treasury bonds and bills to feed its spendthrift habit. In fact, if the World Bank was hoping to reintroduce its usual conversations about balancing budgets and reducing deficits two years to an election, that discussion is off the table.

Domestic debt drinks up nearly half of all the tax revenue collected in the country. A few commercial banks have been making super profits off Kenyans by buying government paper, and Parliament has been on the game. Once parliamentary authority has been obtained to spend, the mandarins in the Treasury never look back. They borrow, especially from the local banks, to ensure the gravy train runs. Counties are routinely encouraged to borrow from commercial banks to pay salaries as they await disbursements from the Treasury.

During his vetting as nominee for Cabinet secretary to the Treasury, John Mbadi candidly told Parliament that he had held Sh13 million in Treasury bonds, which were giving him a handsome annual return of 16 per cent. At the time, he undertook to reduce commercial loans to just 5 per cent of the government debt portfolio, down from the obtaining 30 per cent. Many other members of the National Assembly are waiting for their T-bill and T-bond yields to check in even as they approve higher borrowing. They see no contradiction between their public roles and their private wealth. The interest on commercial loans, which continues to grow, is the elephant in the room.

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Letters

THE CUTTING EDGE by THE WATCHMAN

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Failed • National Assembly Speaker Moses Wetang'ula's performance, Evans Macharia Mwangi says, is wanting. "It's a total disaster, as he seems more involved in political rallies than in Parliament. He should vacate the key position and concentrate on politics, which he seems much more interested in. Politicking day in, day out is a big shame." His contact is evans_macharia@yahoo.com.

Agriculture • This country has no business importing food, Richard Kihara is quite convinced. Says he: "This is for the government to ponder. We import basic foodstuffs such as maize, wheat, and rice, and yet we have ample land, labour, and infrastructure to produce these food crops. There lie our jobs for a start. Give targets and empower the farmer." His email address is rkihara7@gmail.com.

Puzzling • Hawkers on the Thika Superhighway hawk towels while those on Mombasa Road, also in Nairobi, sell neck ties? notes a curious university don XN Iraki. "Is it about the type of work they do or the employment of the people who use the two highways? Is it about the weather? Even AI can't help me. Please, help me to explain this apparent paradox." His contact is xniraki@gmail.com.

Curious • Closely monitoring the recent developments next to Wilson Airport, Nairobi resident James Gakuo has his eyes riveted to the GP Karting area. Says he: "Here, once stood a store for the airport. But I'm now very curious, as it looks like other things are also coming up there. I just hope no one has taken it over. Can someone, kindly, investigate this?" His contact is gakks2002@yahoo.com.

Sports • After demonstrating competence for many years in global athletics, the next stage is to showcase Kenya's talent on the soccer pitches in the big leagues of Europe, says Jim Okwako, impressed with 19-year-old star Eldrine Kibet's recent signing with Spanish team Celta Vigo. "He's following in the footsteps of McDonald Mariga and Michael Olunga, who have played in Spain. This is quite inspiring." Have an inspiring day, won't you!

LETTERS

Don't involve schoolchildren in protests

The threats by the Democracy for the Citizens Party (DCP) to involve pupils and students in demonstrations should the government suspend full funding of free education is perilous. Considering the aftermath of past protests, such an approach speaks volumes about the ability of the party's leadership to rule the country and resolve challenges. Instead of politicising the issue, they should suggest amicable solutions to win the confidence of the electorates. The government must also listen and stop vilifying the opposition.

Jeremiah Wambugu, Nairobi

State must guarantee funding of education

Education is a basic need that every parent should fulfil for his or her children. Former President Mwai Kibaki prioritised education and made it free and compulsory for primary and secondary learners. It is worrying to see this plan being derailed through inadequate funding. The recent revelation that some ghost schools were receiving capitation could be the source of this crisis. If the perpetrators are brought to book and the swindled billions recovered, the funding of education will go on uninterrupted.

Franklin Mukembu, Tharaka-Nithi

New Nacada rules will stifle businesses

In Kenya, we have leaders who do not care about the lives and businesses of ordinary Kenyans. This is exemplified by the new set of rules put in place by the National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse (Nacada) seeking to control consumption of beverages. Not surprisingly, this was challenged by stakeholders in the alcohol industry. As Kenyans, it is our hope that the government will listen to stakeholders who called for enforcement of existing laws rather than introducing punitive regulations.

Njuguna George Kimani, Kiambu

Stop the premature election campaigns

We have of late observed a growing trend of relentless campaigning by politicians from both the government and the opposition despite the next General Election being two years away. This premature campaigning is diverting critical attention and resources from the urgent task of governance. Elected leaders should prioritise delivering on their mandates like improving education and healthcare while the opposition must focus in constructive oversight, rather than engaging in divisive rhetoric aimed at scoring political points.

Gerald Mwangi, Murang'a

Increasing medics' pay commendable

It was a milestone achievement for the 1,147 newly posted medical intern doctors after the government clarified the Sh206,000 monthly salary structure in line with the 2017 Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA). This is a big win for our medical interns who contend with long hours in understaffed hospitals. I stand in solidarity with our health workers in this notable accomplishment. Doctors' salaries should never be a subject of debate.

Peter Ojwang', Siaya



July 28, 1970: Nairobi councillors unanimously nominated Ms Margaret Kenyatta (centre) as Mayor of Nairobi. The issue will be put to the vote at the annual meeting of the City Council next Tuesday. Councillor H. N. Njogu had offered himself as a candidate for the mayoral election but was understood to have stood down in favour of Ms Kenyatta. COMPILED BY ANNIEL NJOKA

LETTER OF THE DAY

State should listen to critics, not silence them

The starting point to better governance would be for the government to accept constructive criticism as positives towards developing a stable nation grounded in competitive politics. In a proper democracy, the opposition is always the government in waiting. It critiques and keeps the government on its toes. Most governments in a working democracy will always take criticism and opposing views in a positive manner. This is not happening in Kenya today. The government has gone on the defensive and is refusing to take good advice.

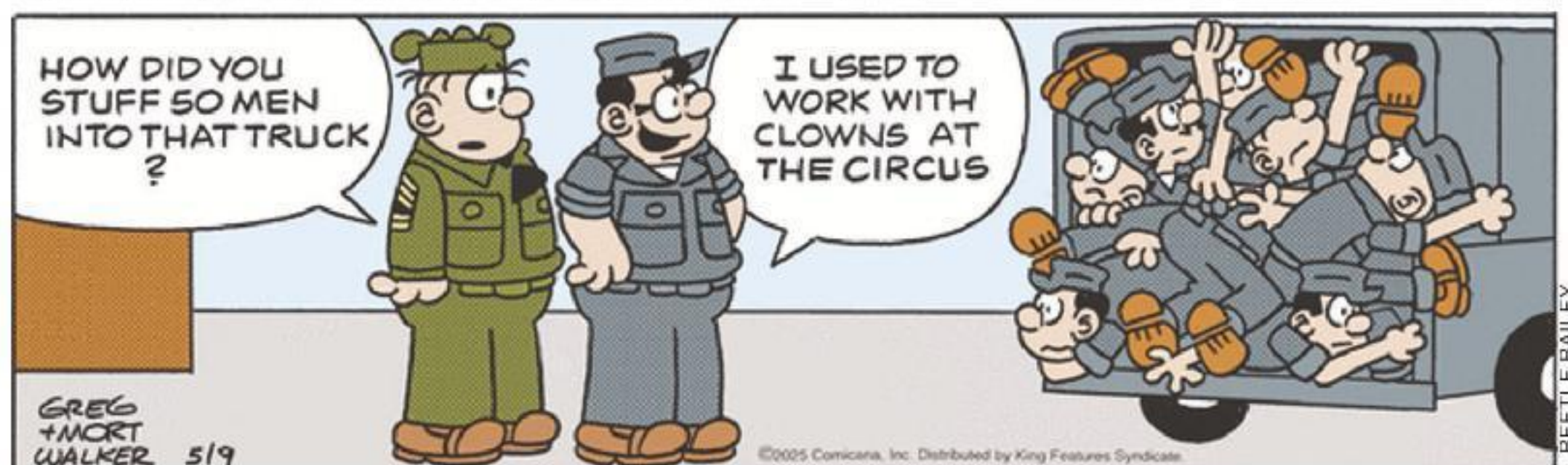
The government has its failings and this is what Kenyans are pointing out daily. Nobody in his right frame of mind would like to see a failed state where chaos and disorder are the daily occurrence. Mistakes in leadership and governance are pointed out in the hope that they will be improved upon by those in power. It is strange and unacceptable for any leadership to dig deep when in crisis and instead call critics terrorists and enemies of the State. Of course the President is not very far off when he says there are those elements out to sabotage and make governance

impossible but the best way out of this is to pick the positives and good ideas from the other side and try them out. There are honest and patriotic Kenyans who are providing solutions for the problems tormenting our country. I believe it is the government that has that attitude that it is perfect and infallible. Kenyans agree that reforms cannot be reversed but they can be improved. This maybe where the government is missing the key point. The Social Health Insurance Fund, the housing levy and the revamped education funding model are not being opposed

for the sake of it. Kenyans are saying they are not working the way they should. If it is not working, fix it. This is the simple demand from Kenyans to their government.

The government should listen to the people. It is a government by the people and for the people. It is not a government that works in isolation to lord it over its subjects. This only happens in dictatorships and Kenya is not yet there. Ours should be a consultative government in a free and fair environment where all have space to deliver.

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County News

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Systems upgrade Central Bank of Kenya initiating reforms aimed at curbing this abuse

Why it will be harder to cancel county transactions

Small suppliers with no 'connections' are most affected, Auditor-General's report states

BY COLLINS OMULO

The national government has moved to tighten controls on county finances by making it impossible to void approved transactions.

This follows revelations of widespread misuse, where accounting officers cancel payments approved by the Controller of Budget.

The latest action follows a damning report by Auditor-General Nancy Gathungu, which exposed a disturbing trend where payments meant for small suppliers with no "connections" to senior county officials are voided. The money is then diverted to politically connected contractors.

Appearing before the Senate Committee on Devolution, Central Bank of Kenya (CBK) Governor Kamau Thugge said reforms have been initiated aimed at curbing this abuse.

He explained that counties will no longer be able to cherry-pick who gets paid once the new banking systems go live.

"On voided transactions, the blame is not with the CBK. The Controller of Budget approves requisitions, but county accounting officers pay for something else," said Mr Thugge. "That will no longer be possible. Whatever is approved by the



Auditor-General Nancy Gathungu's report for the financial year ending June 30, 2024, shows counties voided more than Sh10.9 billion deals. JARED NYATAYA | NATION

Controller of Budget will be exactly what gets paid."

Dr Thugge said that CBK is upgrading two critical banking systems — Temenos T24 and Granular Data Integration (GDI) — to seal loopholes that allow manipulation of payment files. The systems will ensure that requisition files are directly tied to funding, preventing tampering by rogue officers.

CBK Deputy Governor Susan Koech said that the Temenos T24 platform, which offers end-to-end banking solutions, will go live next month, while the GDI platform — which allows real-time monitoring of county transactions — will be rolled out by the end of October.

"The new systems will enhance transparency, efficiency, and eliminate discretionary inter-

Sh10.9bn

Transactions voided by county governments, according to the Auditor-General's report for the financial year ending June 30, 2024.

ference in payments," she said. "We have already onboarded all

banks and payment service providers."

The changes follow the release of the Auditor-General's report for the financial year ending June 30, 2024, which revealed that counties voided more than Sh10.9 billion worth of deals during the period under review.

The audit found that some of the voided payments were for services already delivered by small suppliers. The worst abuses occurred in the final month of the financial year, often justified by claims of "missing documents."

The audit shows that Kisumu County voided 4,127 transactions worth Sh2.6 billion, with no supporting documents provided.

Busia County is reported to have cancelled Sh2.1 billion, with Sh772.6 million voided in June alone. And in Kajiado County, 1,922 transactions worth Sh2.28 billion were cancelled.

In all the three cases, the counties failed to notify the Controller of Budget of the voided payments or provide documentation required under Section 92(3) (c) of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012.

Wajir Senator Mohamed Abass said that the situation is very worrying. He added that corruption has been devolved.

Other counties cited in the report are Siaya, which voided 1,500 transactions worth Sh560.6 million, Nakuru voided 570 transactions totalling Sh308 million, while Mombasa cancelled Sh921 million transactions, including Sh412.9 million meant for suppliers and statutory deductions. Nyeri cancelled 722 transactions worth Sh527.2 million and Meru voided Sh415.4 million deals.

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Nairobi

Woodley residents protest 'illegal evictions'

BY KEVIN CHERUIYOT

Residents of Woodley Estate in Nairobi are seeking police protection following alleged harassment and illegal evictions by unidentified individuals.

Through their lawyers, Frank Karanja & Co Advocates, the residents have written to Nairobi Regional Police Commander George Seda requesting his intervention.

In a video shared by one of the victims, a group of men is seen forcibly entering a home and vandalising property as the tenant flees for their safety.

The residents claimed that the evictions—which began in May and June—have been discriminatory.

They said that specific tenants have been targeted despite their decades-long occupancy of the Woodley houses.

County denies claims

"Earlier this year, a dispute arose between our clients and the county government concerning rent arrears. These arrears were waived under Gazette Notice No. 2728 Vol. CXX-III-No.55, which remains in force," reads part of a letter dated July 11.

Despite a High Court order halting any evictions until the matter is resolved, the residents alleged that the directive has been repeatedly ignored.

But County Chief Officer for Housing Lydia Mathia denied the residents' claims of forced evictions.

"Those are mere allegations. Maybe the residents saw new tenants moving into the houses and mistook them for goons. This is county government property, and we have ongoing plans to redevelop parts of the estate for the affordable housing project," she told the *Nation*

Homa Bay

ODM faces big test in nominations for Kasipul mini-poll

BY GEORGE ODIWUOR

The Orange Democratic Movement (ODM) faces a significant test as it prepares to nominate a candidate for the Kasipul Constituency by-election following the death of area Member of Parliament Charles Ong'ondo Were on April 30.

Three aspirants have declared interest in the seat. They are; businessmen Philip Aroko and Robert Riaga (popularly known as Money Bior), and the former MP's son, Boyd Were.

The newly formed Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC) has

not yet announced the date of the by-election.

Mr Riaga will be running as an independent candidate, and has adopted blue as his campaign colour. His strategy involves philanthropic gestures such as paying school fees and hospital bills for vulnerable families.

On the other hand, Mr Aroko and Mr Were will fight it out for the ODM ticket. The party enjoys strong support in the constituency, and securing its nomination is widely seen as a crucial step toward electoral victory.

ODM employs several methods to select

candidates—direct nomination, secret ballot, or delegate-based selection. However, its nomination processes have previously sparked discontent, particularly during the 2022 elections, when some members in Homa Bay defected to run as independents or joined rival parties such as the United Democratic Alliance (UDA).

The method used in Kasipul could either strengthen or weaken ODM's influence in the region. Some residents have called for a transparent and credible nomination process.

"The party risks losing support if it disregards public opinion. The nomination

process will determine ODM's future relevance here," said Mr Wycliffe Ochieng, a local voter.

Another resident, Mr Leonard Oluoch, warned that past political tensions could be reignited by perceived favouritism.

"There are already claims that the party has a preferred candidate, which is causing anxiety among voters," he noted.

Political analysts have urged voters to prioritise leadership ability over party loyalty. Mr Michael Kojo, Chief Executive Officer of the Asego Public Litigation Forum, stated: "Kasipul residents must elect individuals with the capacity to transform lives."

Bomet Ministry on the spot over project

Funding for new school triggers row



The Ministry of Education head office at Jogoo House in Nairobi. The ministry is on the spot over its decision to channel funds for the establishment of Bomet High School through Tenwek High School. FILE | NATION

The new institution will be built on land belonging to Bomet Primary School

BY VITALIS KIMUTAI

A decision by the Ministry of Education to channel Sh50 million in development funds through Tenwek High School for the construction of a proposed secondary school has sparked a storm.

Residents are questioning why the funds—meant for the establishment of Bomet High School—were not routed through Bomet Primary School, on whose land the new institution will be built.

The budgetary allocation follows a pledge made by President William Ruto during a tour of the South Rift region on March 16, 2024, in response to a request by Bomet Central MP Richard Kilel.

Mr Kilel had said the project would help ease pressure on existing schools in Bomet town. He also pledged to supplement the funding with cash from the National Government Constituency Development Fund (NG-CDF).

When the matter came up in the National Assembly last week, however, legislators flagged the allocation as being directed to a non-existent institution, saying, it was not registered, had no documentation and lacked a physical location. The MPs further pointed out that the proposed school has no allocated land, no approved building plans, and no Board of Management, making it a candidate for a "ghost project."

Auditor-General Nancy Gathun-

gu had raised similar concerns, noting that the money was released in the 2024/2025 financial year through Tenwek High School to an institution that does not yet exist on the ground.

Former Bomet Central MP Ronald Tonui, however, downplayed the concerns, arguing that it is normal practice for new institutions to be managed under existing ones for accounting purposes.

"Public funds require an accounting officer, which a proposed institution does not have. That is why Bomet University, for instance, was developed through Moi University," said Mr Tonui, a former high school principal.

Sh50m

Amount of money that the Ministry of Education has disbursed for the construction of Bomet High School through Tenwek Boys High School.

In an interview with *Nation*, Mr Kilel said it was proper for the Ministry of Education to disburse the money through Tenwek High School. Critics, however, have questioned why nearby schools, such as St Michael's, Itembe, Kyo-gong, or Chepngaina, were not selected, considering that Tenwek High is six kilometres away.

Efforts to reach Bomet County Director of Education Leonard Ngugi were unsuccessful. Tenwek High School Principal Mutali Chesebe declined to comment, saying the matter should be addressed by ministry officials.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principals and chargee's advocates, we shall sell by public auction the under mentioned properties together with buildings and improvements erected therein.

1. PRIME UNDEVELOPED LAND (7 ACRES) IN KAPUTIEI NORTH, KIMALAT AREA, KITENEGELA, KAJIADO COUNTY

ON TUESDAY THE 5TH DAY OF AUGUST 2025 AT 11:00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES LOCATED ON THE 5TH FLOOR, WESTERN HEIGHTS, KARUNA ROAD, WESTLANDS, NAIROBI

All that parcel of land known as TITLE NO. KAJIADO/KAPUTIEI NORTH/111749 KIMALAT AREA-KITENGELA, KAJIADO EAST SUB COUNTY, KAJIADO COUNTY registered in the name of SISIN (K) LIMITED c/o P. O. Box 67122-00200 Nairobi g/t KULE CODAF LIMITED c/o P. O. Box 67132, Kajiado, Kenya. The property is situated approximately 1.6kms South of Massai Flower Farm and approximately 9kms from Kitengela Town in Kimalat Area, Kajiado East Sub-county, Kajiado County. It is approximately 230 meters and on the second row from Namanga road. The plot measures 2.83 hectares (6.993 acres) approximately and it is undeveloped save for 2No. animal permanent water troughs. The rest of the land is open grazeland and scattered shrubs/vegetation. The title is a freehold interest.

2. PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY (14NO. VILLAS PLUS 1.63 ACRES OF UNDEVELOPED LAND) WITHIN JUJA SOUTH, KIAMBU COUNTY



ON TUESDAY THE 5TH DAY OF AUGUST 2025 AT 11:00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES LOCATED ON THE 5TH FLOOR OF WESTERN HEIGHTS, KARUNA ROAD WESTLANDS, NAIROBI

All that parcel of land known as VILLA NOS. A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, A7, B2, B5, C1, C2, C5, D4, D5 & UNDEVELOPED LAND ON L. R. NO. 25468/319 (IR NO. 206279) JUJA SOUTH, KIAMBU COUNTY ALL registered in the name of MARKEM LIMITED c/o P. O. Box 14422-00800 Nairobi and/or c/o P. O. Box 13696-00800 Nairobi. The property is located within the neighbourhood of Juja South Estate, about 2.3kms off Nairobi-Thika Super Highway (A2) branching off opposite destination lifestyle Mall within Juja South Area, approximately 3kms from Juja Township, Kiambu County. It is developed with a gated community housing project which is proposed to comprise of a total of 38No. identical four bedroomed stand-alone villas each with a detached domestic staff quarter. Phase 1 – comprises of 22No. villas and Phase 2 comprises of 16No. villas. The land where Phase 2 is proposed is approximately 1.63 acres. The section is vacant and covered with natural vegetation. The title is a leasehold interest for a term of 99 years w.e.f 01.04.2018 at a peppercorn annual ground rent (if demanded). Both water and electricity are connected to the property. Drainage is into a septic tank/ biogas treatment unit provided for each house. Additional amenities include beautifully landscaped recreational gardens, common visitors parking spaces. Each house occupies 0.0405 hectares (0.1 acres) and is provided with two parking spaces.

3. PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITHIN FIVE STAR PARADISE RUNDA ESTATE, KIAMBU COUNTY



ON TUESDAY THE 5TH DAY OF AUGUST 2025 AT 11:00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES LOCATED ON THE 5TH FLOOR OF WESTERN HEIGHTS, KARUNA ROAD WESTLANDS, NAIROBI.

All that parcel of land known as L. R. NO. 12825/196 – VILLA NO. 47 FIVE STAR PARADISE RUNDA ESTATE, KIAMBU ROAD, KIAMBU COUNTY registered in the joint names of CHRISTOPHER MUSYOKI MUTUKU & KEZIAH WANJIKU KIMWAKI c/o P. O. Box 27545-00506 Nairobi. The property is situated on unnamed access road, within Five Star Paradise Runda Estate, off Kiambu Road, Kiambu County. It is identifiable as Villa No. 47. The mother parcel measures 16.11 hectares (39.808 acres) approximately. Our subject is a four bedroomed all ensuite double storey house, provided with an attached domestic staff quarter (the development measures 3,078 sq.ft approx.). Common facilities include children's playground, club house, gym area and a swimming pool. The title is a leasehold interest for a term of 99 years w.e.f 01.01.2015 (less the last seven (7) days thereof at a peppercorn (if demanded) ground rent. Mains electricity and water are connected to the property. Drainage is to the mains sewer line.

4. PRIME INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY (2 ACRES) ALONG ADDIS ABABA ROAD, INDUSTRIAL AREA, NAIROBI CITY



ON TUESDAY THE 12TH DAY OF AUGUST 2025 AT 11:00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES LOCATED ON THE 5TH FLOOR OF WESTERN HEIGHTS, KARUNA ROAD WESTLANDS, NAIROBI.

All that parcel of land known as L. R. NO. 209/6982/2 (I.R. 151422), ALONG ADDIS ABABA ROAD, INDUSTRIAL AREA, NAIROBI CITY registered in the name of EAST AFRICAN CABLES LIMITED NOW CALLED EAST AFRICAN CABLES PLC c/o P. O. Box 42334-00100 Nairobi. The property is along Addis Ababa Road, Industrial Area about 2.5kms to the South East of Nairobi City Centre. It is situated about 330 meters from the junction of Enterprise Road and Addis Ababa Road and lies next to East Africa Cables, Addis Ababa Branch. The plot measures 0.7938 hectares (1.96 acres) or thereabouts. Erected on the plot is a double storey office block with a godown area, 2No. warehouses cum office blocks, a partly rented warehouse, 2No. extra single storey blocks and a power house. Accommodation: A double storey office block with godown area: Ground Floor: reception, 6No. office rooms with partitions, a double height godown, an extra single height warehouse, staircase accessing the upper floor; Upper Floor: 6No. office rooms, former finance section having an open office, 5No. smaller office rooms, washroom having WC western type and 2No. WHB ceramic units, service area, kitchen, gents section and ladies section (plinth area 1,400 sq.m); Partly Rented Warehouse: 2No. Halls (plinth area 293 sq.m); 3rd and 4th Warehouse: Third Ware House: 4No. rooms with washrooms (plinth area 310 sq.m); Fourth Ware House: 4No. rooms, washroom having toilet room with WC western type, a small toilet room with fittings (plinth area 153 sq.m); First Single Storey Block: 7No. rooms (plinth area 144 sq.m); Second Single Storey Block: 1No. room; Power House: 1No. room (plinth area 29 sq.m). The title is a leasehold interest for a term of 80 years 7 months w.e.f 01.06.1967 at an annual ground rent of Kes 48,750 (revisable). Piped water and mains electricity services are connected to the subject property. Drainage is into main sewer line.

NB: That bidders' will be required to produce a bidding deposit of Kshs 5 million by way of cash or bankers' cheque before being allowed to bid.

5. PRIME UNDEVELOPED LAND (4 ACRES) WITHIN JAMII BORA AREA, KISAJU, KAJIADO COUNTY

ON TUESDAY THE 19TH DAY OF AUGUST 2025 AT 11:00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES LOCATED ON THE 5TH FLOOR, WESTERN HEIGHTS, KARUNA ROAD, WESTLANDS, NAIROBI.

All that parcel of land known as TITLE NO. KAJIADO/KISAJU/2276 JAMII BORA AREA, KISAJU, KAJIADO COUNTY registered in the name of JOHN NGUGI WACHAIYU c/o P. O. Box 1471 Kikuyu. The property is situated within Jamii Bora Area at approximately 7.5kms off Namanga Road deviating at Kisaju, Kajiado County. It is located at approximately 200 meters to the East of Jamii Bora (Makao) Estate of Kisaju. The parcel measures 1.60 hectares (3.95 acres) or thereabouts and it is undeveloped. The title is a freehold interest. Mains electricity is available for connection, water is supplied from boreholes sunk within the neighbourhood and drainage would be into a septic tank.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

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International



Human suffering Five-month-old baby, Zainab Abu Haleeb, dies of malnutrition at Nasser Hospital

Israel announces daily pauses in Gaza to enable aid airdrops

Jordan, the United Arab Emirates parachute 25 tonnes of aid into Gaza Strip

JERUSALEM/GAZA, SUNDAY

Israel said on Sunday it would halt military operations for 10 hours a day in parts of Gaza and allow new aid corridors as Jordan and the United Arab Emirates airdropped supplies into the enclave, where images of starving Palestinians have alarmed the world.

Israel has been facing growing international criticism, which the government rejects, over the humanitarian crisis in Gaza and indirect ceasefire talks in Doha between Israel and the Palestinian militant group Hamas have broken off with no deal in sight.

Military activity will stop from 10 am to 8pm (0700-1700 GMT) until further notice in Al-Mawasi, a designated humanitarian area along the coast, in central Deir al-Balah and in Gaza City, to the north.

Jordan and the United Arab Emirates parachuted 25 tonnes of aid into the Gaza Strip on Sunday in their first airdrop in months, a Jordanian official source said.

The official said the air drops were not a substitute for delivery by land.

Palestinian health officials in Gaza City said at least 10 people were injured by falling aid boxes.



Palestinians carry aid supplies that entered Gaza through Israel, in Beit Lahia in the northern Gaza Strip, yesterday. PHOTO | REUTERS

The military said designated secure routes for convoys delivering food and medicine will also be in place between 6 am and 11 pm starting from Sunday.

UN aid chief Tom Fletcher said staff would step up efforts to feed the hungry during the pauses in the designated areas.

"Our teams on the ground... will do all we can to reach as many starving people as we can in this window," he said on X.

Health officials at Al-Awda and Al-Aqsa Hospitals in the central Gaza Strip said Israeli firing killed at least 17 people and wounded 50 waiting for aid trucks on Sunday. Israel's military did not immediately respond to a request for comment.

Dozens of Gazans have died of

malnutrition in recent weeks, according to the Gaza Health Ministry in the Hamas-run enclave.

The ministry reported six new deaths over the past 24 hours due to malnutrition, bringing the to-

Three months inside the hospital and this is what I get in return, that she is dead

Israa Abu Haleeb, Baby Zainab Abu Haleeb's mother



tal deaths from malnutrition and hunger to 133 including 87 children.

On Saturday, a five-month-old baby, Zainab Abu Haleeb, died of malnutrition at Nasser Hospital in Khan Younis, health workers said.

"Three months inside the hospital and this is what I get in return, that she is dead," said her mother, Israa Abu Haleeb, standing next to the baby's father as he held their daughter's body wrapped in a white shroud.

The Egyptian Red Crescent said it was sending more than 100 trucks carrying over 1,200 metric tons of food to southern Gaza on Sunday.

A Palestinian official source said on Sunday afternoon that trucks

were still being inspected at Kerem Shalom and had not yet entered Gaza.

Aid groups said last week there was mass hunger among Gaza's 2.2 million people and international alarm over the humanitarian situation has increased, driving French President Emmanuel Macron's decision to recognise a Palestinian state in September.

A group of 25 states including Britain, France and Canada last week condemned the "drip feeding of aid" and said Israel's denial of essential humanitarian aid was unacceptable.

Israel, which cut off aid to Gaza from the start of March and reopened it with new restrictions in May, says it is committed to allowing in aid but must control it to prevent it from being diverted by militants. It says it has let enough food into Gaza during the war and blames Hamas for the suffering of Gaza's people.

Israel and the US appeared on Friday to abandon ceasefire negotiations with Hamas, saying the militants did not want a deal.

Many Gazans expressed some relief at Sunday's announcement, but said fighting must end permanently.

"People are happy that large amounts of food aid will come into Gaza," said Tamer Al-Burai, a business owner. "We hope today marks a first step in ending this war that burned everything up."

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said Israel would continue to allow the entry of humanitarian supplies whatever path it took. (Reuters)

BRIEFLY

KINSHASA

At least 43 killed in suspected ADF rebel attack

At least 43 civilians were killed overnight from Saturday to Sunday in an attack attributed to the Allied Democratic Forces (ADF) rebels in eastern Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), local sources said Sunday. According to local media reports, ADF fighters stormed a Catholic church early Saturday in the town of Komanda, Ituri Province. A local civil society leader in Komanda said most of the victims, primarily Catholic worshippers, were preparing for Sunday celebrations when the attack took place. Several houses were burned, and an unknown number of people remain missing. Witnesses said that the assailants also looted a local bank and other community properties before retreating into the nearby forest. The ADF rebels have stepped up assaults in Ituri since early July. (Xinhua)

SEOUL

War anniversary: Kim vows to win anti-US battle

North Korean leader Kim Jong Un said the country would achieve victory in "anti-imperialist, anti-US" battles, as the country marked the anniversary of the Korean War armistice, state media reported on Sunday. Kim "affirmed that our state and its people would surely achieve the great cause of building a rich country with a strong army and become honourable victors in the anti-imperialist, anti-US showdown," KCNA state news agency said, referring to his visit to a war museum on a previous day. North Korea signed an armistice agreement with the United States and China on July 27, 1953, ending the fighting in the three-year war. US generals signed the agreement representing the United Nations forces that had backed South Korea. North Korea calls July 27 "Victory Day" even though the armistice drew a border dividing the Korean peninsula roughly equally. (Reuters)

Thailand, Cambodia to hold talks on deadly border conflict

SISAKET, THAILAND/ PHNOM PENH, SUNDAY

The leaders of Thailand and Cambodia will attend mediation talks over their deadly border conflict in Malaysia on Monday, the Thai government said, even as both sides accused each other of launching fresh artillery strikes across contested areas.

Talks are scheduled to begin at 3pm local time (0700 GMT) on Monday, with acting Prime Minister Phumtham Wechay-

achai leading the Thai negotiating team, the government announced in a statement on Sunday night.

Malaysia, which chairs the ASEAN regional cooperation forum, has informed the Thai government that Cambodian Prime Minister Hun Manet would also be attending the talks, the statement said.

Tensions between Thailand and Cambodia have intensified since the late-May killing of a Cambodian soldier during

a brief border skirmish. Border troops on both sides were reinforced amid a full-blown diplomatic crisis that brought Thailand's fragile coalition government to the brink of collapse.

Hostilities resumed on Thursday and, within just four days, escalated into the worst fighting between the Southeast Asian neighbours in more than a decade.

The death toll has risen above 30, including 13 civilians in Thailand and eight in Cambodia, while authorities report that

more than 200,000 people have been evacuated from border areas.

Monday's talks come after Malaysian Prime Minister Anwar Ibrahim last week proposed a ceasefire and U.S. President Donald Trump said on Saturday that the two leaders had agreed to work on a ceasefire.

Bangkok and Phnom Penh have each accused the other side of sparking last week's hostilities.

Cambodia's Defence Ministry said Thailand had shelled and

launched ground assaults on Sunday morning at a number of points along the border. The ministry's spokesperson said heavy artillery was fired at historic temple complexes.

"For me, I think it is great if Thailand agreed to stop fighting so both countries can live with peace," Phnom Penh university student Sreung Nita told Reuters.

The Thai army said Cambodian forces had fired shots into several areas, including near civilian homes, on Sunday. (Reuters)

Business 146%

Rise in detected cyberattacks in one year to June 2025

Cyberattacks on Kenya more than double to 8.6 billion in one year

BY KABUI MWANGI

The number of cybercrime attacks deployed against Kenyan institutions more than doubled during the year ended June 2025, underscoring enhanced threats amid accelerated digitisation of both public and private workflow systems.

Analysis of data released by the Communications Authority of Kenya (CA) shows that detected threats rose 146 per cent to 8.6 billion during the year under review, up from 3.5 billion in a similar period the preceding year.

The period between March and June 2025 saw the highest number of threats ever recorded in one quarter at 4.6 billion, dwarfing the 2.5 incidents detected between January and March this year.

"The sharp rise in detected cyber threats can be attributed to several factors, including inadequate system patching, limited user awareness of threat vectors such as phishing and other social engineering techniques, as well as the growing adoption of AI-driven attacks and machine learning technologies by malicious actors," wrote the CA in a new report.

"The authority continued to enhance the dissemination of cyber threat advisories to critical information infrastructure sectors as part of its proactive response to the evolving cyber threat landscape."

System attacks closed the year as the most prevalent, with 4.5 billion incidents detected as criminals sought to compromise systems used in critical sectors.

This type refers to threats that attempt to compromise the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of computer systems or the data they process. The attacks exploit vulnerabilities in computer software and hardware or human behaviours to launch assaults.

Pipeline residents rue uncollected garbage, flooded streets



A woman jumps over a pool of stagnant water to cross a garbage-strewn street in Nairobi's Pipeline Estate yesterday. The persistent issue of uncollected garbage poses a major health threat to residents.

DENNIS ONSONGO | NATION

Energy Off grid stations use the fuel to generate electricity

Puzzle of KP diesel supply awarded to highest bidder

Auditor-General says Sh14 billion tender was way above budget allocation

BY EDNA MWENDA

Auditor-General Nancy Gathungu has flagged Sh14.4 billion diesel supply tender by Kenya Power that was questionably awarded to the highest bidder, and way above estimated budget allocation for the supplies.

A report for the financial year ended June 30, 2024, shows that KPLC was in the market seeking low-sulphur diesel for its off-grid stations.

The approved tender estimated that the quantity required for the stations to be 31,020,000 litres every year, totalling 62,040,000 litres for two years, with a total cost of about Sh3.8 billion and Sh7.6 billion annually and for the two years, respectively. However, bidders quoted

prices, which were higher than the budget estimates, with the most responsive bidder submitting Sh14,379,262,976, which was 205 per cent above the budget estimate.

"Despite the tenderers quoting prices above the budget, the evaluation committee in a report dated November 22, 2023, recommended awarding the most responsive bidder who had quoted a price of Sh14,379,262,976, subject to the estimated annual budget of Sh3,868,66,072," Gathungu said.

"This was contrary to Section 53(8) of the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act, 2015, which provides that the accounting officer shall not commence any procurement proceeding until satisfied that sufficient funds to meet the obli-

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Millions of litres of diesel that KPLC needs to run 30 off grid stations for a month.

gations of the resulting contract are reflected in its approved budget estimates. In the circumstances, management was in breach of the law," the Auditor-General added.

Kenya Power runs dozens of off-grid power stations, which are a critical cog in Kenya's plan to attain universal electricity access. Some of the off-grid power stations were initially developed as thermal plants serving areas located far from the national power grid. A recent disclosure by the KPLC revealed that it requires an estimated 2.22 million

litres of diesel to run its 30 off-grid power stations a month, or 26.64 million litres a year.

Customers pay for this diesel through the fuel cost charge, which is the second costliest component of power bills.

Kenya Power last year revealed that it will spend Sh4.31 billion to retrofit 18 of its diesel-powered off-grid stations with solar to lower costs. The hybrid systems enable the displacement of expensive thermal generation with cheaper and cleaner renewable energy.

The retrofit targeted to install 98 mini-grids and 473 stand-alone systems to boost power access in 14 counties with low grid penetration. The counties to be covered by the project are Garissa, Isiolo, Kilifi, Kwale, Lamu, Mandera, Marsabit, Narok, Samburu, Taita Taveta, Tana River, Turkana, Wajir, and West Pokot.

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BRIEFLY

MOTORING

New car sales jump 25pc, Isuzu tightens grip

New vehicle sales rose 25.05 per cent in the first half of the year on falling interest rates amid a stable shilling and inflation marking the first growth in three years. Motor vehicle dealers and assemblers such as Isuzu East Africa, CFAO Mobility Kenya (formerly Toyota Kenya) and Simba Corp sold 6,360 units compared with 5,086 units in the same period of last year. Isuzu extended its market share to 48.35 per cent from 47.94 per cent last year, while CFAO's share dropped slightly to 31.71 per cent from 32.05 per cent. **Constant Munda**

MOTORING

Two new truck models launched

Sinotruk by CFAO Mobility has launched two lorry models in Kenya. The trucks include the Sinotruk H2 (light duty) and H3 (medium duty) models that have higher capacities and larger fuel tanks, reducing the need for frequent refueling and enabling longer hauls. "The launch of these models will cater for both the last-mile delivery and the heavy load delivery in addition to long haulage," Sinotruk general manager Sarfraz Premji said. **Linet Owoko**

CSR

KCB's 2Jiajiri equips 1800 youth with skills

Over 1,800 youth have graduated from the KCB Foundation's 2Jiajiri programme in Nairobi, gaining technical and vocational skills in partnership with the Mastercard Foundation. The initiative targets job creation, particularly for women, and provides graduates with toolkits and business development services to help them set up enterprises in high-demand sectors such as agribusiness and ICT. **Linet Owoko**

Pictorial



From left: Britam Foundation Director Catherine Karita, Davis & Shirliff ESG & Partnerships Manager Lydia Onditi and BURGURET Primary School Head Teacher Zephania Maina during the commissioning of a solar-powered water system at the school in Laikipia County.



Cake City Kenya CEO, Mohammed Zahir, and his family pose for a photo during the ribbon-cutting ceremony at the opening of the new Lavington branch at Luqman Mall.



From left: J.P. Morgan's Global Public Sector, Sub-Saharan Africa, Managing Director Olivier Eweck, Managing Director, Head of CEEMEA Loans and Structured Credit Puja Turner, NMG Group CEO Geoffrey Oundo, Sailepu Montet, Executive Director, Chief Representative Officer for Kenya and Country Manager East Africa at J.P. Morgan and NMG's Chief Corporate Affairs and Partnerships Officer, Monicah Ndung'u, pose for a photo during a courtesy call by the J.P. Morgan team at Nation Centre in Nairobi on July 3, 2025.



From left: Kenya Progressive Nurses Association Secretary Agnes M. Marau; Hope Disability General Abdalla Ndalukarua, Pwani Oil Detrex Brand Manager Evah Kariuki and Machakos Health Director Jackson Kiiu pose for a photo during the measles and typhoid sensitisation campaign at the Machakos Level Five Hospital.



From left: H.E Amb. Guo Haiyan, Chinese Ambassador to Kenya, Stephen Jennings, Founder and CEO of Rendevour, and Preston Mendenhall, Group COO Rendevour and Country Head Kenya, exchange gifts during a visit by the Chinese Embassy to Tatu City.



Mhasibu DT Sacco Society Limited staff led by CEO Eunice Kanyi (centre) plant a tree at City Park in Nairobi during a community environmental conservation initiative on Friday last week.



Kilifi Governor Gideon Mung'aro (right) joins SBM Bank (Kenya) Limited CEO Bhartesh Shah (left) and the bank's Kilifi Branch Manager Abudu Miller in cutting the ribbon to officially open the Kilifi branch on Friday last week.



USIU-Africa Vice Chancellor (second right) and other participants display their medals after finishing the 10km race during the inaugural USIU-Africa Half Marathon. The marathon, themed "Miles for Education", was held to raise funds for financial aid programmes at the university.



From left: Mantrac Kenya Limited Managing Director Mohamed Ibrahim, Rotary Club of Karen President Linet Ayuko and St. Mary's Karen Primary School Board of Management Chair Louis Okodoi during the signing ceremony to launch a classroom construction project at St. Mary's Karen Primary School on Thursday last week. The initiative will support the construction of Grade 9 classrooms to benefit over 150 students.



Information, Communications and the Digital Economy Cabinet Secretary William Kabogo (left) and Kenya International Freight and Warehousing Association National Chairman Fredrick Aloo during the official launch of the Kenya International Freight and Warehousing Association 2025-2030 strategic plan at Ole Sereni Hotel in Nairobi on Wednesday last week.



Youth Affairs and the Creative Economy Principal Secretary Fikirini Jacobs (left) poses for a photo with Swahilipot Hub Foundation Chief Mentor Mahmoud Noor during the launch of Pwani Innovation Week 2025.



Jubilee Insurance Marketing and Corporate Communications Manager Peter Kibe presents a commemorative jersey to Nairobi Serena Hotel General Manager Anthony Chege and Commercial Director Roselyne Nduati in appreciation of their support as 2024 Jubilee Live Free Race hospitality partner, with plans underway for a bigger 2025 edition.

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INSIDE

Rehema takes on the world

BY BRYGETTES NGANNA

Rehema Keita is not your ordinary 11-year-old. She is bold and inquisitive. In fact, before we settled down for an interview, she wondered why High Schooler wanted to speak with her as she prepared to represent her school Greensted International School; in the inaugural Rift Valley Round of World Scholars Cup, a global competition where learners from different curricula meet and compete in debates, creative writing and talent show case.

More than 700 learners from schools in Nairobi, Kiambu, Nakuru, Uasin Gishu and Kisumu counties had assembled at Rehema's school for the competition that was being held out of Nairobi for the first time. Rehema, a Year Five student says her motivation to participate in the World Scholars Cup stemmed from raw sibling rivalry between her and her elder brother who she wants to prove wrong by winning a trophy. More so, she believes taking part in the competition will make her stand out when she will be applying for university admission.

"I learnt about the World Scholars Cup during recess and I had seen other participants getting trophies. I am here to prove to people that I can get those big prizes so that I can flex to my brother," she says.

For Mr Leon Bareham, the Headmaster at Greensted International School, hosting the World Scholars Cup is necessary for any educator keen on preparing their learners for a rapidly evolving work environment with a myriad of opportunities.

"We have talented children. They have a lot of skills that sometimes the curriculum doesn't allow them to express. Having them participate in this competition enables them to develop critical thinking, debating skills and the group assignments build in them a collaborative spirit.

Rehema Keita, a year five student at Greensted International School, speaks with journalists during the Rift Valley Round of the World Scholars Cup held on May 10, 2025 in Nakuru. This was the first time the global debating competition was held outside Nairobi to accommodate learners from the Western part of Kenya. BRYGETTES NGANNA | NATION



In essence, we are preparing the students for an uncertain future and we have to equip them with skills and knowledge for a multi-disciplinary career path," he explains.

Rehema already knows the career she would want to pursue; a degree in animation studies. She hopes to make animated films as an independent artist and is drawn to crime stories.

"I love drawing and making up stories. I want to create an animated show with fictional characters with tragic back stories but they end up overcoming the odds. They have to be based off the Mafia," she chuckles as she notices my astonishment.

Such a career choice would not have made much sense in Kenya a decade ago. However, it is now a reality for learners in this age of the digital explosion and artificial intelligence. She says she will be showcasing her drawing skills in the talent segment.

"I am eager to show my drawing skills, this is how I best express myself."

Organisers say the competition is open to learners across the local and international education curricula and the winning schools will represent Kenya in the Global stage where they can travel to either, Asia, Middle East or Europe depending on the school's academic calendar. The finals will be held at Yale University in the United States of America with teachers saying the competition is the right fit for building holistic learners who can interact with the world around them confidently.

"I have worked as a teacher of English and literature and as the patron of World Scholars here at Greensted, I have seen my learners grow in terms of speech, communication, team work, critical thinking and organisation and at the end of the day, you have a child that is well-moulded," explains Mr Felix Ochieng' the director of sport and co-curricula events.

"Even if someone says you are not good enough don't listen to them," says Rehema, a parting shot.

Songs of regret

Ichiro's words and actions during lunch with his grandfather, Ono, reveal society's misunderstanding of women. In Episode 23 of *An Artist of the Floating World* (pages 171–177), through Ono's narration, Ishiguro exposes male chauvinism and highlights the issue of guilt and regret — particularly through the story of Yukio Naguchi.

Ichiro praises spinach enthusiastically, believing it makes one stronger. He gobbles it down vigorously by the spoonful. He appears as someone drinking the last dregs from a bottle. His grandfather tries to discourage him, wrongly guessing that Ichiro is mimicking a man drinking sake (Japanese alcohol) and fighting. Ichiro corrects him, saying he was imitating Popeye the Sailor Man, a cartoon character, who he believes is very strong because of eating spinach. He thrusts out his chest and punches the air. Ichiro believes that, unlike women, men are physically strong — a myth the author seeks to discredit.

The allusion to Popeye symbolises Western influence in Japan. Ichiro asks his grandfather whether sake can make someone strong. Ono tells him that sake only makes people believe they are strong when in reality, they are not. This perhaps reflects the transient nature of ukiyo (the floating world): living in the moment, detached from the real world, which had inspired some of Ono's paintings.

Claiming that women never understand why men drink, Ichiro tells Ono that he drinks ten bottles of sake every night, followed by ten bottles of whisky. He adds that his aunt Noriko might have a tiny cup of sake and get completely drunk. She will sing songs and fall asleep at the table.

Ono promises to give him a taste of sake later, but Ichiro is concerned that his mother will not allow it. Ono tells him to leave that to him, saying, "We can't have the

women bossing us around now, can we?" He informs Ichiro that his uncle Kenji had a taste of sake when he was Ichiro's age.

Ichiro then brings up Yukio Naguchi, a popular composer of patriotic songs who committed suicide after Japan lost the war. This serves as a grim reminder that some of our past actions, even those made in good faith, can later cause us trouble. Ono had remarked that he and Naguchi were similar: both had supported the war with good intentions.

Naguchi's songs were popular. They were played on the radio, sung in bars, and marched to by soldiers before going into battle. Many people were killed in the war. Naguchi came to believe that his songs had been a mistake. Overwhelmed by guilt, he apologised to grieving parents and children who had lost their loved ones by committing suicide.

This episode inspired the 2024 KCSE question, which posited that some of the things children say or do demonstrate society's misunderstanding of women. Students were expected to show that this belief is not necessarily true. Naguchi's story teaches us that actions one considered wise may, in hindsight, bring pain and regret.



WAFULA WEKATI

Path Alpha: Small on ideas, big on implementation



FRIDAH KAMA

Dr. Afolabi, who has maintained a neutral stance throughout the summit, finally opens up to Mr. Thaddeus Longway, Pastor Chiamaka, Professor Kimani, Engineer Tahir, and Comrade Melusi. He reveals that although he was officially appointed as an advisor for Way Omega, he has quietly sympathised with their grassroots-based alternative, Path Alpha.

However, having studied both proposals thoroughly, he now feels morally compelled to support what he believes is in Africa's best interest. The President of the Gambia, the host nation, formally opens the Summit. The Chair, His Excellency Miniko Menkiti, gives the floor to Minister Zinto. Zinto's speech credits the African Union for Africa's progress, conveniently leaving out that international donors threatened to withdraw aid unless changes were made.

The heads of state, unamused by Zinto's lecture, grow restless. After Zinto exceeds his allotted fifteen minutes, Chairperson Menkiti allocates Dr. Afolabi's seven minutes and permits him to share it with five friends. This decision does not augur well with Minister Zinto, especially when the Chair orders the distribution of Path Alpha documents to the leaders. He protests and accuses the Chair of breaching summit protocol. It is then that Menkiti silences him

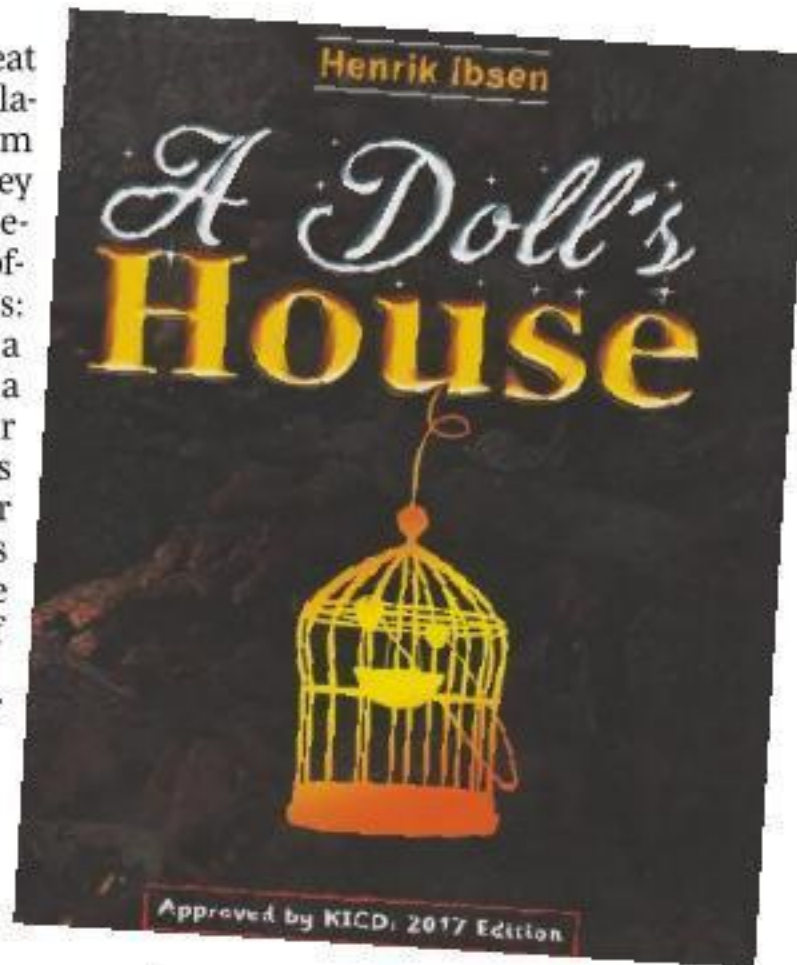
with a warning and the threat of removal by guards. Dr. Afolabi and the Path Alpha team take the stage. One by one, they address the summit. Thaddeus Longway speaks first. He offers a proverb that resonates: while Way Omega offers a bird in the bush, Path Alpha presses that bird into their hands — a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush. Pastor Chiamaka follows. He insists on beginning with "Praise the Lord," which the heads of state initially ignore.

He then intones a piece of prayer, "Heavenly Father... please bless this summit and make it choose Path Alpha over Way Omega... I only ask this in my name. Amen" (page 155). Next, Professor Kimani believes Path Alpha is the only strategy that values teachers. Engineer Tahir then highlights the need for Africa to develop its own modern weapons. According to him, adopting Path Alpha would make this possible. He argues that deterrence, having the means to defend, is more powerful than engaging in actual conflict.

Last comes Comrade Melusi, who, instead of speaking, makes a sudden move towards the President of Zimbabwe. He attempts to avenge his wife, Ziliza. Guards intervene

and seize him by the collar and whisk him away. The summit is plunged into brief chaos. Once order is restored, Dr. Afolabi states that Way Omega, while big on ideas, is weak on implementation. Path Alpha, though small on ideas, is strong on implementation (page 156).

TASK:
Imagine you had just one minute at the microphone. Write a paragraph on what you would say to your nation's leaders.



POETRY

Synopsis of Neighbourhood

This story revolves around four characters: Elias, Lazarus, Martin, Silas, and Omagano. The story unfolds the horrendous ordeals they endure as they try to survive on the streets. They live under the bridge, the initials NW are sprayed on the bridge, short for Neighbourhood Watch. In the morning, the crew uses a can of water to wash their faces, after which everyone gets down to their assignment for the day.

Elias is the oldest and the leader of the crew. His work entails getting food. He sets out for the city where he rummages through the restaurants' dustbins. He knows most of the kitchen staff in the city's hotels. He gets potatoes with broken skin, overripe mangoes, half-eaten burgers, chips drowning in sauce and salads cleaned of feta. Sometimes this is not available, especially when the cooks put it aside for their own families. He also tries his luck from the overflowing bins behind the hotels. The sad story is that if the sun shines,

they start rotting. Elias is sickly and keeps coughing, and this worries everyone. Sometimes the gunk has blood, but he says that blood is part of life.

Lazarus works with Omagano. They try to get more items from the trash bins. The guards, however, charge them ten dollars or twenty dollars, depending on the bins' worth. If Elias has the money, he pays. If the situation is dire and they need food, then Omagano has to go behind a dumpster with a guard and do the unthinkable to be allowed to ransack through the bins.

Silas and Martin look for other items. These items are then loaded and taken to the headquarters. They keep collecting trolleys, and this takes up most of the space. Silas, however, has sticky hands; if he finds something that can make him some money, he takes it. His physique and demeanor scare people off. The



FIDELIS GITHINJI

group goes to different parts of the city throughout the week, but stays at the headquarters on Fridays and Saturdays to avoid conflicts with the police.

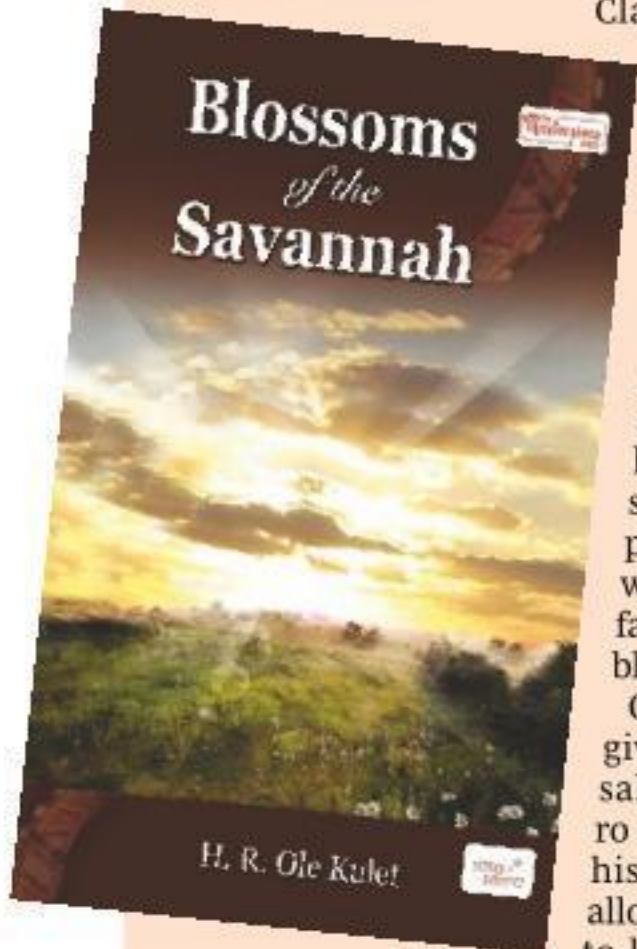
On Tuesdays and Thursdays, they go to Katuru, Hakahana, Goreangap, Wanaheda and Okuryangava. These are poverty-stricken towns.

The poor people throw away garbage, and no one likes it. Lazarus and Elias used to go through all the bins when they were starting. Lazarus did not like that he had to team up with an old man, but over time, he came to like his company. Lazarus has prison tattoos, but they don't frighten Elias. Going through the bins is not easy, but they have to survive through the day, so they cannot be picky. They, however, unanimously agree that they need to move from poor people's neighbourhoods.

On Wednesdays, they go to Kho-

masdal, which is crowded. The people in this neighbourhood drink too much. When the week is good, the trio, Elias, Lazarus and Amos, like quenching their thirst. Amos is unruly when drunk; he curses people and refuses to apologise. This led to him being stabbed. After this happens, Elias and Lazarus run away. They are afraid of the police and a dead body. The police catch up with them, but they refuse to talk about who did it. By the time they are let go, they have broken limbs, but are grateful for life.

On Sunday, they go to Avis, Klein, Windhoek and Eros. This is a rich neighbourhood. The trash is usually sorted into different bins. In Eros, Mrs. Bezuidenhout gives them bananas, old clothes, old books, rosaries and blankets during winter. They worry about the day she won't be around to give them items because all they do is take and take. But they have to survive, so they forget what's done and start thinking about tomorrow.



ENGLISH LITERATURE

ORAL LITERATURE

Act 2, Scene III- Political manoeuvring and strategy

BY NENGODISSI

To address the removal of Mayor Mossi, the Mayor called a meeting at the Madingo Golf Club on Thursday late in the afternoon with Ms. Nicole from Sagrada Secondary School, the Deputy Mayor, Hon. Ramdaye, Hon. Seymour, and Hon. Ted. Ted, Seymour, and Ramdaye get together to rethink their plans for ousting Mayor Mossi. To get support, they decide to enlist more members. Some of the members have autonomous opinions and are not influenced by accusations. Indecisive people who turn to support opposition leader Hon. Basdeo to increase their wealth are the final group, followed by political entrepreneurs who wish to align themselves with the party that will pay them the most. The last group is the

indecisive ones who support the opposition chief Hon. Basdeo so that they can gain more numbers to cast a vote-of-no-confidence against the Mayor.

Basdeo argues that to succeed in removing Mossi from power, they need to alienate him from the people and set them against him.

He comes up with several lies that could incite the people against the Mayor.

The first strategy is the marginalisation of other communities. The lie is that Mossi had earmarked all the money allocated to the development of the wards occupied by Mossi's ethnic group members. Another lie used against him was to claim that Mossi's people have a smell resembling the battle. Basdeo suggests that they should convene a huge political rally,

and Hon. Ted is to distribute the topics to the councillors and older men who are on their side so that they can prepare adequately for the speech. The rally is to be held on Wednesday.

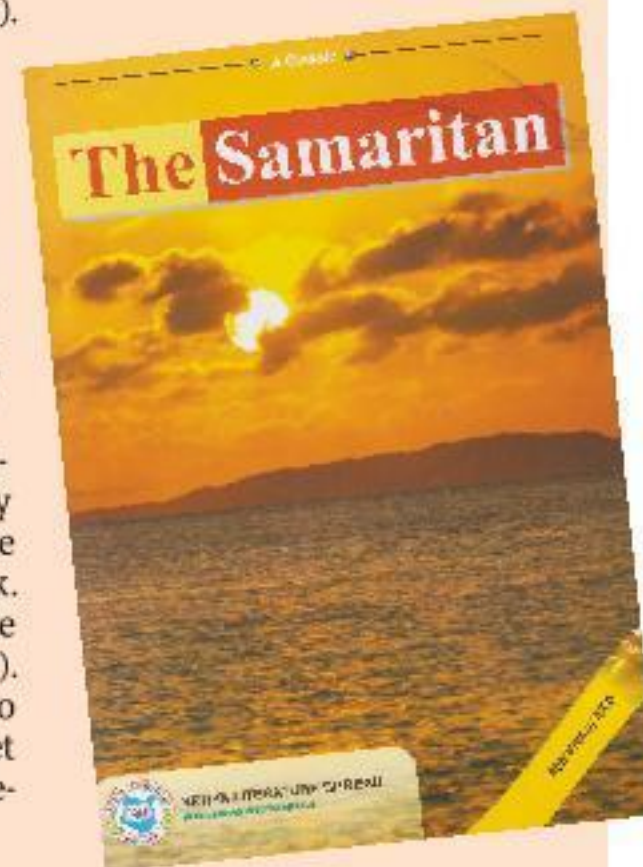
The main thematic concerns raised here include:

Conflict: There is a conflict between the Mayor and Ramdaye and his group. Ramdaye mobilises councillors to oust Mossi from power. The Mayor organises and orders criminals to cause violence that will prevent such a meeting from happening and keep his position (P.74). **Determination:** Hon. Ramdaye, Hon. Seymour and Hon. Ted are determined to remove Mayor Mossi from power by mobilising the entire municipal Council to pass the vote-of-no-

confidence motion against him (P.75). The whole team goes ahead and talks to their rivals' opposition chief, Hon. Basdeo to join them (P.80).

Violence: The group that attacks Seymour, Ramdaye, and Ted burns mattresses, tyres, appears sacks and team gas smoke (P.75). The hooligans who attacked them almost hit Ted with a stone, hence they had to run so fast (P.74).

Corruption: Hon. Ted says political entrepreneurs are very keen on making money. They vote with their stomachs, so to speak. That means they will vote for the side that gives more money (P.77). Hon. Ted also says that they need to pursue or buy a few members to meet the two-thirds majority required to remove the Mayor from office (P.80).



FUNCTIONAL WRITING

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Functions of adverbs



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Adverbs can be defined as words that provide details about verbs, adjectives, and other adverbs. They thus include examples such as:

Alfred fought fiercely. (Fiercely tells more about the verb, fought)

This tea is quite hot. (Quite gives more details on the adjective, hot)

Maria speaks very proudly. (Very gives more details on the adverb, proudly)

In the examples above, we have seen how adverbs can be used with various other word classes. Closely related to this, what functions do adverbs serve? They serve two main functions, namely:

Adverbials: When used as adverbials, adverbs serve a similar role to that of the various adverbs. This means that they answer questions such as, How? Where? When? How often?

Adverbs of manner, adverbs of time, adverbs of place, and adverbs of frequency serve as adverbials. Examples of adverbs used as adverbials are discussed below:

Gerald will take me to Dubai tomorrow. (When?)

The last time I saw Betty, she sat there. (Where?)

Caroline rarely amuses me. (How often?)

A criminal will always view police queries suspiciously. (How?)

The words tomorrow, there, rarely, and suspiciously are all adverbs used as adverbials.

Modification: This is yet another function served by adverbs. Only one category of adverbs performs this role. This is the category of adverbs of degree that tells the intensity of an adjective or another adverb. They answer the question, How much? The category includes words such as too, quite, rather, very, etc.

Examples in usage:

I am rather tired today. (Rather modifies the adjective tired)

He reacts to such crucial information very slowly. (Very modifies slowly)

The tea is too hot for my liking. (Too modifies the adjective, hot)

Veronica sings extremely well. (Extremely modifies the adverb well)

The adverbs of degree will mostly come before the word they are modifying, but at other times, they might come after the word. For instance:

Maxwell is foolish indeed.

Steve worked hard enough to become a pilot.

NB: note that the words indeed and enough come after the words they modify, respectively, foolish and hard.

EXERCISE

Identify the adverb in each sentence, stating whether it is used as an adverbial or a modifier.

Margaret is always late in submitting the report. He is extremely annoying when it comes to his opinion about women. He acted rather difficult when he was approached on the matter of quelling the strikes. The points were sagaciously presented. The report is handed in yearly.

ORAL SKILLS

Feature of dilemma and ogre narratives



FRIDAH KAMAU

In a canoe are your wife and your mother. The kayak is sinking. You are given the option of rescuing one of them. Who is it that you will rescue? Dilemma narratives offer the audience a moral or ethical choice. The audience has to decide what they believe the main character should have done and why. Such oral narratives are meant to challenge the listener's values, priorities, and reasoning skills. The storyteller carefully builds a situation that leads to two or more conflicting choices, each with its painful consequence. This builds suspense. The ending of the story will usually be left open. For example, a dilemma may be a lion pouncing on a boy and his small sister. The boy has a spear. However, he has one alternative: to save himself or his younger sister. This scenario provokes deep thoughts about duty, self-preservation, and sibling love. It compels the audience to reflect on what they value most. The audience is invited to participate by giving their feedback, and hence the story becomes interactive and instructive. The tales are not just for entertainment; instead, they are designed to exercise minds and evoke creative and critical thinking.

At the other end of oral literature, we have another form of narrative: the ogre or monster narratives. These are stories of terror, wit, and survival. They feature ogres

as the antagonist. They are huge and merciless. You will find most of these ogres living in the shadows, typically in forests, mountains, or caves. The creatures signify danger, evil, fear, and mass destruction. The ogres normally exhibit extraordinary abilities such as transforming into a handsome young man, possessing three large eyes, or displaying bizarre behaviours like swallowing people whole and vomiting them later, and smelling out human presence. Majority of ogre narratives feature a vulnerable character who faces the ogre. It is the vulnerable characters' wit that saves them from imminent danger. Often, these narratives end with the ogre being defeated and the celebration of the hero's success. An ogre may enslave a beautiful girl and demand that she cook food using her tears, or else he will eat her up.

The girl, determined to survive, secretly hides some wild onions she gathers from the forest. When the ogre demands food "cooked with her tears," she begins to peel and chop the onions over the pot, letting the pungent scent make her eyes water. The ogre is tricked by the "girl's tears in the food" and releases her.

The moral of these stories is that even the weak and the susceptible can defeat evil by being clever and courageous.

HIGH SCHOOLER

KCSE REVISION 2025

KENYA CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION (K.C.S.E) 2025 English Paper 1 and Paper 2 (101/1 and 101/2)

(Functional Skills, Comprehension, Literary Appreciation and Grammar)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name and index number in the spaces provided at the top of the page.
- Write the date of the examination in the spaces provided above.
- Answer all the questions in the spaces provided
- Students should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.
- Ensure your work is neat.

FUNCTIONAL WRITING 20mks

1. Imagine that you are the chairman of a committee set up to investigate the causes, nature and frequency of crime in your division and to recommend ways of dealing with the problem. Write a report.

2. Read the passage below and fill in each blank space with the most appropriate word. (10 marks)

Poaching is increasingly (1) a menace, not just in Kenya, (2) also in other parts of the continent, (3) a grave danger to the survival of various animal species particularly the elephant. Whereas, there have been (4) to raise awareness about the danger posed by the menace, not enough has been done to (5) it out and punish offenders.

As it is, poaching is becoming a crisis, threatening species like elephants, which are hunted (6) for their ivory, rhinos which are targeted because of their horns and other game like lions.

The Kenya Wildlife Service has been doing well to combat (7) but it appears that more is needed if the criminals (8) to be stopped. If the killers have more sophisticated weaponry, then KWS must (9) its game or call (10) the military to assist.

3.Oral Skills 30mks (30 marks)

- Read the poem below and then answer the questions that follow.

Her lip suckle the nipples
Milk bubbles, foams and ripples
Little hands up in the air
Catch on the mother's hair
Sweet sensation rises in pressure
Tiny legs kick with pleasure
Sleep comes gently and strong
Sleep whispers softly and long.

(Emusara Ossie Enekase)

- Describe the rhyme scheme of the above poem. (2 marks)
- Identify and illustrate what makes the poem pleasant to recite and listen to? (2 marks)
- Which words will you stress in line 3 of the poem and why? (2 marks)
- How would you perform the last two lines of the poem? (3 marks)
- Suppose you were asked to make a speech at a friend's graduation party. Mention five things you would do to capture the audience's attention? (5 marks)
- Your father who stays in the village wants to visit you in Siaya town. He has never visited you before. Your house is not far from the stage.
 - Mention two ways you would specify to him the distance from the stage to your house. (2 marks)
 - Apart from specifying the distance, how else would you ensure he reaches the house when giving him the direction? (3 marks)
- Give a word with a similar pronunciation. (4 marks)
 - Muscle
 - Prophet
 - Come
 - Which
- The following is a conversation between a father and his daughter. Read it then answer the questions that follow.

DAUGHTER: (Shortly after having arrived home from school) Good afternoon, Daddy.

FATHER: (Sitting complacently in the sofa, reading a newspaper. Looking up.....)

Good afternoon. (Resumes reading).

DAUGHTER: (Holding out her school report form)

Daddy, I'm excited. My class teacher said I was the best improved. I was...

FATHER: Oh, you were? Me, I used to be number one. I was absolutely unbeatable.

DAUGHTER: Chemistry has been a particular headache (now looking at the report form which she thought her father would want see), but this time...

FATHER: (Stretching his arms, looking preoccupied) Chemistry for me was particularly easy. I never scored anything less than 90%.

DAUGHTER: Dad, I was going to tell you that this time...

FATHER: (Absent-mindedly) By the way, where is your mum?

DAUGHTER: Mum is in the garden picking vegetables.

But Dad, you are not listening to my story. I was telling you about Chemistry.

FATHER: You mean you have a story about Chemistry? Chemistry is not about stories. It is hard Science.

DAUGHTER: It's about my improvement...

FATHER: (Laughing) Me, it wasn't a matter of improvement. I was always at the top of the class.

DAUGHTER: Daddy, I give up. You are not listening.

FATHER: (looking surprised) Listening? I heard you: you were talking about improvement in chemistry, weren't you?

DAUGHTER: Anyway, Dad. Thank you for paying attention. Enjoy your newspaper.

FATHER: Ooh yes, I'm reading an interesting story about politics.

- Explain any shortcomings in the father's listening skills. (4 marks)
- Suggest ways the father can improve his listening skills. (3 marks)

Paper Two

1. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow. (20 marks)

Pre-audit according to Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (2015) is an audit approach of reviewing payment vouchers before payments are done whereas post audit is an audit approach where supporting documents are reviewed weeks/months after the transactions have taken place. So, as fellow auditors can see, majority of our clients mostly for internal audit and more so our fellow staff, are currently wondering if the internal auditors of today add any value to their operations and towards the sustainability of County governments. This has created a doubting mind to our clients as they seem to see us, as auditors of history given the nature of our present work and the fact that the government has encouraged a shift from pre-audit to post-audit. Indeed this has been odd since the majority think that after money has been spent any audit query raised, won't have as much impact as it would have had, if it had been raised prior to spending during pre-audit periods thus, more money will be lost during post-audits.

Due to this outcry, I am motivated to shed light on this because I see a call for post audit by the government of Kenya as the best call; as it gives an auditor time to learn the processes and also creates an enabling environment for mentorship and continuous learning for our clients who might be our staff. Through use of post-audit system, I will recall the article of the Internal auditor, from a watch dog to a partner and stress that post audits encourage team work, improve interactions, improve clientele relationships with the auditor and enable those charged with various responsibilities of approving and or authorizing transactions to be cautious when executing their duties.

Post audits have also, in a well working environment with systems and support from management, made the work of external auditors easier as they place reliance on the work done by internal auditors. We should understand that currently risk management is the order of the day as much as some Senior Management staff still believe that pre-audit should be conducted by the audit staff other than accounts supervisors or examiners. It may sound true to them but to me as an upcoming internal auditor, I think during post audit, emphasis should be placed on review of controls weaknesses and how it can be improved to prevent future breach of controls. It's the role of management to ensure the controls governing management of funds are effective to enable the achievement of company's business objective, enable reliable financial reporting on its operation, ensure there is no misappropriation of its assets and minimize cost of capital. Post audit exercises are crucial in preventing debilitating misstatements in a company's records and reports.

With the inception of country governments where the structures are not yet ripe and the role of internal audit has not been embraced fully, it's ideal to understand that when post audit is done, it enables the initiation of new control measures that are key to growth and prosperity based on the auditor's recommendations; e.g. assume an auditor recommends the use of automated system for revenue collection due to the risks posed by manual system after undertaking post audit of records posted. It's definitely good if you work as per the recommendations because the benefits are long term and minimize risk.

During post-audit exercise, an auditor is not an examiner nor a monitoring and evaluation officer nor a government inspectorate but an adviser whose main aim is not to handcuff you but to save you from being handcuffed in case of extremes. Hence, we need to remember that when an auditor sends recommendations and gives timelines, they should never be ignored as all the recommendations are meant for your safety and the safety of the organization in terms of prosperity. It's also through post audit that an auditor is able to advice on the risk level and its effects both in the short and long term by suggesting some recommendations to mitigate the risk as the auditor is able to perform a wide coverage using substantive test and analytical procedures. In addition, in post audit, the issue of effective and efficient utilization of a company's resources will also be highlighted as the auditors through their advisory framework may advise on the same.

(Adapted from The

Accountant, September-October, 2016)

- What is auditing according to the passage? (2 marks)
- Why do clients have doubts on internal auditors? (2 marks)
- Why do you think the author has mentioned Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology in the passage? (2 marks)
- Post audits have also, in a well working environment with systems and support from management, made the work of external auditors easier. (Rewrite by adding a question tag) (1 mark)

- What is the author's attitude towards post-audit? Give a reason from the passage to support your answer 3mks
- Make notes on the author's arguments for post audit systems. (4marks)
- Why has the author recommended post audit to County governments according to the passage? (1 mark)
- How are auditors' recommendations important to any organization? (2 marks)
- Explain the meaning of the following expressions as used in the passage. (3 marks)
 - Misappropriation
 - Inception
 - Mitigate

2.EXCERPT, The Samaritan by John Lara 25mks

Read the excerpt below and then answer the questions that follow:

JADEN: (Fidgeting on his feet and adjusting his tie) you see, gentlemen... you know very well those are fabrications...

Mossi: (interrupting justice Jaden and collecting his phones, hat and walking stick from the table) Your name must enter the roll of dishonour! (With his arm raising the walking stick as though addressing a crowd) "This is the image of his Lordship Justice Ian Jaden, the lowest wretch that ever sat on the bench in Maracas Municipality" That is how you will go down in history. Jaden: Wait, gentlemen... I... what we can do... you still can't intimidate me so easily... I am not...

Bembe: (Mayor Mossi and Inspector Bembe walk to the door.) Then let's meet at the police station!

Jaden: But what I meant is that... eh... you are playing dirty just to make sure we are in this mess together... of course, it's okay, we can deal... But we must be strategic... that is what I have been saying all along.

Bembe: (Standing by the door facing Mayor Mossi.) Your worship Sir, shall we give him a chance?

Mossi: Well, I can only do that under one condition. (Pointing at justice Jaden with his walking stick) that you will convict Mr. Basdeo and my Deputy, Hon. Ramdaye, for their involvement in the grain scandal. You must also jail Hon. Seymour and hon. Ted for supplying air to the Maracas Municipal council! We must stop these thugs! Lawyer acting for the Maracas Municipal Council will lodge the cases tomorrow morning, in your chambers. You must work on them expeditiously! (Exit Mayor Mossi and Inspector Bembe. Justice Jaden remains standing, talking to himself.)

Jaden: The rats and other rodents! How on earth did I get into this? Yes, I did it! It seemed the normal thing to do. Everybody else was doing it- using public office to amass a fortune for oneself. I did it! Too! Litigants gave me money to determine case in their favour. It worked and I accumulated wealth. I danced the dance of our time. I looked forward to retiring soon to enjoy the fruits of my labor. Look now what it has turned out to be? I am like the foolish rich man in the good book who also prepared to retire and enjoy his wealth only for the maker to tell him, (Aside) "You fool." Can you imagine God calling you a fool? (Bending down holding his stomach with both arms) oh, my poor stomach, the ulcers are back. And I am beginning to catch the smell of rats? Can you smell it? I can see a huge rodent! It looks like a sewer rat! It looks vicious! It is baring its teeth! It is coming for me! Can you see it? Oh! Is this the end? (Justice Jaden screams and starts running away, as the curtain fall.)

- What happens immediately before this extract? (5marks)
- In note form, outline the demands made by Mossi to justice Jaden. (2marks)
- Identify any two thematic concerns as raised in the extract. (4marks)
- In what ways has justice Jaden misused his power? (4marks)
- Give two-character traits of justice Jaden. (4marks)
- Identify and illustrate any one style evident in the extract. (2marks)
- Add a question tag to the statement given below: (1mark)
- "Everybody was doing it,..."
- explain the meaning of the following words. (3mks)
 - Fabrications
 - Expediently
 - Intimidate

3.Oral song. 20mks

Read the song below and then answer the questions that follow.

When I see the beauty on my beloved's face
When I see the beauty on my beloved's face,
I throw away the food in my hand;
Oh, sister of the young man, listen;
The beauty on my beloved's face.

Her neck is long, when I see it
I cannot sleep one wink;
Oh, the daughter of my mother-in-law,
Her neck is like the shaft of the spear.

When I touch the tattoos on her back,
I die;
Oh, sister of the young man, listen;
The tattoos on my beloved's back.

When I see the gap in my beloved's teeth,
Her teeth are white like dry season simsim;
Oh, daughter of my father-in-law listen,
The gap in my beloved's teeth.

- The daughter of the bull confuses my head, I have to marry her;
True, sister of the young man, listen;
The suppleness of my beloved's waist. (Okot/Bitek, Horn of my Love, 1974)
- Classify this song. (1 mark)
- Who do you think is the singer of this song? Explain your answer. (2 marks)
- State any three features which qualify this genre as a song. (3 marks)
- Explain how this society views beauty. (3 marks)
- State the socio-economic activities of the community from which this song has been drawn. (4 marks)
- How does the beauty of the beloved affect the singer? (3 marks)
- Explain how hyperbole has been used in this song. (2 marks)
- Give two functions that this song can serve in this community. (2 mark)
2. a) Rewrite each of the following sentences according to the instructions given. Do not change the meaning. (3 marks)
 - If I had woken up early, I would not have been late for the meeting. (Begin: Had...)
 - The students who won in the competition were feted. (End with: ... competition)
 - John bought a car. (Chinese, grey, new, automatic) (arrange the adjectives in the correct order)
 - Disambiguate the following sentences. (4 marks)

- i. They sell men and women shoes.
 ii. They can fish.
 c) Use the correct form of the word in brackets to fill in the blank space in each of the sentences below. (3 marks)
 i. They questioned the chairperson's (dictator) tendencies.
 ii. We could not forgive him. His actions were utterly (excuse)
 iii. The footballers for the last two weeks. (train)
 d) Rewrite the following sentences by replacing the underlined words with the correct phrasal verb. (3 marks)
 i. The drivers were warned for violating the traffic rules.
 ii. The American army withdrew from the Afghanistan war.
 iii. The athletes were encouraged to remain in the race despite the extreme temperatures.
 e) Rewrite each of the following sentences as instructed. Do not change the meaning. (2 marks)

- i. 'You will have to work hard to succeed,' the teacher advised John. (Rewrite in reported speech)
 ii. My sister does not know how to swim. My sister does not know how to drive. (use 'neither' to join into one sentence)

ENGLISH PAPER ONE AND TWO MARKING SCHEME 2025

1. Report 20mks
 Points of Interpretation
 - Format = 4mks
 i) Heading – Division must be mentioned 1mk
 ii) Introduction ½ mk
 iii) Collection of information ½ mk
 iv) Findings ½ mk
 v) Conclusion ½ mk
 vi) Recommendation ½ mk
 vii) Signature ½ mk
 BODY/ CONTENT = 10mks
 INTRODUCTION = 1MK
 Must have the authority which gave the permission to carry out the investigation.
 Members of the committee
 COLLECTION OF INFORMATION = 1MK
 It should have at least TWO methods of collecting data.
 FINDINGS = 6MKS
 It should be in point form i.e
 -Causes at least two= 2mks
 -Nature – 2mks
 -Frequency = 2mks
 CONCLUSION = 1MK
 This is deduced from the findings.
 RECOMMENDATION = 1MK
 It should also be in point form at least two
 LANGUAGE= 6MKS
 A=5-6 marks
 B=4 4
 C=2-3
 D=1 total 20 marks

2. Cloze test

1. becoming
 2. but
 3. posing
 4. attempts/efforts
 5. stamp
 6. down
 7. poaching
 8. are
 9. up
 10. in

3. Oral skills 30 mks

- a.i) aabbccdd 1mk. regular rhyme scheme 1mk (2mks)
 (Award zero for a candidate who says "regular rhyme scheme" without the scheme)
 ii) Alliteration.... "Sweetsensations rises in pressure" (2mks)
 "Sleep whispers softly and long"
 Rhyme/rhyming words... nipples/ripples; air/hair; pressure/pleasure; strong/long
 Assonance.... "Tiny legs kick with pleasure"
 "...softly and long"
 Consonance... "Milk bubbles, foams and ripples"
 The nature of lines in the poem... they are short and almost of the same length.
 (Award 2mks to any well illustrated device; award 0 for identification without illustration)

- iii) Little, hands, up, air 1mk. They are content words that show the excitement/joy/happiness/satisfaction of the baby as it breastfeeds. 1mk (2mks)
 iv) -Verbal... with a falling intonation to mark finality/ end. 1mk (3mks)
 by lowering my tone/voice/in a whisper to avoid interrupting the baby's approaching sleep. 1mk
 I would also say it in a slow pace, to create the onset of the approaching sleep. 1mk
 -Non-verbal... I will close my eyes as if falling asleep (facial expressions) 1mk
 I will put a finger across my lips/mouth as I say the words "whispers" (Gestures)
 (Award any 2 well explained verbal and 1 non-verbal cues or vice versa; award max 2mks if All answers are verbal/non-verbal)

- b).
 i. Maintain eye contact.
 ii. Adopt a posture that is authoritative because this might elicit a positive response
 iii. Do something unexpected like referring to a specific person by name, without embarrassing them.
 iv. Begin by clearing the throat.
 v. Clap or ring a bell.
 vi. Begin by telling a joke.
 vii. Begin with a famous quotation or a proverb.
 viii. Greet the audience.
 ix. Sing a relevant chorus/song.
 (Only award the first 5 points; draw a line after the 5th point and don't award)
 (Any first 5 points x 1= 5mks)
 a) i. Time taken from stage to the house e.g. 5 mins (2mks)
 ii. Estimates in meters or kilometer e.g. 200 meters from the stage

- i. Mention landmarks e.g. bridges, hills, rivers (3mks)
 ii. Use specific turns/directions e.g. left, right, straight
 iii. Use compass directions such as South, North
 b)
 i. muscle – mussel
 ii. Prophet – profit
 ii. come – cum
 iii. which – witch

- c) a)
 i. The father fails to prepare to listen, i.e. does not adopt a listening posture.
 ii. He interrupts severally i.e. does not adhere to the turn-taking rule.
 iii. He fails to be empathetic – he does not put himself in the shoes of his daughter in order to appreciate where she is coming from.
 iv. He is full of self-importance / self-praise/pride. This prevents him from reaching out to his daughter.
 v. He is absent-minded – he changes the topic abruptly thus interrupting the flow of the conversation.
 vi. He has pre-conceived ideas about Chemistry. He doesn't give the daughter a chance to explain herself.
 vii. He is unwilling to see his own shortcomings as far as listening skills are concerned.
 e.g. he says, "I heard you" – he believes he was listening.
 viii. He insensitively responds to the daughter – he does not realize he has hurt his daughter by not listening to her.
 (Mark all, award any best four; do not award for character traits) 4pnts=4mks
 bi) He should take a listening posture e.g. leaning forward, putting the newspaper aside to attend to the daughter
 ii) He should observe turn-taking/be patient for the daughter to have her say.
 iii) He must be more empathetic and relate to the daughter's feeling of achievement
 iv) He should exhibit some level of humility and avoid praising himself a lot.
 v) He must stick to the point of discussion i.e. avoid interrupting the flow of conversation.
 vi) He must concentrate on the discussion at hand and avoid distractions/have an open mind.
 vii) He should be willing to acknowledge his own listening shortcomings by even asking for clarification.
 viii) He should be sensitive/considerate in his response to the daughter.
 (any 3 points x1=3pnts)

Paper 2

1. COMPREHENSION 20mks

- a) Auditing is an approach of reviewing payment vouchers before and after payments have been done.

(1 x 2= 2marks)

- b) Majority of their clients mostly for internal audit and more so their fellow staff are currently wondering if the internal auditors of today add any value to their operations and towards the sustainability of County Governments (2 marks)/ the government has encouraged a shift from pre-audit to post-audit. (2 marks)
 (1 x 2= 2 marks)
 c) To show evidence of what he believes in (2 marks)/to support his arguments (2 marks)/to quote an authority in order to show evidence on his propositions (2 marks)
 (1 x 2= 2 marks)
 d) Post audits have also, in a well working environment with systems and support from management, made the work of external auditors easier, haven't they?
 (1x1= 1 mark)
 e) Approving/of approval (2 marks) – I see a call for post audit by the government of Kenya as the best call (1 mark)/post audits have made the work of external auditors easier (1 mark)
 (Identification = 2 marks, Illustration = 1 mark)
 f) – it gives an auditor time to learn the process.
 - It creates an enabling environment for mentorship and continuous learning for clients.
 - It encourages teamwork.
 - It improves interactions.
 - It improves clientele relationships with the auditor.
 - It enables those charged with various responsibilities of approving and or auditing transactions to be cautious when executing their duties.
 - It makes an auditor be able to advise on the risk and its effects level both in the short and long term.
 - It enables the initiation of new control measures that are key to growth and prosperity based on the auditor's recommendations.
 - It makes the work of the external auditor easier as they place reliance on the work done by internal auditors.
 - It helps in preventing debilitating misstatements in a company's records and reports.
 - It highlights the issue of effective and efficient utilization of a company's resources.
 (Any four points, 1 mark each 4x1= 4 marks. Deduct half of the total mark if not in note form)

- g) The structures are not yet ripe and the role of internal audit has not been embraced fully
 (1x1= 1 mark)

- h) The recommendations are always meant for the client's safety of the organization in terms of prosperity by mitigating the risks involved.
 (1x2= 2 marks)

- i) i. fraudulence of funds or assets/misuses of public funds or assets/embezzlement/theft of funds/ wrongful acquisition of funds or assets.
 ii. creation of something/beginning of something/new establishment
 iii. reduce/lessen/decrease/downplay/check/diminish/lighten
 (Each word 3x 1= 3 marks)
 2. Excerpt Samaritan by John Lara 25mks
 a) Mayor Mossi outlines details he was aware of over the grain scandal which causes discomfort to the judge. He is accused of breeding rats to make his service of killing rodents indispensable. Inspector Bembe threatens to arrest him as a means to enforce the law.
 b) Jail Basdeo and Ramdaye for involvement in the grain scandal.
 Jail Ted and Seymour for supplying air to the Maracas Municipal council.
 c) Injustice. takes money from litigants to rule cases in their favour.
 Blackmail. Mayor threatening the judge to go down in history as a wretch if he doesn't heed to his demands.
 d) Used public office to amass wealth for himself. Taking money from litigants to determine cases in their favour.
 e) Corrupt. Used public office to amass wealth for himself.
 Compromising. after the threat of the police station, he accepts that he can deal.
 f) Biblical allusion. Justice Jaden compares himself with a rich man from the Bible who had intended on retiring and enjoying his wealth.
 g), weren't they?

- h) i. one centred around falsehood.
 ii. with speed.
 iii. frighten
 3. Oral song 20 mks
 a) Love song – When I see the beauty on my beloved's face.
 (Identification and illustration, 1 mark: 1x1= 1 mark)

- b) A man in love – I cannot sleep one wink/beloved's back/ I have to marry her.
 (Identification, 1 mark, illustration, 1 mark)

- c) –Direct address – Oh, sister of the young man, listen.
 - Repetition – When I see
 - Direct translation – daughter of my mother-in-law
 - Simile – her neck is like the shaft of the spear
 (Any three points illustrated 3x1= 3 marks)

- d) – Beautiful face
 - Long neck
 - Tattoos on the back
 - Gap in the teeth.
 - Supple waist.
 (Any three points 3x1= 3 marks)

- e) Social activities
 - Marriage – I have to marry her/ daughter of my father-law
 - Beauty of a woman is cherished – the singer vows to marry the lady because of her beauty
 Economic activities
 - Cattle rearing/Cattle keeping – daughter of the bull.
 - Farming/Cultivation - ... dry season simsim

- (Identification and illustration of one correct social activity and one economic activity 2x2= 4 marks)
 f) – He throws away the food in his hand.
 - He cannot sleep a wink
 - He gets confused.
 (Any three correct points 3x1= 3 marks)

- g) When I touch the tattoos on her back, I die – The singer expresses how he feels helpless on touching the lady's tattoos and the feeling is compared to death.
 (Identification of hyperbole, 1 mark, illustration, 1 mark)

- h) – The songs shows how this community views beauty.
 - The songs serves as an assurance of love the men have towards the ladies.
 - The song expresses the effects of love on the men.
 - It also expresses the respect the sons-in-law have towards their parents-in-law. They refer to them honorably and not by names.
 (Any two correct functions 2x1= 2 marks)
 4. Grammar 15 mks
 a) i. Had I woken up early, I would not have been late for the meeting.
 ii. The students who were feted won in the competitions.
 iii. new, grey, automatic, Chinese
 (One mark each 3x1= 3 marks)

- b) i. –They sell men and they also sell women shoes
 - They sell men shoes and they also sell women shoes
 ii. – They are able to fish.
 - They place/preserve fish in cans

- (Any correct interpretation per sentence, 1 mark each 4x1= 4 marks)
 c) i. dictatorial
 ii. inexcusable
 iii. have been training
 (3x1= 3 marks)

- d) i. The drivers were warned for going against the traffic rules.
 ii. The American Army pulled out/pulled back/ bottled out from the Afghanistan War.
 iii. The athletes were encouraged to stay on in the race despite the extreme temperatures.
 (3x1= 3 marks)

- e) i. The teacher advised John that he would have to work hard to succeed/John was advised by the teacher that he would have to work hard to succeed.
 ii. My sister neither knows how to swim nor to drive./ Neither does my sister know how to swim nor to drive.
 (2x1= 2 marks)

HIGHSCHOOLER

PICTORIAL



NIE Project Coordinator Hemed Abdalla engages students from Komothai Girls High School in a quiz.
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Komothai Girls High School Scouts Club members showcase their drill skills after NIE launch in their school on June 9, 2025.



Komothai Girls High School Principal Beatrice Gachago alongside some of her students peruse a copy of the Daily Nation after the launch of the NIE on June 9, 2025.



Clad in Daily Nation T-shirts, students of Komothai Girls High School pose for a photo after the launch of NIE programme. The school is set to benefit from essay writing competitions and model exam papers.



Excited students of Komothai Girls High School pose for a photo after the launch of NIE programme on June 9, 2025.

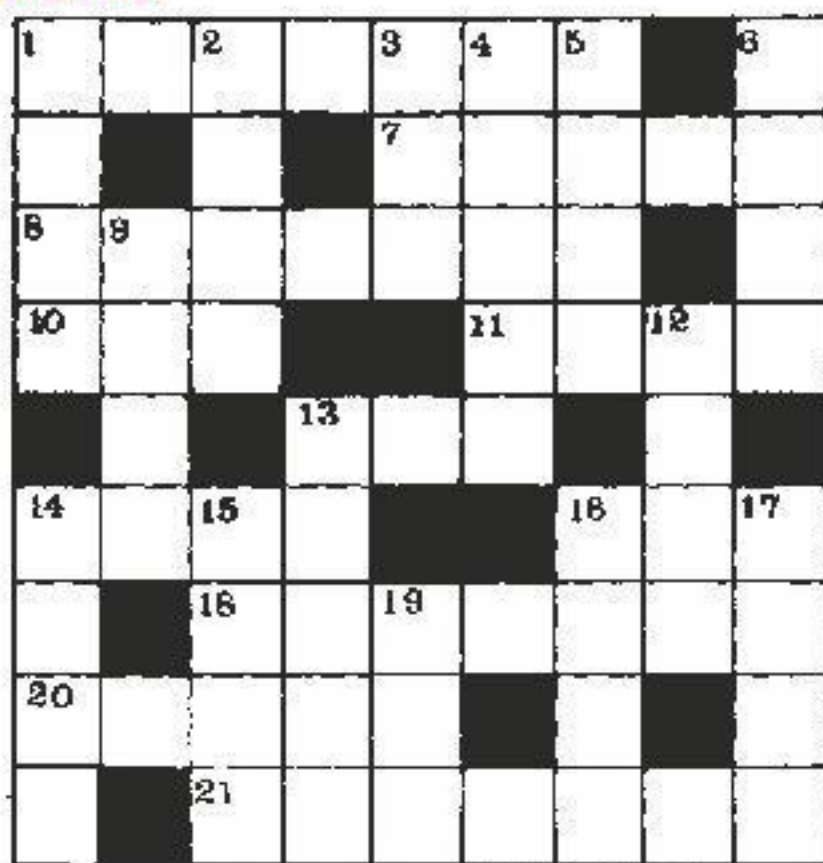
SIMPLE CROSSWORD

ACROSS:

1. Creators of an original work, most commonly a text
7. Apparatuses for making fabric by weaving yarn or thread
8. Bullfighter
10. Short Message Service (abbreviation)
11. Canteen in soldiers' camps
13. International distress signal
14. Frozen water on mountaintop
16. Make mistake
18. Central South American country, capital city La Paz
20. At that place
21. Longed for

DOWN:

1. Money or food to help the poor
2. Toddlers or young children.
3. Ancient
4. Chambers
5. Upset and angry
6. Enquires
9. So be it
12. Long garment worn by South Asian women
13. To use offensive or indecent language



14. Habitual drunkards
15. Carry out orders or instructions
16. To get ... means to avenge (expression)
17. The monetary unit of South Africa
19. Meadow

SATURDAY'S

SOLUTION

ACROSS:

- 1 Boycott
- 7 Niece
- 9 Ace
- 11 Penal
- 12 Colour
- 13 KRD
- 14 Men
- 16 Sphere
- 17 Lento
- 19 Car
- 20 Lagos
- 21 Operate

DOWN:

- 1 Black
- 2 Yield
- 3 On purpose
- 4 Tier
- 5 Ten
- 6 Gel
- 8 Camera
- 10 Cornea
- 14 Mecca
- 15 Nerve
- 16 Stop
- 17 LLB
- 18 NGO

SUDOKU

Enjoy the Sudoku Game Daily

Use Numbers 1-9. Sudoku is played on a grid of 9 x 9 spaces. Don't Repeat Any numbers in the upper left square (circled in blue), this square already has 7 out of the 9 spaces filled in. Don't guess. Sudoku is a game of logic and reasoning, so you shouldn't have to guess. Use process of elimination.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

5	4	8	3	7	1	6	9	2
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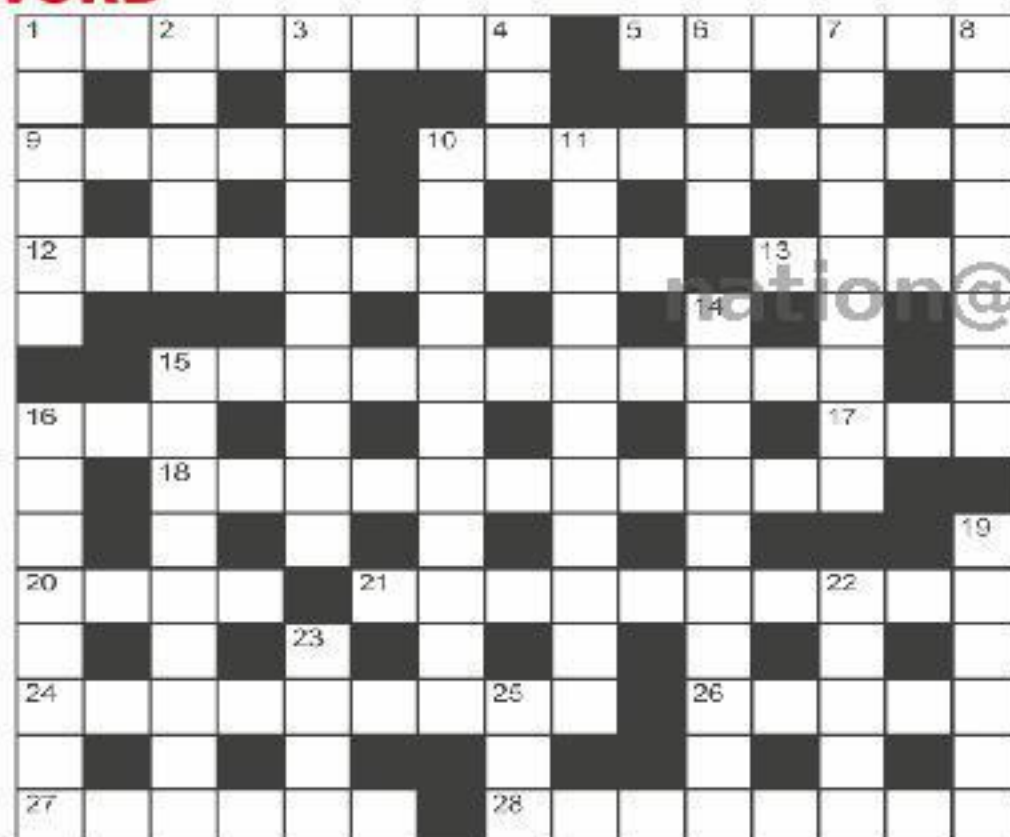
COMPLEX CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- 1 Playing old reggae, wanting a comic verse (8)
- 5 Assault cricketer (6)
- 9 Bush to ring back about one (5)
- 10 Old, furry creatures said to be items used by bodybuilders? (9)
- 12 For example, liver's best to provide such pipes (5,5)
- 13 Rice cooked for this fellow (4)
- 15 Season breadcakes for Chinese food? (6,5)
- 16 Solo Elton comeback features certain stars (3)
- 17 Woman from Sevenoaks (3)
- 18 Possibly huge scam in importing new weapons (11)
- 20 Develop good argument (4)
- 21 Gather Tory Gregory scoffed (10)
- 24 Wealthy socialites, organising jest with teeth? (3,3,3)
- 26 The Yorkshire sheep: they might be seen on the roads! (5)
- 27 Rodent accompanying that woman? Quite (6)
- 28 Ordinary item of regalia found in valley: it should make a ring (8)

DOWN:

- 1 Pretty girl on old piano gets big lump (6)
- 2 Almost swallow a gallon in prison (5)



- 3 13's grabbing Charlie and a small amount of money: they're not normal! (10)
- 4 Loose end of drill on US cutting tool (3)
- 6 Relative makes appearance in haunting (4)
- 7 The leader of orators gets up and states a hypothesis (9)
- 8 Trees RUC chopped, as therapy? (4,4)
- 10 Amazingly, snoring, I ate cutlery! (6,5)
- 11 Gather waterworks' first pipe

- made into desk accessory (11)
- 14 Castle rogue losing a fancy dukedom (10)
- 15 Male with refusal to enter Portsmouth channel semiconscious (9)
- 16 A funny noise? (8)
- 19 Chaff left in plant (6)
- 22 Stone in a barrier (5)
- 23 Party is what must happen, by the sound of it (4)
- 25 Come to a stop in Hendon (3)

SATURDAY'S SOLUTION

ACROSS

- 1 Well I never did
- 10 Melon
- 11 Number Ten
- 12 Antiseptic
- 13 Term
- 14 million
- 16 Eyeball
- 18 Sitwell
- 20 Thanks a
- 22 Tate
- 23 Stepfather
- 26 Centurion
- 27 Elude
- 28 Away in a manger

DOWN:

- 2 Eclat
- 3 Landslide
- 4 Ninepin
- 5 Vampire
- 6 Reek
- 7 In the dark
- 8 Embalm
- 9 Animal
- 15 Let it snow
- 17 El Alamein
- 18 Shtick
- 19 Latvian
- 20 Toponym
- 21 Agreed
- 24 House
- 25 Jury

CODEWORD

Each number in our Codeword grid represents a different letter of the alphabet. For example, today 18 represents C so fill in C every time the figure 18 appears in the main grid, then use your knowledge of words to work out which letters should go in the missing squares. As you get the letters, fill in other squares with the same number in the main grid and control grid. Check off the list of alphabetical letters as you identify them.

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YOUR STARS

AQUARIUS | JAN 21 - FEB 19

This week could see you eager to integrate a practice into your daily life that can help you dig deeper and find out more. This might involve meditation, or something else. Factoring this into your schedule can ground your understanding, and this in turn means that your realizations.

PISCES | FEB 20 - MAR 20

Your creative and imaginative side is in focus this week, encouraging you to enjoy channelling your natural talents into art, or whatever your favourite mode of expression is. This week can see you enhance your passion for a certain mode of expression by connecting with others who share your interests.

ARIES | MAR 21 - APR 20

Our financial affairs could look especially rosy now, Aries. Some benefits are definitely coming your way, although

everything isn't quite as promising as it seems. You could well find yourself with less than you were hoping for. Think of whatever gain may be coming as something extra, but don't count on it.

TAURUS | APR 21 - MAY 20

Is it best to stay local or extend your plans to include worldwide domination? This could be something you're considering over this week as the sun in your sector of communication and local environment opposes expansive Jupiter and potent Pluto in a more cosmopolitan zone.

GEMINI | MAY 21 - JUNE 21

Issues around money and resources in general continue to be in focus and look to be so for some time into the future. For now, you might be trying to find a balance between personal needs and paying off any outstanding bills or debts. This issue may seem to grow more important this week.

CANCER | JUN 22 - JULY 22

You might be very eager to forge ahead with an ambitious goal or career plan only to find that the emphasis on your relationship zone is making this difficult. You could be channelling a lot of energy into other people and their needs and plans, and this week you could be a tad resentful about this.

LEO | JULY 23 - AUG 22

The need for quiet and a chance to recharge could clash with a busy work schedule that seems to show no signs of letting up. You might be very eager to enjoy some alone time to meditate. Getting the chance to tap into a higher source of energy can make you make you feel more energetic.

VIRGO | AUG 23 - SEP 23

Fiery Mars is usually associated with power and vigour, but its journey through an intense emotional sector could find you directing your energy to psychological issues.

Your healing nature may mean you have a deep understanding of how emotional blockages can prevent you from experiencing success and happiness in life.

LIBRA | SEP 24 - OCT 23

You have all kinds of happy energy coming to your relationships now. If you're attached, you will enjoy renewed feelings for one another. If you aren't, you may find a larger pool of potential mates. The same is true for business concerns, as you can meet mentors, partners, and even investors under this cosmic climate.

SCORPIO | OCT 24 - NOV 22

There are three powerful planets in your sector of talk and thought, so this is very much a time to understand the power of thinking and how it can shape your circumstances. With upbeat Jupiter, power-hungry Pluto, and sobering Saturn in this zone, your thoughts may be much focused

SAGITTARIUS | NOV 23 - DEC 21

This week you're thinking about ways to make money that involve the home. Whether it's making a new home office, buying and flipping apartments, or beginning a home, this is where the money is now. But you may not be thinking clearly when it comes to your debt situation.

CAPRICORN | DEC 22 - JAN 20

You can organize your life to fit your needs, the options are there for the taking. If ever the planets were encouraging you realize that you are in the driver's seat, it is now. Try challenging yourself to a more demanding physical routine this week.

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PRIME PROPERTIES FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by our **PRINCIPALS, THE CHARGE AND/OR THEIR ADVOCATES**, Pursuant to the Statutory Provisions; under which Seizure/Repossession* and sale is authorized: Under Section 96 of the Land Act, 2012, Section 108 of the Registration Act, 2012 and the 2016 Amendments, 90 (3) (e) and 96 (1) of the Land Act, 2012 and in conformity with the Auctioneers Act & Rules more specifically Rules: 11, 15, 16, 17 and 18 of the said Auctioneers Rules – 1997 together with other applicable Laws of Kenya, your under-mentioned property together with all the improvements erected thereon, will be sold by public auction on:-

A. TUESDAY 5TH AUGUST 2025 – AT OUR OFFICES SITUATED WITHIN KILELESHWA ESTATE, ALONG KANDARA ROAD OPPOSITE WHITE STAR CENTRE – NAIROBI COUNTY STARTING AT 11.00 A.M.

1. PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY (A SHOPPING MALL WITH A SERVICE (FILLING) STATION) FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION SITUATED ALONG THIKA SUPER HIGHWAY, JUJA AREA – KIAMBU COUNTY.

DESTINATION LIFESTYLE MALL WITH A SERVICE (FILLING) STATION SITUATED ALONG THIKA SUPER HIGHWAY, JUJA AREA – KIAMBU COUNTY.



TITLE NOS. L.R. NO: 13537/892 (I.R. NO: 198903) AND L.R. NO: 13537/979 (I.R. NO: 202675) JUJA AREA, ALONG THIKA SUPER HIGHWAY – KIAMBU COUNTY.

SITUATION: The subject properties are situated along Thika Super Highway within Juja Area, Kiambu County. They are situated approximately 820 meters (linear distance) to the South eastern elevation of Jomo Kenyatta University of Agriculture and Technology about 1.2 kilometers (linear distance) to the North eastern elevation of Juja Town Center. The subject properties are locally identifiable as “DESTINATION LIFESTYLE MALL”.

AREA: L.R. No: 13537/892 MEASURES 0.1933 Hectare(s) or approximately 0.4776 Acre(s).
L.R. No: 13537/979 MEASURES 0.1944 Hectare(s) or approximately 0.4804 Acre(s).

TENURE: Interest: Estate in Fee Simple for both plots.

REGISTERED OWNER: Both plots are registered under ROBINSON MURIITHI NDWIGA G/T. GEOSPATIAL ENGINEERS AND CONSULTANTS LIMITED.

IMPROVEMENTS: THE SUBJECT PROPERTIES WERE JOINTLY DEVELOPED WITH THE FOLLOWING:-

- PART FIFTEEN (15 NO) STOREY COMMERCIAL RENTAL BUILDINGS WITH BASEMENT AND ROOFTOP LEVEL.
- PART TWELVE (12 NO) STOREY COMMERCIAL RENTAL BUILDINGS WITH BASEMENT AND ROOFTOP LEVEL.
- PART FIVE (5 NO) STOREY COMMERCIAL RENTAL BUILDING WITH A ROOFTOP FLOOR
- PROPOSED SERVICE STATION FORECOURT.

SERVICES: Electricity: Main grid. Water: Connected. 600 metres deep borehole supplements water supply at a rate of 67 metric liters per hour. Foul drainage: Mains Sewer. Phone networks: Strong. Access road: Tarmac. Parking: underground and outside section.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM WAMAE & ALLEN LLP ON BEHALF OF THEIR CLIENT WE SHALL SELL THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY ON:-

B. TUESDAY 5TH AUGUST 2025 – NAIVASHA TOWN – OUTSIDE THE MAIN POST OFFICE. STARTING AT 11.00 A.M.

2. PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION SITUATED WITHIN KINAMBA AREA, NAIVASHA, OFF NAIVASHA-ENGINEER ROAD, NAKURU COUNTY.

THREE (3 NO.) BEDROOM (MASTER EN SUITE) BUNGALOW WITH A STAFF QUARTERS AND A SINGLE STOREY ABLUTION BLOCK IN KINAMBA AREA, NAIVASHA.

DIFFERENT VIEWS OF THE PROPERTY



TITLE NO. TITLE NO. NAIVASHA/MARAIGUSHU BLOCK 1/1137, KINAMBA AREA, NAIVASHA, OFF NAIVASHA-ENGINEER ROAD, NAKURU COUNTY.

SITUATION: The subject property is located approximately 550 meters (linear distance) off Naivasha-Engineer Road within Kinamba Area, Naivasha, Nakuru County. It is situated approximately 540 meters (linear distance) to the South-eastern elevation of Gituamba Primary School, about 800 meters (linear distance) to the Southern elevation of Kinamba Trading Centre and about 5 kilometers (linear distance) to the South-eastern elevation of Naivasha Town Center.

AREA: Land size is 0.476 Hectare(s) or approximately 1.176 Acre(s).

TENURE: Tenure is Freehold Interest (Absolute Proprietorship).

REGISTERED OWNERS: The title is registered in the name of TIRUS MACHARIA MWANGI & PAULINE WANJIRU MACHARIA T/A POLIMAKS INVESTMENTS.

IMPROVEMENTS: THE PROPERTY IS DEVELOPED WITH:-
THREE (3 NO.) BEDROOM (MASTER EN SUITE) BUNGALOW WITH A STAFF QUARTERS AND A SINGLE STOREY ABLUTION BLOCK.

SERVICES: Electricity: Main grid. Water: Not connected. Foul drainage: Pit latrine. Phone networks: Strong. Access road: Earthen/laid with murrum.

C. WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 – EMBU TOWN – OUTSIDE THE MAIN POST OFFICE. STARTING AT 11.00 A.M.

3. PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY (FOUR-BEDROOM (ALL-ENSUITE) RESIDENTIAL HOUSE) FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION SITUATED WITHIN EMBU TOWN CENTRE, EMBU COUNTY

A THREE LEVEL, FOUR-BEDROOM (ALL-ENSUITE) RESIDENTIAL HOUSE WITH A LOCKABLE GARAGE SITUATED OPPOSITE ‘HILL VIEW APARTMENTS’ AND WITHIN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD OF ‘PANESIC HOTEL’ IN EMBU TOWN CENTRE, EMBU COUNTY

DIFFERENT VIEWS OF THE PROPERTY



TITLE NO. TITLE NO. EMBU MUNICIPALITY/1222 EMBU TOWN – EMBU COUNTY.

SITUATION: The subject property is situated opposite ‘Hill View Apartments’ and within the neighbourhood of ‘Panestic Hotel’. It lies approximately 250 metres off Nairobi-Embu Road and some 500 metres from Embu Town Centre, Embu County.

AREA: The plot extends to approximately (0.1786) of a hectare or (0.4413) of an acre.

TENURE: The title is held vide a Leasehold Interest for the residue term of 99 years with effect from 1st February, 1992 at an annual ground rent of Kshs.2,520.

REGISTERED OWNER: The property is registered in the name of JATOMY SUPERMARKET LIMITED.

IMPROVEMENTS: The development thereon comprises the following:-
FOUR-BEDROOM(ALL-ENSUITE) RESIDENTIAL DWELLING MAIN HOUSE BUILT ON THREE LEVELS WITH LOCKABLE GARAGE:
DETACHED SINGLE STOREY GUEST HOUSE:
CARPORT:
SENTRY UNIT:

SERVICES: Mains electricity and piped water services are connected to the property. Foul disposal is into a septic tank and soak pit. Cellular phone networks also cover the area. Water is stored in an underground reservoir and further plastic tanks erected on steel platform. The immediate access road is laid to PCC Cabro blocks/tarmac surfaced. Other infrastructure services are within proximity of the subject property.

D. WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 – EMBU TOWN – OUTSIDE THE MAIN POST OFFICE. STARTING AT 11.00 A.M.

4. PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION SITUATED WITHIN EMBU TOWN, 50 METRES OFF NAIROBI – EMBU ROAD – EMBU COUNTY.

0.4426 OF AN ACRE PLOT BEHIND SHELL PETROL STATION AND MUGO HOUSE – (KRA OFFICES EMBU)

TITLE NO. TITLE NO. EMBU MUNICIPALITY/1134 – EMBU TOWN, EMBU COUNTY.

SITUATION: The subject property is situated to the rear of Shell Petrol Station and Mugo House – KRA Offices Embu. It lies some 50 metres off Nairobi – Embu Road in Embu Town, Embu County.

AREA: The plot extends to approximately 0.1791 of a hectare or 0.4426 of an acre.

TENURE: The title is held vide a leasehold interest for the residue of 99 years with effect from 1st June 1998, at an annual ground rent of Kshs. 4,400.00 (Revisable). The ground lease has 73 years to expiry.

REGISTERED OWNER: The property is registered in the name of JATOMY SUPERMARKET LIMITED.

IMPROVEMENTS: THE PLOT IS DEVELOPED THEREON WAS A CARWASH AND TEMPORARY GARAGE SHEDS.

SERVICES: Mains electricity and piped water services are readily available in the immediate neighbourhood for connection. Foul disposal would be into a septic tank and a soak pit. Cellular networks also cover that area. The immediate access road is laid to graded murrum surface and connects to tarmac some 180 metres away. Other infrastructure services including shops, petrol stations, banks and police station among others are within proximity of the subject property.

WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 – EMBU TOWN – OUTSIDE THE MAIN POST OFFICE, STARTING AT 11.00 A.M.

5. PRIME VACANT PROPERTY FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION SITUATED WITHIN IVECHE AREA, EMBU COUNTY.

A VACANT PLOT NEAR KENYA SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT AND UNIVERSITY OF EMBU LYING ALONG EMBU-MERU ROAD – IVECHE AREA, EMBU

TITLE NO. TITLE NO. GATURI/GITHIMU/11162 – IVECHE AREA, EMBU COUNTY.

SITUATION: The subject property is situated approximately 900 metres from Kenya School of Government and University of Embu lying along Embu-Meru Road and some 400 metres and due South of DEB Iveche Primary School within Iveche Area of Embu County.

AREA: The parcel extends to approximately 0.37 of a hectare or 0.9143 of an acre.

TENURE: The title is held on absolute proprietorship that is freehold interest.

REGISTERED OWNER: The property is registered in the name of JATOMY SUPERMARKET LIMITED.

IMPROVEMENTS: THE PLOT IS VACANT.

SERVICES: Mains electricity and piped water services are readily available in the immediate neighbourhood for connection. Foul disposal would be into a septic tank and a soak pit. Cellular networks also cover that area. The immediate access road is laid to graded murrum surface and connects to tarmac some 180 metres away. Other infrastructure services including Kenya School of Government, University of Embu, Kangaru Girls High Secondary School, DEB Iveche Primary School, Izaak Walton Hotel, Embu County Hospital, Churches and shops among others are within proximity of the subject property whereas Embu Town Centre lies some 3.4 kms away from where other amenities like banks are readily available.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested purchasers are required to view the above-mentioned properties and verify the details, as these are not warranted by the Auctioneer nor our clients.
- SALE WILL BE ON "AS-IS-WHERE-IS-BASIS".**
- Interested bidders will be required to pay a refundable deposit Banker's Cheque drawn in favour of **PHILLIPS INTERNATIONAL AUCTIONEERS** to obtain a bidding number and a catalogue at the auctioneer's offices, on or before the auction date as indicated below: -
 - KSHS. 10,000,000.00 FOR PROPERTY IN NO. 1**
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 - KSHS. 500,000.00 FOR PROPERTY IN NO. 5 EACH**
- The declared purchasers of properties **MUST** pay a deposit of 10% of the purchase price **TO THE CHARGE** latest by close of business of auction day, failure to which the auction deposit will be forfeited without further reference to the purchaser. The balance of the 90% will thereafter be payable **TO THE CHARGE** within **NINETY (90) DAYS** from the date of sale. Failure to pay this 90% of the purchase price within this stipulated time will lead to forfeiture of the 10% deposit paid earlier during the auction and the property will be re-auctioned without further reference to the purchaser.
- The sale will be subject to reasonable reserve prices and necessary consents.
- Further details and conditions of sale are available on request at our offices and viewing of the properties can be done during normal working hours by prior arrangements with ourselves; the Auctioneers.

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MOTOR VEHICLE FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by our **PRINCIPALS – THE FINANCIERS**, we shall sell by public auction the under mentioned **MOTOR VEHICLE ON:- MONDAY 4th AUGUST 2025 AT OUR OFFICES SITUATED WITHIN KILELESHWA ALONG KANDARA ROAD – OPPOSITE WHITESTAR CENTRE – NAIROBI COUNTY – STARTING AT 11.00 A.M.**

REG. NO.	MAKE / MODEL	B/TYPE	VIEWING LOCATION	Y.O.M.
1. KDK 474E	MERCEDES BENZ C180	SALOON	PHILLIPS INTERNATIONAL AUCTIONEERS, YARD KILELESHWA	2015

CONDITIONS OF SALE:

- Viewing can be done at our yard – **PHILLIPS INTERNATIONAL AUCTIONEERS YARD – KILELESHWA ESTATE, ALONG KANDARA ROAD, OPPOSITE WHITE STAR CENTRE – NAIROBI** to verify the details, as these are not warranted by the Auctioneer or our principals **AS SALE IS "ON – AS-IS – WHERE – IS – BASIS"**.
- Interested bidders are required to pay a refundable deposit of **KSHS. 100,000.00** in form of a **BANKER'S CHEQUE** drawn in the name of **PHILLIPS INTERNATIONAL AUCTIONEERS** to obtain a bidding number.
- The declared purchaser must deposit 25% of the purchase price by close of business auction day and the balance paid within seven (7) days from the auction date, failure to which the money received including the deposit will be forfeited.
- Sale is subject to a reasonable reserve price.



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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principals the charges in the exercise of their statutory power to sale we shall sell by public auction the under mentioned property together with all improvements erected thereon.

ON WEDNESDAY THE 13TH DAY OF AUGUST 2025 STARTING AT 11.00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES QUEENSWAY HOUSE, 6TH FLOOR SUITE 615.

PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITHIN TUNGUTU AREA, KITUI CENTRAL, KITUI COUNTY
All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KYANGWITHYA/TUNGUTU/3908** REGISTERED **I.N.O REMMY NZASU MANZI**

The subject plot is situated about 50 meters off Mbusyani Road, 550 meters from St. Ursula Girls High School and approximately 1.2 kms from Tungutu Dispensary in Tungutu Area within Kitui County. The plot measures 0.094 Hectare or 0.2322 of an acre or thereabout. This is a near rectangular shaped mixed soils plot. The boundaries are part marked by growing hedges. **The plot is developed with a 2 no. single storey blocks and an ablution block.** Title is a free hold interest. Main's electricity and water are connected to the subject property. Foul water drainage is into a pit latrine. Immediate access road is earth surfaced. **GPS COORDINATES 1°22'33.1", 37°59'24.8"**

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested purchaser(s) are requested to view and verify the details for these are not warranted by the Auctioneer or our clients.
- The sale is subject to a Reserve Price and Land Control Board Consent (where applicable)
- Conditions of sale are available on request at our offices and viewing of the property is possible during normal working hours by prior arrangements with ourselves.
- The declared purchaser(s) **MUST** deposit 25% of the purchase price by **BANKERS' CHEQUE** by close of the business of auction day. The balance will therefore be payable to the chargees within Ninety (90) days.
- All interested purchasers will be required to make a refundable deposit of Kshs. 500,000 to get a bid number.



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VEHICLES, ICT EQUIPMENT, ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, OFFICE FURNITURE AND BUILDING MATERIALS FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by our principals, **UNITED NATIONS OFFICE NAIROBI (UNON)**, we shall sell by **PUBLIC AUCTION** the under mentioned **VEHICLES, ICT EQUIPMENT, ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, OFFICE FURNITURE AND BUILDING MATERIALS ON:- THURSDAY 31ST JULY 2025 AT THEIR PREMISES AT UNITED NATIONS NAIROBI OFFICE COMPLEX (UNON) GIGIRI – STARTING AT 11:00 AM.**

ASSORTMENT OF ITEMS

- TOYOTA LANDCRUISER STATION WAGON (1)
- TOYOTA PRADO (2)
- TOYOTA HIACE (1)
- AIR CONDITIONERS
- BATTERIES & SOLAR PANELS
- SWITCH CISCO CATALYSTS
- TELEPRESENCE MX700
- PRINTERS, LAPTOPS & TABLETS
- RACKS/METAL SHELVES
- SERVERS & UPSs
- STREETLIGHTS POLES
- ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES
- TVs & COMPUTER MONITORS
- FRIDGE & SOFAS
- BANNERS, BLINDS
- VENTILATION GRIDS
- WALL STARTERS & CARPETS
- TONERS AND CARTRIDGES
- ALUMINIUM MATERIALS
- ASSORTED FURNITURE AMONG OTHER ITEMS

VIEWING DATE

- TUESDAY 29TH JULY 2025 – 10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**
- WEDNESDAY 30TH JULY 2025 – 10:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.**

CONDITIONS OF SALE:

- Viewing of the **GOODS** will be through our website www.phillipsauctioneers.co.ke and at **UNON OFFICE – GIGIRI** to verify the details, as these are not warranted by the Auctioneer or our principals. Physical viewing **WHERE EXTREMELY NECESSARY** will be done **STRICTLY** on the above date & time. Prior booking with our office will be done **ONE DAY BEFORE**.
- SALE** will be **"ON – AS – IS – WHERE – IS – BASIS"**.
- Interested bidders are required to pay a refundable deposit of
 - KSH. 500,000.00 FOR THE VEHICLES** in form of a **BANKER'S CHEQUE** in favour of **PHILLIPS INTERNATIONAL AUCTIONEERS**
 - KSH. 10,000.00 PER LOT FOR THE OTHER ITEMS** paid to our **PAYBILL – 4042007 AC. YOUR NAME & ID (UNON)** to obtain a bidding number.
- The auctioneer has a discretion of asking for additional deposit for any particular lot during the auction process, **WHICH SHALL BE ADDITIONAL TO THE INITIAL DEPOSIT**.
- The declared purchasers will pay for the goods through **DIRECT DEPOSIT INTO THE BANK ACCOUNT OR VIA MPESA PAYBILL NO. TO BE PROVIDED AFTER THE AUCTION**. Successful bidders will pay 25% of the bid amount at the end of the Auction (inclusive of deposit indicated in note 3 above). Failure by the highest bidder to honor this, shall lead to the forfeiture of the deposit and the items being sold to the second highest bidder. The balance of 75% of the sale proceeds shall be paid within **24 HOURS** after the auction. The buyer will forfeit any amounts paid if he/she fails to pay the balance within the stipulated period.
- COLLECTION OF SOLD ITEMS WILL STRICTLY** be between **Tuesday 05th August 2025 and Thursday 07th August 2025 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm DAILY.**
- Sale is subject to reasonable reserve prices.
- "Everyone, including persons with physical disabilities, is required to PAY DUTY AND TAXES** on vehicles, as there are no exemptions under current regulations."

N/B:

- ALL INTERESTED BIDDERS MUST SUBMIT THEIR FULL NAMES (As Per ID Card) A DAY BEFORE AUCTION TO BE BOOKED AT UN COMPLEX.**
- THERE WILL BE NO BOOKING ON THE DAY OF AUCTION AND THEREFORE NO ENTRY TO THE VENUE.**
- THE DEADLINE FOR ISSUING BIDDING NUMBERS AND CATALOGUE WILL BE STRICTLY 4:30 P.M. WEDNESDAY 30TH JULY 2025.**

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instruction received from our clients the charges, we shall sell the under mentioned properties by **PUBLIC AUCTION** together with all developments and improvements erected thereon if any as follows:-

- On 15/8/2025 at 11.30 A.M Outside NAROK POST OFFICE- NAROK TOWN TITLE L.R. NO: CISMARA/OLESH-WA/358** registered in the name of **DAVID MASI** measuring **(0.043 HA)** which is approximately **0.1062** of an acre or thereabouts. The subject property is located approximately 90 meters (linear distance) off Narok- Maasai Mara Road in Olerei Estate, which lies about 7.4 Kilometers to the South west of Narok Town, Narok County. It is situated about 270 meters to the South east of Emayian Primary School and about 30 meters to the North West of Olerei Mara Gardens Hotel. The property has permanent structural developments on it which are; a three bedroom bungalow, an ablution block and an incomplete guest house. Boundaries are marked with masonry perimeter walling. **Co-ordinates: 1°06'47.2"S 35°48'51.1"E or -1.113123, 35.814196.**
- On 20/8/2025 at 11.00 A.M outside OUR OFFICE- ELDOROT TOWN –TITLE L.R.NO : UASIN GISHU /ILLU-LA/712** registered in the name of **BERNARD KIPCHUMBA YEGO** measuring **(0.41 Ha)** approximately **(1.0131)** of an acre approximately. The subject property is situated approximately 2.9 kilometres off the Illula Road, within Illula Settlement Scheme area, Kapsoya Ward, Anaibok Sub County, UasinGishu County. Access to the property from Illula Road is by branching to the left at Illula Secondary School, then head towards northeast for 2.4kilometres, followed by another left-hand turn for 340 metres, and a final right-hand turn for 200 metres to the property. The land is developed with a 2-bedroom house an ablution block and semi-permanent outbuildings. **Coordinates: 0°32'21.8"N 35°20'06.1"E**
- On 4/9/2025 at 11.00 A.M outside –OUR OFFICE-ELDOROT TOWN –L.R.NO-ELDOROT MUNICIPALITY /BLOCK 20(KAPYEMIT)/1500** registered in the name of **SOLOMON KIBET RONOH** measuring **(0.07HA)** or approximately **(0.17297)** acres thereabouts. The property is in Kapsaas Area of the larger MailNne Section approximately 6km North West of Eldoret Township, UasinGishu County. It is situated about 1.5km off and to the left of Eldoret – Kitale Highway deviating at Kapsaas Stage in MailNne Trading Center. Erected on the plot is a derelict three bedroomed bungalow. **Coordinates 0°33'37.8" N, 35°13'37.5" E or 0.5604870, 35.2270690.**

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested buyers are requested to view the property and verify details as these are not warranted by the auctioneer.
- A deposit of 25% must be paid in **CASH OR BANKERS CHEQUE** at the fall of the hammer and balance to be paid within 90 days.
- Kshs. 100,000/= refundable** to be deposited for one to get a bidding number which is refundable.
- If by any case the highest bidder withdraws from the sale after the auction, the refundable deposit will be forfeited.**
- Sale is subject to reserved price.
- The Auctioneers has a right to reject the bid without giving any reason whatsoever.



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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principals we shall sell the under mentioned properties by Public auction.

1) VACANT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT RUIRI AREA – MERU COUNTY ON WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 – AT MERU TOWNSHIP – OUTSIDE KCB BANK LTD – AT 11.00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KIIRUA/RUIRI/4758** registered **I.N.O JAMLUCK MUGIRA MIRITI** of **P.O. BOX 523 – 60300 ISOLO**, measuring **0.046 Ha** or **0.1136** acres approximately. The subject property is situated approximately 12 Kilometres from Meru Town in Ruiri Area. Access from Meru Town is 12 Kilometres up to Ruiri, turn left opposite Bishop Lawi Imathiu Boarding School. The property is about 95 metres to the right. The property lies within GPS coordinates **0°08'55.5"S, 37°39'25.6"E**. The property is undeveloped. Mains electricity and water are available in the neighbourhood for connection. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

2) VACANT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT KAGAA ESTATE – KENOL AREA – MURANG'A COUNTY- ON THURSDAY 14TH AUGUST 2025 – AT CHADOR AUCTIONEERS OFFICES –COMMERCIAL STREET – THIKA BUSINESS CENTRE (NAIVAS BUILDING)-5TH FLOOR THIKA – OPPOSITE EQUITY PLAZA – AT 11:00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. MAKUYU/KIMORORI/BLOCK IV/2036** registered **I.N.O KELVIN KIRAGU NYAMBURA** of **P.O BOX 53-10206 MURANG'A**, measuring **0.031 Ha** or thereabout. The property is situated within Kagaa Estate of Kenol, Murang'a County. It lies about 1.8 Kilometres off and to the left of Thika Super Highway while approaching from Kenol Town. The property lies within GPS coordinates **(-0.924328, 37.145570)**. Mains electricity and water are available in the neighbourhood for connection to property. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

3) RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT THIGIRI CLOSE – OFF THIGIRI RIDGE ROAD – NEW MUTHAIGA ESTATE – NAIROBI COUNTY – ON FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2025 – AT OUR NAIROBI OFFICE – UTALII HOUSE – UTALII LANE-3RD FLR SOUTH WING RM 304 – AT 11.00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **L.R.NO. 209/8000/82** registered **I. N.O RAVINDER SINGH AND GURMEET KAUR** of **P.O BOX 31377 – 00600 NAIROBI**, measuring **0.3820 Ha** or **0.9439** acres approximately. Thigiri is located approximately 8 kilometres North-western side of the Nairobi Central Business District and about 5 kilometres North-western side of westlands. The estate borders Karura Forest to the West, Nyari Estate to the East and Rosslyn to the North. The property is situated on Thigiri Close, about 140 metres off Thigiri Ridge Road. The property falls on GPS coordinates **1°14'12.9"S, 36°47'37.2"E**. Developed on the property is a Four [4No.] bedroom residential house and outbuildings. Mains electricity and water are connected to the property. Tenure of the property is on leasehold interest for a term of 99 years W.E.F. 1st May 1970.

4) RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT THIGIRI VALLEY – OFF THIGIRI RIDGE ROAD – NEW MUTHAIGA ESTATE – NAIROBI COUNTY – ON FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2025 – AT OUR NAIROBI OFFICE – UTALII HOUSE – UTALII LANE-3RD FLR SOUTH WING RM 304 – AT 11.00AM

All that parcel of land known as **L.R NO.17/197 (ORIGINAL NO.17/47/2)** registered **I. N.O RAVINDER SINGH & GURMEET KAUR** of **P.O BOX 31377 – 00600 NAIROBI**, measuring **0.3263 Ha** or **0.8063** acres approximately. The property is located at the cul de sac of Thigiri Valley, approximately 140 metres off and to the Western side of Thigiri Ridge Road, in New Muthaiga area of Nairobi. The property falls on the GPS coordinates **1°14'7.68"S, 36°47'29.44"E**. Developed on the property is a Six [6No.] bedroom double storey house with a basement level, an integral swimming pool, a detached staff quarters, guard house and generator room. Mains electricity and water are connected to the property. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

5) VACANT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES AT ISINYA AREA – KAJIADO COUNTY – ON WEDNESDAY 20TH AUGUST, 2025 – AT OUR NAIROBI OFFICE – UTALII HOUSE – UTALII LANE – OFF UHURU HIGHWAY – 3RD FLOOR – SOUTH WING – RM 304 – AT 11.00AM.

All those parcels of land known as **TITLE NOS. KAJIADO/KIPETO/21316 & 21317** registered **I.N.O CAROLYN KANANU MUGAMBI** of **P.O. BOX 10538 – 00200 NAIROBI**, each measuring **0.0443 Ha** or **0.1009** acres approximately. The properties are in Panai Farm, Isinya area, Kajiado County. They are situated about 4.7 Kilometres off and to the left of Isinya-Birika-Kiserian road, deviating at National Oil Petrol Station Isinya onto Old Kiserian-Isinya road. They lie within GPS coordinates **1°42' 46.4"S, 36° 49'15.3"E**. The properties are undeveloped. Mains electricity and water are available for connection. Tenure of the properties is on freehold interest.

6) AN AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY AT SYOKISINGA AREA – MACHAKOS COUNTY ON WEDNESDAY 20TH AUGUST, 2025 – AT OUR NAIROBI OFFICE – UTALII HOUSE – UTALII LANE – 3RD FLR SOUTH WING RM 304 – AT 11.00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KINYATTA/SYOKISINGA/76** registered **I.N.O. DAVID MUTISYA MUTHIKE** of **P.O. BOX 70 – 90106 KATANGI**, measuring **2.58 Ha** or **6.375** acres approximately. The subject property is located in Syokisinga area, approximately 54 Kilometres from Machakos town. The route of access is Machakos-Kitui Road onto Kwavonza-KU Kitu Campus Road up to Miondoni Primary School in Wamunyu, which is about 51 Kilometres from Machakos Town. The property lies within GPS coordinates **1°25'18.82"S, 37°39'8.11"E**. The property is undeveloped. Mains electricity is available in the neighbourhood for connection while water is available from river. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

7) AN AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY AT SYOKISINGA AREA – MACHAKOS COUNTY ON WEDNESDAY 20TH AUGUST, 2025 – AT OUR NAIROBI OFFICE – UTALII HOUSE – UTALII LANE – 3RD FLR SOUTH WING RM 304 – AT 11.00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KINYATTA/SYOKISINGA/79** registered **I.N.O. SAMUEL MUTUKU MUTISYA** of **P.O. BOX 70-90106 KATANGI**, measuring **1.62 Ha** or **4.003** acres approximately. The subject property is located in Syokisinga area, approximately 54 Kilometres from Machakos town. The route of access is Machakos-Kitui Road onto Kwavonza-KU Kitu Campus Road up to Miondoni Primary School in Wamunyu, which is about 51 Kilometres from Machakos Town. The property lies within GPS coordinates **1°25'20.31"S, 37°39'13.70"E**. The property is undeveloped. Mains electricity is available in the neighbourhood for connection while water is available from river. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

8) AN AGRICULTURAL PROPERTY AT SURVEY JUNCTION AREA – LAIKIPIA COUNTY ON TUESDAY 26TH AUGUST, 2025 – AT NYAHURURU TOWNSHIP – OUTSIDE POST OFFICE – AT 11.00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. LAIKIPIA/SUGUTA/724** registered **I.N.O. PAUL KAMURA BABU** of **P.O. BOX 11854 – 00100 NAIROBI**, measuring **22.2 Ha** or **54.85** acres approximately. The property is situated within Survey Junction area in Naibor location, Laikipia North Constituency, Laikipia County. Access to the property from Rumuruti town is via Rumuruti-Marakal road, for a distance of about 8 Kilometers up to Maundu ni Meri junction and proceed on your left for a distance of about 28 kilometres, then turn right onto a marram road for a distance of about 600 meters, to access the subject property on the left. The property lies within GPS coordinates **0°43'47.72"S, 36°35'18.48"E**. Developed on the property is a farm office, servants' quarter, ablution block, water tower and semi-permanent structures. Mains electricity and water are connected to the property. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

9) RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT NKOROI AREA – KAJIADO COUNTY ON WEDNESDAY 27TH AUGUST, 2025 – AT OUR NAIROBI OFFICE – UTALII HOUSE – UTALII LANE – 3RD FLR SOUTH WING RM 304 – AT 11.00AM.

All that parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. NGONG/NGONG/46123** registered **I.N.O ISAAH THURANIRA THIANE** of **P.O. BOX 12366 – 00100 NAIROBI**, measuring **0.047 Ha** or thereabouts. The property is in Nkoro area, Kajiado County. It is situated approximately 400 metres off and to the left of Ongata Rongai-Kiserian section of Magadi road, deviating onto Ole Kisio Road at Arap Moi Primary School Nkoro. The property lies within GPS coordinates **1°24'23.9"S, 36°43'10.9"E**. Developed on the property is a Three [No.3] bedroom single storey residential house. Mains electricity and water are connected to the property. Tenure of the property is on freehold interest.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All intended Purchasers are required to view and verify the details of the property for themselves as these are not warranted by the Auctioneers or the chargees.
- A deposit of 10% for properties No.3,4,9 and 25% for properties No.1,2,5,6,7,8, must be paid in cash or Bankers cheque at the fall of the hammer and the balance to be paid through RTGS or Bankers cheque within 90 days.
- That deposit of Ksh. 500,000/- in form of bankers cheque to obtain bidding No. prior to the auction shall only be refundable only if you are not declared the highest bidder.
- The Auctioneer has the right to reject any bid without giving any reason.
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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our Principals, the Chargee's, in exercise of "Chargee's Statutory Power of Sale", we shall sell by Public Auction the properties described herein-below together with all the developments and improvements erected thereon:-

1. ON WEDNESDAY 30TH JULY 2025, AT 11.00A.M AT OUR OFFICES SITUATED AT NACICO PLAZA, 5TH FLOOR, ROOM 514, ALONG LANDHIES ROAD, NAIROBI



All that Leasehold Interest property known as LR No. Nairobi/Block 97/1786, Nairobi County, measuring 0.048000Ha or 0.119 acres approximately and registered i.n.o George Okeyo Ogola & Serah Nduku Ndileve of P.O. Box 78138-00507, Nairobi. The subject property is situated within Boulevard Court, Fedha Estate, and easily identified as House No. 1786, approximately 9kms to the South East of Nairobi City Centre and about 1km off and to the left of (Outering road) at Fedha stage. Developed thereon is a four-bedroom bungalow, servant quarter and an ablution block. **Accommodation comprises:** Entrance patio, sitting room, dining recess with WHB, Kitchen, Master bedroom ensuite having a washroom with WC western type, an overhead shower unit and WHB ceramic unit, 2 No. extra bedrooms, 1 No. extra bedroom utilized as an office, Wash area having: - Toilet room having WC western type, Shower room having an OHS unit, Circulation corridor. **Coordinates are:** 1°18'57.5"S, 36°54'02.4"E. Mains electricity, piped water and sewerage are connected to the property. Tenure is leasehold interest for a term of 99 years w.e.f 1st April 1980. This is a very prime residential property in good state of repair and decoration.

2. ON FRIDAY 01ST AUGUST 2025, AT 11.00 A.M AT OUR OFFICES SITUATED AT NACICO PLAZA, 5TH FLOOR, ROOM 514, ALONG LANDHIES ROAD NAIROBI



All that Leasehold Interest property known as LR No. 209/12497/1 (IR. 71629), Nairobi County, measuring 0.1000Ha approximately and registered i.n.o Portal Works Ltd of P.O. Box 986-00200, Nairobi. The subject property is situated within Nairobi Dam section of the larger Langata Estate and easily identified as Portal Homes, approximately 6.5kms South-West of Nairobi City Centre and 300mtrs off and to the right of Nairobi-Langata road, deviating at Deliverance Church. Developed thereon is a six storey residential block, a caretaker house and a sentry house. **Accommodation comprises:** 11x1 bedroom units, 30x2bedrooms units, 10x3 bedroom units (Total 51 units) and 5shops **Coordinates are:** 1°19'15.8"S 36°47'54.8"E. Mains electricity, piped water and sewer are connected to the property. Access road is tar surfaced. Tenure is leasehold interest for a term of 99 years w.e.f 1st February 1995. This is a very prime property in good state of repair and decoration and occupied by tenants with very attractive rental income of about Kshs. 1,630,000/= per month.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All prospective purchasers are hereby requested to view and verify for themselves all the necessary details pertaining to the above named properties as the same are not warranted either by the Auctioneers or their Principals.
- A deposit of **Ten Percent (10%)** of the purchase price for each property must be paid either by **Bankers Cheque** or **RTGS** only at the fall of the hammer and balance directly to our principals within **Ninety (90) days** from the date of sale failure to which any money received including the Deposit will be forfeited absolutely.
- Prospective bidders are hereby requested to obtain a bidding number prior to the date of sale by depositing with us a refundable deposit of **Kshs. 500,000/=** for property No.1 and **Kshs. 1,000,000/=** for property No. 2 in form of **Bankers Cheque** only to enable them participate in the sale. **Note:** There will be no bidding whatsoever without a bidding number.
- The sale is subject to a **Reserve Price** and other necessary consents.
- Further details herein such as encumbrances, rates e.t.c. can be obtained from our offices while pointing out can be done during normal office hours.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by our principal the chargees, we shall sell by public auction the under mentioned properties together with all the improvements erected thereon.

PRIME VACANT PLOTS WITHIN THE PROPOSED GATED OSTRICH VIEW PARK ESTATE IN KITENGELA - KAJIADO COUNTY

TO BE SOLD ON WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM AT OUR OFFICE BLESSED HOUSE 2ND FLOOR DOOR NO.4 NGARA ROAD OPPOSITE NGARA POST OFFICE NAIROBI

Title Nos. KAJIADO/KITENGELA/77267, 77268, 77281 & 77282 registered in the name of Marywin Wanjiru Kabaru

NOTE: Freehold plots measuring 0.04 H.A (0.0988 acres) situated within ostrich view park estate. The estate lies opposite and to the northwest of the Maasai ostrich farm about 600M to the northwest Maasai ostrich resort and 7.5Kms off Namanga road deviating at Enkasiti area under these coordinates 1°34'01.3"S 36°52'24.2"E. These are regular shaped plots of black cotton soils with a fairly level gradient. The plots are vacant save for a non-functional makeshift guard tower on parcel 77267. The estate is fairly accessible via a murram road connecting to the tarmac 7.5Kms away. The estate has a borehole to facilitate water supply.

PRIME VACANT RESIDENTIAL PLOT WITHIN GIMU ESTATE IN ATHIRIVER - MACHAKOS COUNTY

TO BE SOLD ON WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM AT OUR OFFICE BLESSED HOUSE 2ND FLOOR DOOR NO.4 NGARA ROAD OPPOSITE NGARA POST OFFICE NAIROBI

Title No. MAVOKO TOWN BLOCK 64/678 registered in the name of Sarah Njoki Mwangi guarantor to Shimich Enterprises Limited

NOTE: Freehold plot measuring about 0045 H.A (0.112 acres) situated in gimu estate Athi river with access being via Mombasa road past crystal river mall branching right onto a murram road for an estimated 500M to the property under these coordinates 1°26'26.6"S 36°59'54.1"E This is a rectangular shaped mixed soils plot ripe for developments. Mains water and electricity services are available for from the immediate neighborhood.

RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY SLIGHT SMALLER THAN 1/2 (HALF) OF AN ACRE WITHIN KAAGA OF MERU TOWN - MERU COUNTY

TO BE SOLD ON FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM MERU TOWN NEAR KCB BANK

Title No. NYAKI/MULATHANKARI/3224 registered in the name of Jonah Gitonga peter

NOTE: Freehold property measuring about 0.18 H.A (0.44478 acres) situated in Kaaga area with access from Meru town is via Meru - Maua road and proceeding for approximately 1.45Kms before turning right immediate after Meru School and proceeding for approximately 550M before turning left for a further and final 150m to the property under these coordinates 0°04'03.2"N 37°39'16.3"E. This is a rectangular shaped corner plot enjoying frontage to two access roads. **Development:** Erected on the property is a three-bedroom bungalow and single storeyed two rental blocks accommodating 1No. 2-bedroom unit and 7No. 1 bedroom units. Entrance into the property is via a double leaf metal gates. Mains water and electricity service are connected to the property.

PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY ALONG OGINGA ODINGA STREET IN ELDORET CBD - UASIN GISHU COUNTY

TO BE SOLD ON FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM AT ELDORET TOWN NEAR THE POST OFFICE

Title No. ELDORET MUNICIPALITY/BLOCK 7/102 registered in the name of Toror Kaa Enterprises Company Limited

NOTE: Leasehold property for a term of 99 years from 1st May 2002 measuring 0.0697 H.A (0.1722 acres) situated within Eldoret town centre along Oginga odinga street and easily identified as **Klique Hotel/Yako supermarket** under these coordinated 0.516959,35.276467. This is a rectangular shaped plot whose boundaries are marked by building lines **Development:** Commercial building with **basement** accommodating parking space, store & 4No WC's **Ground Floor** Supermarket two WC for ladies two WC for gents **First Floor** restaurant/Bar, kitchen, 3No offices, **Second Floor** 20No. Self-contained guest rooms all ensuite. **Third Floor** 20No. self-contained guest rooms. **Fourth Floor:** 3No. self-contained guest rooms, conference room laundry room and drying are. Mains mater and electricity service are connected to the property

VACANT RESIDENTIAL PLOTS WITHIN RANGAU AREA OF TUALA IN ONGATA RONGAI - KAJIADO COUNTY

TO BE SOLD ON WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM AT OUR OFFICE BLESSED HOUSE 2ND FLOOR DOOR NO.4 NGARA ROAD OPPOSITE NGARA POST OFFICE NAIROBI

Title Nos. KAJIADO/KITENGELA/54141 & 54142 registered in the name of Mutwili Mwendwa

NOTE: Freehold properties each measuring about 0.04 H.A (0.09884 acres) situated adjacent to each other about 13.6Kms off Magadii road, about 3.2Kms from Lebone school and approximately 9.7Kms from Nazarene university within 1°26'33.4"S 36°48'32.7"E. This are rectangular shaped black cotton soils plots. Immediate access road is earth surfaced. Mains water and electricity services are available in the neighborhood for connection.

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested purchasers are requested to view the property and verify all the details as these are not warranted by the auctioneers.
- A deposit of **10%** must be paid at the fall of the hammer and or immediately after the acceptance of the bid by the chargee in cash or by bankers cheque and the balance within **90 days** to the chargee.
- A refundable deposit of **Ksh.500,000** payable to Antique Auctions Agencies prior to the Auction date by bankers cheque only.
- The sale of the property is subject to the reserve prices.
- The auctioneer has a right to reject a bid without giving any reason whatsoever.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by the chargee, in exercise of the chargee's statutory power of sale, we shall sell by public auction the under mentioned properties together with all the developments thereon:-

A. On Tuesday, 12th August 2025 starting from 11.00 am at our offices, Ngara Flats, Suite No. 2, 1st Floor, next to Mellow Heights, Ngara road, Nairobi.

1. RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES (APARTMENTS) IN MUTHAIGA SQUARE RESIDENCY - NAIROBI COUNTY

All these properties known as APARTMENT NOS. C16 & C18 ON L.R. NO. 214/825 (ORIGINAL NO. 214/146/2). The parent parcel extends to 0.4063Ha or 1.004 acres approximately while the subject apartments have a total floor area of 225 Square Meters each approximately. The apartments are registered in the name of EVA WAMBUI IRUNGU of P.O Box 60455-00200, Nairobi. The titles to Apartment Nos. C16 & C18 are each held by way of Leasehold interest for an undisclosed term with effect from 1st June 2019 at peppercorn (if demanded) rents. The apartment Number C16 & C18 are located on the 12th and 13th floor respectively within Muthaiga Square Plaza/Muthaiga Square Residency, Nairobi County. The GPS co-ordinates are -1.261361,36.842500. The apartments are 2 no. three-bedroom apartments (master ensuite). Mains water augmented by an on-site sunk borehole, mains electricity with power backup and mains sewer are connected to the property.

B. On Wednesday, 13th August 2025 starting from 11.00 am at the offices of Ndutumi Auctioneers, Yusufali Trust Building, 3rd Floor, Moi Avenue, Mombasa.

2. RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES IN 'KFI' AREA, DIANI BEACH - KWALE COUNTY

All those parcels of land known as TITLE NOS. KWALE/DIANI S.S/4059 & 4060. Each plot extends to 0.09Ha or 0.2224 acres approximately. Both properties are registered in the name of JANET MUSIMBI KIMATHI of P.O Box 1817 - 00502, Karen. Both properties are held on freehold interest. The properties are situated within an unnamed gated estate along the Kosovo - Kijani - Backpackers Road, 'KFI' Area in Diani Beach neighbourhood, Kwale County. The GPS co-ordinates are -4.338694,39.557083. There are no structural developments on the properties. Mains water and electricity services are available for connection onto the properties from the immediate neighbourhood. Foul water drainage would be to soak pit/septic tank.

C. On Tuesday, 12th August 2025 starting from 11.00 am at Joyland Storage Yard, Elgeyo Road, opposite School for the Hearing Impaired, Kapsoya, Eldoret.

3. COMMERCIAL/HOTEL AND CONFERENCE PROPERTY IN KAPSOYA AREA, ELDORET - UASIN GISHU COUNTY



All that parcel of land known as TITLE NO. ELDORET MUNICIPALITY/BLOCK 9/3116. The parcel measures 0.4047Ha or 1.0 acre approximately and is registered in the name of IDEAL DEVELOPERS & CONSULTANTS LIMITED of P.O Box 89484 - 80100, Mombasa. The property is held on leasehold for a term of 99 years with effect from 1st June 2009 at an annual rent of Ksh. 12,000/-.

The property is situated within the larger Kapsoya area, approximately 250 metres off Nairobi - Eldoret Road. It was formerly known as The Pearl Hotel. The GPS co-ordinates are 0.512389,35.299333. The plot is developed with a three-storeyed hotel and a semi attached three-storeyed extension. Mains electricity, water and SEWER are connected to the property.

4. RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY IN ELDORET - UASIN GISHU COUNTY



All that parcel of land known as TITLE NO. ELDORET MUNICIPALITY/BLOCK 8/115. The parcel measures 0.7627Ha or 1.88 acres approximately and is registered in the name of IDEAL DEVELOPERS & CONSULTANTS LIMITED of P.O Box 89484 - 80100, Mombasa. The property is held on leasehold for a term of 48 years 7 months with effect from 1st January, 1977 at an annual rent of Ksh. 1,994/=. The property is situated within Eldoret Municipality, along Nandi Road. It lies within the immediate neighbourhood of St. Lukes Hospital. The GPS co-ordinates are 0.510694,35.285278. The plot is developed with a bungalow that has been converted to an office block, servants' quarters and an external ablution block. Mains water, electricity and sewer are connected to the property.

CONDITIONS FOR SALE

- Bidders are advised to carry out all necessary searches and view the properties and verify all details pertaining to the properties as these are not warranted by ourselves or our principals.
- Only bidders with bidding numbers against a Kshs. 100,000.00/= refundable bidding deposit for Properties No. 1 and 2 and Kshs. 500,000.00/= refundable bidding deposit for Properties No. 3 and 4 and who will have signed acceptance of the conditions of sale (available at our offices) prior to the auction be qualified to bid.
- The highest approved bidder at the fall of the hammer shall be declared purchaser and shall be required to immediately deposit 10% of the purchase price in cash or bankers cheque and the balance in 90 days.
- Viewing of the properties can be done during normal working hours.
- The sale is subject to a reserve price.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our Principals the CHARGE in exercise of their Statutory Powers of sale conferred upon them, we shall sell by Public Auction the following properties together with all the improvements erected thereon.

1. A PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY SITUATED OFF KANGUNDO ROAD, MUTALIA AREA, MACHAKOS COUNTY TO BE SOLD ON 20TH AUGUST 2025, 10.30 A.M. AT OUR OFFICES SITUATED AT NAIROBI SOUTH B AREA OFF MOMBASA ROAD, TOWARDS RAILWAY TRAINING INSTITUTE NEXT TO ST. VERONICA CHURCH ON AOKO ROAD.



ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. DONYO SABUK/KOMAROCK BLOCK 1/40836**, measuring 0.0297 of hectare or 0.073 of an Acre or thereabout TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The property can be accessed via branching off Kangundo Road at Mutalia Centre onto the road leading to A.C.K. St. Andrews Church Mutalia, opposite Casa Ml Estate few metres past the said Church. It is registered in the names of **PETER GACHERU CHEGE** guarantor to **IMANI YAKO MEDICAL CLINIC LTD.**
Google Coordinates: -1.275217° 37.114656°

2. A PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY SITUATED ALONG PAUL GATE ROAD, OFF KANGUNDO ROAD, JOSKA AREA, MACHAKOS COUNTY. TO BE SOLD ON 20TH AUGUST 2025, 10.30 A.M. AT OUR OFFICES SITUATED AT NAIROBI SOUTH B AREA OFF MOMBASA ROAD, TOWARDS RAILWAY TRAINING INSTITUTE NEXT TO ST. VERONICA CHURCH ON AOKO ROAD.



ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. DONYO SABUK/KOMAROCK BLOCK 1/13288**, measuring 0.020 of a hectare or 0.05 of an Acre or thereabout TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The property is located along Paul Gate Road off Kangundo Road, Joska Area, Machakos County and can be accessed via branching off Kangundo Road. It is registered in the names of **PHOEBE AKEYO OWITI** guarantor to **IMANI YAKO MEDICAL CLINIC LTD.**
Google Coordinates: -1.282621° 37.094751°

3. A PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY SITUATED OFF MAGADI ROAD, TINGA(OLTEPESI) AREA, KAJIADO COUNTY TO BE SOLD ON 20TH AUGUST 2025 AT 1 P.M. AT NGONG TOWNSHIP MAIN MATATU/BUS TERMINUS- NEAR ABSA BANK.

ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KAJIADO/LOODARIAK/12227(ORIG. 2326)** measuring 0.044 of hectare or 0.11 Acres or thereabout TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The property can be accessed via Magadi Road and proceeding on past Rongai, Kiserian and further on as if heading to Magadi Town to reach a right-hand road approximately 2.2 kms before reaching Tinga (Oltepesi) Shopping Centre. Branch off to the right on to the said road and proceed for about 1.2 kms to reach the subject property located on the left hand-side. The property is located approximately 2 Kms due north east of Oltepesi Primary School. It is registered in the names of **PETER GACHERU CHEGE** guarantor to **IMANI YAKO MEDICAL CLINIC LTD.**
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CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested purchasers are required to view the properties and verify the details themselves as these are not warranted by the Auctioneers and or the chargees.
- A deposit of 25% must be paid in **CASH** or by **BANKERS CHEQUE** at the fall of the hammer and the balance to be paid **WITHIN 60 DAYS** from the date of the auction to the chargee.
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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principals the chargees, and acting upon the statutory powers of sale conferred upon the chargee, we shall sell by public auction the under-mentioned properties with all improvements therein

ON 30TH JULY 2025 AT 10.30 A.M. AT OUR ABOVE MENTIONED OFFICES

- LR NO. NGONG/NGONG/45206 (ORG 42965) KAJIADO COUNTY** ino Grace Wanjiru Kibobo. A vacant freehold interest measuring app 0.062Ha / 0.153Acres situated in the Tom & Jerry School area in the outskirts of Ongata Rongai Kajiado North sub county; with Magadi Rd. 1km away. Mains services are available for connection. (-1.394946, 36.719154)
- LR. THIKA MUNICIPALITY BLOCK 7/173 BENDOR ESTATE THIKA TOWN KIAMBU COUNTY** ino Patrick Karanja Ngugi. A vacant 99yrs leasehold interest (wef. 1/12/1995) measuring approx. 0.499Ha. Situated approx. 1.1km off and to the left of Thika -Kabati -Kenol road deviating about 340mtrs past the junction of Thika -Gatura road. Mains services are available for connection from the immediate neighbourhood. (-1.015278, 37.062111)

ON 13TH AUGUST 2025 AT 10.30 A.M. AT OUR ABOVE MENTIONED OFFICES

- LR NO. LAIKIPIA/ NYAHURURU/ 7080 & 7081 LOSOGWA AREA NYAHURURU LAIKIPIA COUNTY** ino Luka Gitau Mingo. Vacant freehold interests situated approx 5.4km West of Nyahururu town off Nyahururu - Nakuru road. LR. No. 7080 measures approx. 0.81Ha/ 2acres and LR. No. 7081 measures approx. 0.40Ha/ 1 acre. They are planted with pinewood and bluegum trees with marked boundaries. Mains services are available for connection. (0.031408, 36.313864 & 0.031108, 36.314264)

TERMS

- Interested purchasers to view the property and verify details themselves, as these are not warranted by the Auctioneers or their principals
- Highest bidder shall pay a deposit of 25% of the purchase price via **RTGS** or **BANKERS CHEQUE** and the balance to be paid within Ninety (90) days from the date of sale.
- The sale is subject to reserve price and land board consent if applicable.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by our principals (the financiers) we shall sell by public auction the under mentioned vehicle on **Wednesday, 6th August 2025 starting from 11:00 am at our offices, Ngara Flats, Suite No. 2, 1st Floor, Ngara road, Nairobi.**

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principal the chargees in exercise of their statutory power of sale we shall sell the under mentioned properties by public auction.

1. ON THURSDAY 31ST JULY 2025 AT 11.00 AM IN OUR NAIROBI OFFICES AT VIEW PARK TOWERS, 9TH FLOOR- NAIROBI CITY.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY ALONG DAR ES SALAAM ROAD INDUSTRIAL AREA - NAIROBI CITY COUNTY.

All that leasehold for a term of 99 years from 1972 parcel of land known as **L.R.NO: 209/7994/7 (NEW NO. NAIROBI BLOCK 67/11) - NAIROBI CITY COUNTY**, situate along Dar Es Salaam road about 12 metres off, Duya road Industrial area, measuring 0.0801 Ha (0.198 acres) approximately and registered in the name of **JARIBU CREDIT TRADERS LIMITED OF P. O. BOX 58502-00200 NAIROBI**. The parcel of land is developed with a commercial building with a basement floor. **ACCOMMODATION:** (i). **Basement floor** has stair, open plan Hall, portioned stores, office washrooms, kitchen, **GROUND FLOOR:** Common passage, front shops, landing area, passage, lobby shops, washrooms and store, (iii). **First Floor** has landing, washrooms, kitchen, reception, office and open plan hall. (iv) **2nd Floor** has landing, washroom, kitchen, passage, office and open plan hall. (v) **3rd Floor** has landing, washroom, kitchen, passage, office, open plan hall. (vi) **Roof Top:** It has landing lobby, open terrace store and water tank. The property can easily be found using these **google coordinates: 1° 18' 20.33" S, 36° 50' 2.46" E.**

2. ON THURSDAY 31ST JULY 2025 AT 12.00 NOON NEAR KCB BANK - BUSIA TOWN.

RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY WITHIN BURUMBA AREA - BUSIA TOWN.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **L.R.NO: BUKHAYO/ MUNDIKA/7665 - BUSIA COUNTY**, situated within Burumba area in the outskirts of Busia Town and near Burumba Secondary School, measuring **0.086 Ha (0.212 acres)** approximately and registered in the name of **JOAB MUNIALA OF P. O. BOX 78-50400 BUSIA**. Erected on the plot is an incomplete residential block, a residential house, an ablution block and a semi-permanent house. The residential block comprises 3 floors each floor accommodating of No.2 bedroom units. It is 55% complete. The residential house comprises 2 bedrooms. The property can easily be found using these **google coordinates: 0° 26' 56.8" N, 34° 07' 27.8" E.**

3. ON FRIDAY 1ST AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM NEAR THE POST OFFICE - ELDORET TOWN.

2 BEDROOM HOUSE IN BAHATI ESTATE, ELDORET - UASIN GISHU COUNTY.

All that freehold property known as **L.R.NO: SERGOIT/ KOIWAPTAL BLOCK 11/76 BAHATI ESTATE - ELDORET MUNICIPALITY**, the property is situated approximately 200 metres to the west of Eldoret Academy and 5 kilometres north eastern of Eldoret Town Centre, measuring **0.03 Ha (0.074 acres)** thereabouts and registered in the Name of **BARNABAS NJUGUNA ONDARI P.O. BOX 539-30100 KISUMU** GUARANTOR TO **STEPHEN KIMANI MIANO**. The property is developed with a single storey residential house and a temporary shed and permanent ablution block. **ACCOMMODATION:** sitting room, kitchen, 2 No bedrooms and washroom. The property is a very nice property which can easily fetch monthly rent paying tenants. This parcel of land can be easily located using on these **google coordinates: 0° 53'48.304, 35.303832..**

4. ON FRIDAY 1ST AUGUST 2025 AT 3.00 P.M. NEAR THE MAIN MATATU STAGE - KAKAMEGA TOWN.

ABOUT 2 ACRE DEVELOPED PROPERTY WITHIN KHAYEGA AREA - KAKAMEGA COUNTY.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **L.R. NO: ISUKHA/ SHITOTO/1704 - KHAYEGA AREA, KAKAMEGA COUNTY**, the property is situated within Khayega area along Ikuywu - Mushieyu murram road. It is approximately 450 metres from Khayega - Shinyalu road and approximately 1 kilometre from Khayega Market, measuring **0.78 Ha (1.927 acres)** approximately and registered in the name of **HILARY MBALILWA SHAMIA P.O. BOX 52499 - 00100 NAIROBI**. This is a residential property developed with a bungalow which appear a palatial home in rural setting standards and an ongoing three (3 NO) storeyed Townhouse under constructions and some outbuildings. The property can easily found on these **google coordinates: 0.212194 and 34.778327" E.**

5. ON WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 AT 12.00 NOON AT THE MAIN MATATU STAGE OL KALOU TOWN.

ABOUT 7.624 ACRES AGRICULTURAL LAND IN NDEMI AREA - NYANDARUA COUNTY.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **L.R.NO: NYANDARUA/ NDEMI/11385 - NYANDARUA COUNTY**, situated within Kiburuti area, Nde mi. It is about 1.7 kilometres off Captain Wanjohi road branching on the left 2.2 kilometres past Nde mi Shopping Centre, measuring **3.393 Ha (7.624 acres)** and registered in the name

of **JOHN GATHAKU GATONGO OF P.O. BOX 1248 -20300 OL KALOU**. This is an agricultural parcel of land developed with a homestead of temporary nature. The rest of the land is under agricultural activities. The plot can easily be located using these **google coordinates: -0.309666, 36.435873.**

6. ON THURSDAY 14TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM IN OUR NAIROBI OFFICES AT VIEW PARK TOWERS, 9TH FLOOR - NAIROBI CITY.

1. ABOUT 1/2 ACRE PLOT WITHIN KIBIKO AREA NGONG - KAJIADO COUNTY.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **TITLE NO: NGONG/ NGONG/60825 - KAJIADO COUNTY**, situated within Kibiko area about 3 kilometres from Ngong Town, measuring **0.18 Ha (0.44478 acres)** approximately and registered in the name of **EZRA CHILOBA SIMIYU AND NYAMONDO DOUGLAS OTIENO GUARANTOR TO KITALE HILMOST LIMITED ALL OF P.O. BOX 9376-00200 NAIROBI**. The parcel of land is not structurally developed and it is vacant. It is ready for immediate development. The plot can easily be found using **google coordinates: 1° 19' 49.1"S, 36° 37' 44.6" E.**

ii). 0.114 ACRE VACANT RESIDENTIAL PLOT IN MUGUTHA AREA RUIRU - KIAMBU COUNTY.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **L.R.NO: RUIRU MUGUTHA BLOCK 1/9217 - KIAMBU COUNTY**, situated within Mugutha area Ruiru, immediately on the left after Mugutha Primary and Galana Oil Petrol Station, it is about 250 metres off the Ruiru/Mugutha road, measuring **0.0464 Ha (0.114 acres)** approximately and registered in the name of **STEPHEN WACHIRA MWANGI OF P.O. BOX 12209-00100 NAIROBI**. This is a residential vacant plot ready for immediate development. It only has subsistence crops on it. The plot can easily be located using these **google coordinates: 1° 07' 19" S, 36° 57' 08" E.**

iii). 3BEDROOM BUNGALOW IN OL KERI AREA - KAJIADO COUNTY.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **L.R.NO: NGONG/ NGONG/48452 - KAJIADO COUNTY**, situated in Olkeri with the larger area of Rimpia in the neighbourhood of Kamano Court, measuring **0.05 Ha (0.1236 acres)** approximately and registered in the name of **PAUL MAINA MURIUKI OF P.O. BOX 59150-00200 NAIROBI**. The plot is developed with a 3-bedroom bungalow accommodating the following: - entrance porch, sitting cum dining room, passage, kitchen, store, verandah, 2 bedrooms, common cloakroom, WHB, and master bedroom ensuite. The property is rented out to a monthly paying tenant. The plot can easily be located using these **google coordinates: 1.413756, 36.706043).**

7. ON FRIDAY 15TH AUGUST 2025 AT 12.00 NOON AT THE MAIN MATATU - KAKAMEGA TOWN.

DEVELOPED RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY IN AKATSA AREA BUKURA - KAKAMEGA COUNTY.

All that freehold parcel of land known as **TITLE NO: BUTSOTSO/ BUKURA/1201 KAKAMEGA COUNTY**, situated within Akatsa area ibn Bukura about 1.kilometre from Bukura Agricultural College measuring **0.13 Ha (0.32 acres)** approximately and registered in the name of **KELVIN OPAPA AMWAYI GUARANTOR TO KILIMANJARO MEZZANINE CYBER CAFÉ BOTH OF P.O. BOX 190 - 000610 EASTLEIGH**. The parcel of land is developed with a single storey residential building comprising 20 no bedsitters, ablution block, a temporary structure. The property is occupied by monthly paying tenants. The plot can easily be found using **google coordinates: 0.2167/48, 34.631872.**

CONDITIONS OF SALE

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Duly instructed by our clients, chargees we shall sell the under mentioned properties by Public Auction

ON TUESDAY 12TH AUGUST 2025 AT OUR AUCTION MART NEW KIREITA BUILDING, KIRINYAGA ROAD AT 11:00 AM

PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY IN MUGUTHA ESTATE, RUIRU SUB COUNTY, KIAMBU COUNTY.

1. All that parcel of land known as L.R NO. RUIRU/MUGUTHA BLOCK 1/T.11316 MUGUTHA SECONDARY SCHOOL AREA, MUGUTHA ESTATE, RUIRU SUB-COUNTY, KIAMBU COUNTY measuring **0.022 Ha** and registered in the name of JAMES WANJOHI MAINA of P.O BOX 7724-00200 NAIROBI. The property lies within **GPS Coordinates 1° 6' 41.9" S, 36° 56' 54.5" E** and is in Mugutha Secondary School Area, Mugutha Estate, Ruiru Sub County, Kiambu County. It is situated approximately 390 meters off and to the right of Kwa Kairo-Mugutha-Murera Coffee Road deviating immediately after Blessed Mugutha Secondary School. The property is located about 260 meters North-West of the above said school. The property is developed with a double storey residential house and a domestic staff quarter block.

ON WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST 2025 AT OUR AUCTION MART NEW KIREITA BUILDING, KIRINYAGA ROAD AT 11:00 AM

INCOMPLETE PRIME EXECUTIVE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY SITUATED IN MIOTONI AREA, KAREN ESTATE, NAIROBI CITY COUNTY.

2. All that parcel of land known as L.R NO. NAIROBI/BLOCK 47/1704 ALONG NANDI ROAD, KAREN ESTATE, NAIROBI CITY COUNTY measuring **0.2006 Ha** and registered in the name of **MAGNOY COMMUNICATIONS LIMITED OF P.O BOX 8550-00100 NAIROBI**. The property falls on **GPS Coordinates 1° 18' 51.2" S, 36° 42' 20.4" E** and is situated in Miotoni Area within Karen Estate in Nairobi City County. It is along Nandi Road and about 350 meters from the junction of Nandi and Miotoni Roads. The immediate access road (Nandi Road) is of tarmac standard while access to the property is via a sliding single leaf steel plate gate. The property is developed with a family House, Guest house, Servants' quarters, gazebo and a gatehouse.

PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY IN KIPSITET TRADING CENTRE, KERICO COUNTY.

3. All that parcel of land known as L.R NO. KERICO/KIPSITET/657 KIPSITET TRADING CENTRE, KERICO COUNTY measuring **0.046 Ha** and registered in the name of PAUL KIMELI KOECH of P.O BOX 741-20200 KERICO G/T KIBET MELLY EMMANUEL T/A YOSIT GENERAL STORES OF P.O BOX 741-20200 KERICO. The property lies within **GPS Coordinates 0° 13' 42.2" S, 35° 09' 17.9" E** and is in Kipsitet Trading Centre, Kericho County. It is situated along and to the left of Kericho-Kisumu tar surfaced, about 80 meters South of Soin Classic Hotel. **It is easily identifiable Yosit General Stores**. The property is developed with a single storey commercial block with projections for further vertical developments.

ON THURSDAY 14TH AUGUST 2025 AT OUR AUCTION MART NEW KIREITA BUILDING, KIRINYAGA ROAD AT 11:00 AM

PRIME RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN RUNDA MUNWE, KIAMBU COUNTY.

4. All that parcel of land known as L. R NO. KIAMBU/MUNICIPALITY BLOCK 111/46 RUNDA MUNWE, KIAMBU COUNTY measuring **0.2268 Ha** and registered in the name of THOMAS MUTETHIA T/A TIMES AND SEASONS CHEMICALS OF P.O BOX 10252-00100 NAIROBI. The property lies within **GPS Coordinates 1° 12' 06.3" S, 36° 48' 43.5" E** and is situated along Marcus Drive within the Wider Runda Estate and can easily be identified as House No.46. The estate is situated approximately 14 Kilometers from City Centre. Access is via Limuru Road onto Runda Road branching left onto Eliud Mathu Street turning right at Benin Drive then turning left at Pan African Insurance Avenue a right turn at Havana Road onto Mumwe Drive for approximately 5.13 Kilometers to the property. Access to the estate is via two double leaf grilled steel gates, mounted on concrete pillars opening onto cabro driveways/parking yards and provided with a sentry. Street lights and pedestrian walkways are also provided within the estate. The property is planted with well-manicured grass lawns and shrubs. The property is developed with a mansion with staff quarters, generator room and an incomplete sentry.

Conditions of Sale

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- A refundable deposit of **Ksh 500,000/=** must be paid to obtain a bidding number. Please note that **NO bidding whatsoever** without a bidding number.
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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our principal the chargees in exercise of their statutory power of sale we shall sell the under mentioned property by public auction.

ON THURSDAY 14TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00 AM IN NAIROBI OFFICES AT VIEW PARK TOWERS, 9TH FLOOR - NAIROBI.



PALATIAL RESIDENCE OF 6 BEDROOMS IN RUNDA MIMOSA GARDENS - NAIROBI COUNTY.

All that leasehold interest for a term of 99 years from 1989 parcel of land known as **TITLE NO: NAIROBI/BLOCK 112/187 NAIROBI COUNTY**, situated in Runda Mimosa gardens and bearing **House No.187**.

The plot measures **0.2016 Ha (0.4982 acres)** approximately and is registered in the name of **DORCAS WANJIRU OF P.O. BOX 41195 NAIROBI GUARANTOR TO ALGARVE DISTRIBUTORS LIMITED AND PLAZA CROSSROADS HOTEL LIMITED BOTH OF P.O. BOX 35781-00200 NAIROBI**. This is a residential property in the leafy area of Runda a high end estate in the county of Nairobi. **ACCOMMODATION:** The property comprises on the ground floor Porte cohere, entrance porch, foyer, lounge, sunken main lounge with fire place, dining area, kitchen, open pre area, laundry area, storage, guest cloakroom, guest bedroom ensuite, attached DSQ of two bedrooms. The upper floor comprises landing, bar, terrace, 4 bedroom ensuite and master bedroom ensuite, there is an Attic floor which has landing, office and entertainment area. Other additional facilities in property are gym, gazebo, external store, sentry/pool house, swimming pool etc. The property is occupied by the registered owner with her family. The property can easily be located using these **google coordinates: 1° 12'39.79" S, 36°48' 20.25" E**

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested purchasers are requested to view the properties and verify the details for themselves as the auctioneers or the chargees do not warrant these.
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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from our Principals the **CHARGE** in exercise of their Statutory Powers of sale conferred upon them, we shall sell by Public Auction the following properties together with all the improvements erected thereon.

1. A PRIME RESIDENTIAL 2 BEDROOM (both ensuite) FULLY FURNISHED AND SERVICED PENTHOUSE DUPLEX APARTMENT IN KILELESHWA AREA, NAIROBI, TO BE SOLD ON 14TH AUGUST 2025 - 10.30 A.M AT OUR OFFICES, KENYA SHIELD AUCTIONEERS - NAIROBI SOUTH B AREA OFF MOMBASA ROAD, TOWARDS RAILWAY TRAINING INSTITUTE NEXT TO ST. VERONICA CHURCH ON AOKO ROAD.



ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **Penthouse Duplex No. 37, 7th Floor, Block B** erected on **Land Reference No. 209/21703** easily identifiable as '37' on Kikambala' situated along Kikambala Road in Kileleshwa Area off Makueni Road off Olaitoktok Road. The property is registered in the names of **SDL INVESTMENTS LIMITED** guarantor to **TSG REALITY LIMITED** TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The entire plot upon which the apartment is erected extends to approximately **0.2043** of a hectare or **0.75048** of an acre. The built-up area is **2,095 sq. ft.** or thereabout. The Title is held on **Leasehold** interest for a term of 99 years with effect from 1st January 1960. Google co-ordinates for the unit are - **(1°17'04.4"S 36°46'54.6"E)**

2. A PRIME RESIDENTIAL TERRACED 4 BEDROOM (all ensuite) FULLY FURNISHED AND SERVICED APARTMENT IN KILELESHWA AREA, NAIROBI, TO BE SOLD ON 14TH AUGUST 2025 - 10.30 A.M AT OUR OFFICES, KENYA SHIELD AUCTIONEERS - NAIROBI SOUTH B AREA OFF MOMBASA ROAD, TOWARDS RAILWAY TRAINING INSTITUTE NEXT TO ST. VERONICA CHURCH ON AOKO ROAD.



ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **TOWNHOUSE NO. 9** erected on **Land Reference No. 209/21373 (Orig. No. 209/8545)**, Kileleshwa Area, easily identifiable as '8545 Kileleshwa Creek' situated off Olaitoktok Road in Kileleshwa Area of Nairobi about 7 kilometres from the city Centre. The property is registered in the names of **HAMLET PROPERTIES LIMITED** guarantor to **TSG REALITY LIMITED** TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The entire plot upon which the apartment is erected extends to approximately **0.2899** of a hectare or **0.7163** of an acre. The built-up area is **3,355 sq. ft.** or thereabout. The Title is held on **Leasehold** interest for a term of 99 years with effect from 1st March 1975 at an unspecified annual rent (if demanded). Google co-ordinates for the unit are - **(1°16'52.85"S 36°47'25.18"E)**

3. A PRIME RESIDENTIAL 1 BEDROOM (ensuite) FULLY FURNISHED AND SERVICED APARTMENT IN THOMPSON ESTATE NAIROBI, TO BE SOLD ON 14TH AUGUST 2025 - 10.30 A.M AT OUR OFFICES, KENYA SHIELD AUCTIONEERS - NAIROBI SOUTH B AREA OFF MOMBASA ROAD, TOWARDS RAILWAY TRAINING INSTITUTE NEXT TO ST. VERONICA CHURCH ON AOKO ROAD.



ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **APARTMENT NO. 26, 3rd FLOOR Block C** erected on **L.R No. 330/1357 (Orig. No. 330/152)**, along Vanga Road, Thompson Estate, easily identifiable as **The Courtyard at Vanga** and the entire plot upon which the apartment is erected extends to approximately **0.4172** hectares or **1.03** of Acres. The built-up area is approximately **640 sq.ft.** registered in the names of **SDL INVESTMENTS LIMITED** guarantor to **TSG REALITY LIMITED** TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The Title is held on **Leasehold** interest for a term of 99 years with effect from 1st September 2013 at an unspecified annual rent (if demanded). Google co-ordinates for the unit are - **(1°17'29.4"S 36°45'51.9"E)**

4. A PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY WITH A FUNERAL HOME, A DETACHED 4NO. SINGLE ROOMS WORKERS RESIDENCE, A GUARD HOUSE AND A GENERATOR SHOP SITUATED IN KWA NGULUE AREA ALONG WOTE- MAKINDU ROAD, MAKUENI COUNTY TO BE SOLD ON 15TH AUGUST 2025, 11.A.M. AT MAKUENI-WOTE TOWNSHIP NEAR THE POST OFFICE



ALL THAT piece or parcel of land known as **PLOT NO. MAKUENI/ UNO/A/5794 (ORIG. NO. 4260)** measuring **0.382** of hectare or **0.94** of an Acre or thereabout TOGETHER with the improvements erected and being thereon. The property is situated along Wote-Makindu Road, Kwa Ngulue Area, Wote Town, Makueni County approximately **3.2 Kms** past Mami Hotel, Ullinzi Petrol Station, KMTCC Makueni Campus, Makindu Motors, Makueni Fire Station, Makueni Boys, Makueni Law Courts, Makueni Funeral Home to reach the subject property located on the left-hand side and clearly identifiable on the ground as Nuclear Funeral Home. It is registered in the names of **DANIEL KIOKO KASANGI** guarantor **TO NUCLEAR FUNERAL SERVICES**. The title is a **Freehold** interest. Google Coordinates: **1° 48'34.69"S latitude 37°37'28.53"E Longitude**

CONDITIONS OF SALE

- All interested purchasers are required to view the properties and verify the details themselves as these are not warranted by the Auctioneers and or the chargees.
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4	KDH029C/Eazy Storage Yard- Ruiru	Mazda Demio 13	2015	508,000
5	KBH742X/Auto Gallery Ltd - Westlands	Mercedes Benz E320 Auto	2004	552,000
6	KCT851W/Northern Kenya Storage- Garissa	Mitsubishi Ek Wagon 2Wd	2011	241,000
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8	KCV684S/Eazy Storage Yard- Ruiru	Nissan X-Trail Dnt31	2012	899,000
9	KCH364X/Eazy Storage Yard- Ruiru	Subaru Legacy 2.5 Bm9 Auto Cvt/Bmm	2009	489,000
10	KBU985U/Auto Gallery Ltd - Westlands	Toyota Land Cruiser Tj120R2.7L	2006	1,304,000
11	KBH087X/Blackbird Storage & Auction Yard - Nyal	Toyota Premio Zrt240 1.5L	2002	396,000
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13	KBW150S/Capital Diamond - Thika	Toyota Probox 1.3	2006	279,000
14	KCQ676F/Eazy Storage Yard- Ruiru	Volkswagen Tiguan 2.0 Tsi	2011	846,000
15	KDS811T/ Legacy Yard	Toyota Probox	2018	1,007,000
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17	KCP871D/Eazy Ruiru Yard	Honda Fit	2010	357,000
18	KDG687B/Startruck Yard	Toyota Fielder	2014	1,025,000
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22	KDL906P/Startruck Yard	Toyota Harrier	2016	2,538,000
23	KBF083E/Eldoret Supermax	Toyota Hiace	2001	300,000
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PUBLIC AUCTION

Under instructions received from the chargees we shall sell the following properties and motor vehicle.

PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY WITHIN MWANZO ESTATE, OFF MITAA ROAD ELDORET MUNICIPALITY, UASIN GISHU COUNTY.

1. ON 30TH JULY 2025 11.00 OUTSIDE THE POST OFFICE ELDORET TOWNSHIP.

All that piece or parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. ELDORET MUNICIPALITY BLOCK 11/753** measuring 0.0243 Hectares or 0.0600 acres approximately. The property is located within Mwanzo Estate approximately 140 metres off Mitaa road near Umoja Secondary School Eldoret Town Uasin Gishu County and registered in the name of **SAMWEL KIRICHA MWAKAI**. GPS Coordinates 0°31'55"N 35°05'19"E

THREE STOREYED BUILDING KNOWN AS (HOTEL VENTAKONE) SITUATED ALONG KISUMU - KIBOS ROAD WITHIN KONDELE ESTATE KISUMU CITY, KISUMU COUNTY.

2. ON 31ST JULY 2025 AT 11.00 A.M AT THE OFFICES OF NYALUOYO AUCTIONEERS SITUATED AT KISUMU, ALONG KISUMU BUSIA ROAD OTONGOLO.



All that piece or parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KISUMU/MANYATTA 'A'/835** measuring 0.04 Hectares or 0.098 Acres approximately. The property is situated along Kisumu-Kibos Road within Kondele Estate near Kondele Police Station in Kisumu City, Kisumu County and registered in the name **THOMAS OGALO ABUTO**. The property known as Hotel Ventakone is developed with a three storey building with the following accommodations details:- Ground floor has a reception area, 2 counter areas, 2 restaurant areas with wash hand basins, 2 cloakrooms with water closet, wash hand basins, & urinal area (gents and ladies), parking area and staircase. The first floor has 14 guest rooms, each ensuite with a toilet cum shower room and the second floor with a landing, common washroom, 7 guest rooms each ensuite with a toilet cum shower room and a conference hall.

FOUR BEDROOMED BUNGALOW WITHIN KITENGELA KAJIADO COUNTY

3. 7TH AUGUST 2025 AT 10.30 A.M AT OUR OFFICE AGIP HOUSE, 3RD FLOOR HAILE SELASSIE AVENUE, NAIROBI



All that piece or parcel of land known as **TITLE NO. KAJIADO/KAPUTIEI NORTH/5090** measuring 0.05 hectares approximately. The property is situated in Kitengela, in the neighborhood of Faith Victory Churches and G.E.C.K Kitengela Calvary Church Kajiado County, and registered in the name of **MARTHA NJOKI NGIGI**. The property is developed with a part single, part double storey residential houses having two bedrooms and one bathroom. GPS Coordinates 1°29'03.8"S 36°57'09.8"E

THREE BEDROOM BUNGALOW LOCATED WITHIN KIPTALDAL AREA, SOSIOT, KERICHO COUNTY.

4. ON 7TH AUGUST 2025 AT 11.00AM AT KERICHO GARDENS.



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VACANT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY SITUATED OFF MACHAKOS KAGUNDO ROAD, WITHIN KASINA AREA, MACHOKOS TOWN, MACHAKOS COUNTY.

5. ON 7TH AUGUST 2025 AT 10.30AM AT OUR OFFICES, AGIP HOUSE ENTRANCE "A" 3RD FLOOR, ROOM 301 HAILE SELASSIE AVENUE.

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6. ON 6TH AUGUST 2025 AT 10.30 A.M. AT OUR OFFICES AGIP HOUSE 3RD FLOOR HAILE SELASSIE AVENUE, NAIROBI.

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IN THE ENVIRONMENT AND LAND COURT AT KAJIADO
PETITION NO. 002 OF 2022

IN THE MATTER OF CONTRAVENTION OF ARTICLES 10(2), 40, 47, 48, 60 & 73 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA, 2010

AND
IN THE MATTER OF L.R. NO. KAJIADO/KAPUTEI NORTH/1034

BETWEEN
KENNETH MUNGAI NG'ANG'A PETITIONER
AND
THE KAJIADO LAND DISPUTES TRIBUNAL

1ST RESPONDENT
THE RESIDENT MAGISTRATES COURT,
KAJADO LAW COURTS

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TO: GEORGE MBUGUA MURITHI

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TAKE NOTICE that a Petition has been filed in the Environment and Land Court at Kajiado ELC Petition 002 of 2022, in which you are named as 5th Respondent. Service of summons on you has been ordered by means of this advertisement via an order by Hon. Lady Justice L. Komingi dated 9th July, 2025. TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the matter will be coming up for directions on 9th October, 2025. The Petition may be obtained in the Court's registry at the Environment and Land Court Kenya at Kajiado or from the Petitioner's Advocates office situated at NO.58 TRV OFFICE PLAZA, 1ST FLOOR, MUTHITHI ROAD, WESTLANDS, P.O. BOX 25487-00100 NAIROBI.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that unless you enter appearance within 14 days from the date of this advertisement, judgment will be entered against you and such further orders issued as the court may deem fit.

DATED at NAIROBI this 15th day of July, 2025.

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.....PLAINTIFF

VERSUS

ALI KASSIM MWACHAUNGA.....

.....1ST DEFENDANT

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.....2ND DEFENDANT

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TO: ALI KASSIM MWACHAUNGA

WHEREAS the above named Plaintiff has instituted a suit against you upon the claim, the particulars of which are set out in the Plaintiff with annexures attached to be found in the court registry or Plaintiff's advocates offices.

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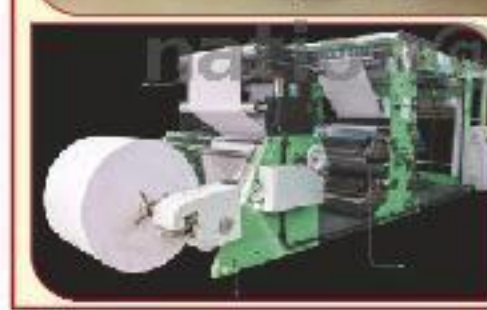
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Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with the acceptance of God's will to announce the demise of Barnabas Omwocha Mwebi. Son of the late Mwebi and the late Kwamboka Mwebi. Son-in-law of the late Orwaru Ogonyo & the late Mondesta Kemuma.

Husband of the late Mama Priscah Kerubo.

Father of Peter Gichana, James Omwocha (Gusii Mwalimu Sacco), Moraa, Mellen (H/T, Tambacha) the late Gladys, Mondesta, Nicholas, & Teresia.

Father-in-law of Norah Bochere, Susan Mwangi (Kisii county), Peristah Kwamboka, James Nyameta, the late Nicholas Oyaro, the late Moku Kibagendi, Peterson Asuma and Jared.

Brother of the late Paul Kinanga, the late Ogembo, the late Nyang'au, the late Mwangi Mbenche and the late Anyuri Okwena.

Brother-in-law of the late Omangi Orwaru, the late Mose Orwaru, the late Nyabato.

Korera of Daniel Atemba, Ondiba Nyambare, Omatia, the late Nyamweno, the late Kibagendi, the late Ndumu and Nyameta.

Cousin of Robinson Ombwori, the late Ondiere, Nelson Ongwa, Zachariah Omwocha, the late Ondeu Gesumwa, the late Arande and Omwocha.

Uncle of Omariba Mbeche, Osinde, Gichana, David, Moriasi, Siro and the late Mokeira.

Grandfather of Beatrice, Amwoma, Maureen, Douglas, Vincent, Nyaboe, Vera, Renah, Brian, Akama, Obwaya, Sabina, Lewis, Lydia, Aggrey, Ian, Onsomu, Marion.

Great grandfather of Knight, Nyakundi, Oliphia, Shannel, Karani, Nyakundi, Nicholas, Nicole and Natasha.

The body leaves Kisii Teaching and Referral Hospital (KTRH) Morgue today, Monday 28th July 2025.

The send off ceremony will be held on Tuesday, 29th July 2025 at Marani field stadium after which the interment at his home in Mwanwebi Sombogo village, Mwanonari Location, Sensi Ward, Marani, Kisii County on the same day.



Barnabas Omwocha Mwebi
Sunrise: 1934 Sunset: 14.07.2025

Celebration Of A Life Well Lived

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce promotion to glory of Lydiah Waireri Gikandi of Kibingoti, Kirinyaga County.

Daughter of the late Johnstone Gikandi Kamwaro and Eunice Wangari Gikandi.

Mother of James Gatama and Johnstone Gikandi. Mother in love of Jane Gathoni Gatama and Bertha Gikandi.

Grandmother of Jimmy, Kiboi, Gikandi, Michael and Christine. Great grandmother of Jeremy.

Sister of the late Kamwaro, late Kimunyu, late Loise, late Faith, late Annah, late Karingithi, late Watiri, late Marion, late Bilha Kirathe and A.J. Kariuki, Charity Wanjohi and Grace Macharia.

Family and friends are meeting daily at her home in Kiamuongo village, starting at 4.00 p.m. and at All Saints Cathedral Hall in Nairobi on Monday 28th and Tuesday 29th for prayers and burial preparations.

The cortege will leave P.C.E.A Tumutumu Mission Hospital on Thursday 31st July, 2025 at 9.00 a.m. Thereafter, burial will take place at her home in Kiamuongo Village, Kibingoti, Kirinyaga County.

Till we meet again, Bye Bye.



Lydiah Waireri Gikandi
Born: 1942
Died: 22/7/2025

What is lovely
NEVER DIES,
but passes
into another
LOVELINESS.

- Thomas Bailey Aldrich



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In Loving Memory of

It is with deep sadness and humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the passing of Professor Vitalice Kalecha Oduol who departed on Sunday, 20th July, 2025.

Son of the late Mzee George Onyango Aliech and the late Mama Angeline Osewe of Komanje Village, Siaya County. Professor Oduol was a revered Professor of Electrical Engineering at the University of Nairobi.

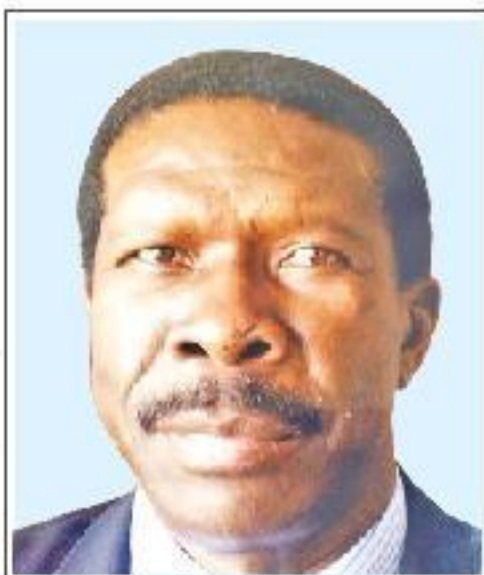
He was a devoted husband of Mrs. Susline Oduol and loving Father of John, Joshua and Emmanuel. Son in-law of the late Mzee James and Mama Mary Manyala.

Brother of Christopher, Consolata, Fredrick, Nelly, the late Maurice and the late Alice.

The funeral service will take place on Thursday 7th August, 2025 at Nairobi Baptist Church - Ngong Road at 10.00am. Burial service will take place on Saturday 9th August, 2025 at Yenga Village in Obambo, Central Alego, Siaya County from 10.00am.

Daily Prayers and meetings are being held at Loresho Ridge Estate. A main fundraiser will be held on Sunday 3rd August, 2025 at the same venue from 3.00pm. Contributions can also be sent to Paybill Number 8023980, Account Number: Your Name

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. – 2 Timothy 4:7



Professor Vitalice Kalecha Oduol

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with deep sorrow but firm hope in the resurrection morning that we announce the peaceful passing of Lauryn Nyaboke Makori, who fell asleep in Jesus on 16th July 2025.

Lauryn was the beloved daughter of Advocate James T. Makori and Dr. Hildah Oburu. Sister to Amy Moraa, Sheena Kerubo and Jonathan Omuya.

She was the treasured granddaughter of Benjamin Makori and the late Josephine Nyaboke of Tombe, and of Davison Kibegwa Oburu, Ruth Kerubo Oburu, and Alice Kemunto Oburu.

Lauryn was a dearly loved niece of the late David, Zipporah, Eunice, Walter, the late Douglas, John, Lilian Kemuma, Asande Ogeto, Edna, Lewis, Regina, Cineth, Nelly, Raymond, Mercy, and Seth.

She was a beloved cousin of many, including Dr. Atuya, Babu, Brian, Nyaboke, Prudence, Kemuma, Obonyo, Ashley, Rangl, Ontobo, Gait, Bathsheba, Edel, Lesley, Lionel, Livia, Kyle, Keila, Kaylee, Ashley, Tiffany, Amanda, Tatiana, Michael, Gabriela, Isaac, Annette, Anne Viola, Peter, Kate, Terence, Alyssa, Frank, Ruth, Israel, Loanne, Mary, Elsie, Enosh, Ivan, and Arianna.

Lauryn was pursuing a degree in Economics and Statistics at the University of Nairobi and an alumnus of The Kenya High School, Class of 2020, fondly known as "SDA One." She is survived by her loving parents, siblings, grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins, church family, and many dear friends who will forever cherish her memory and the legacy of light she leaves behind.

A fundraising to offset hospital and funeral expenses will be held on **Tuesday, 29th July 2025 at the Nairobi Central SDA Church (Maxwell) , Old Sanctuary, (opposite EACC) at 5.30 PM.**

A memorial service will be held on **Wednesday, 30th July 2025, at 12:00 PM at New Life SDA Church, 5th Ngong Avenue, Nairobi.** The cortege departs Lee Funeral Home on **Thursday 31st July at 7:00 AM** for her parents' home in Riensune - Nyansiongo, Nyamira County, where the burial service will take place on **Friday 1st August 2025.**

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord... they will rest from their labour, for their deeds will follow them." – Revelation 14:13



Lauryn Nyaboke Makori

Celebration of life

It is with deep sorrow and humble acceptance of God that we announce the passing of Mzee Julius Kamande Mwangi which occurred on 23rd July, 2025.

Son of the late Francis Mwangi Matathi and the late Beth Wagiatha Mwangi.

He was the loving husband of Veronica Njoki Kamande and father of Beth Njeri, Joyce Muthoni, Esther Wamaitha, Mary Njeri and Susan Wanjiru.

He was father-in-law of Martin Thuku, Bernard Gachie, Hillary Wanjohi and Anthony Njoroge.

Brother of the late Esther; the late Wachira, Eunice, Wambui, Beatrice and Wamwea.

Beloved grandfather of Wangechi, Wangare, Njoroge, Njoki, Wanjugu, Wanjohi, Kamande, Wambui and Hazel.

The cortege leaves Montezuma Monalisa Funeral Home, Kabati, Thika Road on 30th July 2025 at 9.00 am for funeral service and burial thereafter to held at his home Maragwa Ridge, Muranga County.

In God's arms you rest and in our hearts you forever remain.



Mzee Julius Kamande Mwangi

Death and Funeral Announcement

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Mr. Peter Wahinya Muiruri on 16th July 2025 after a brave battle with kidney complications.

Son of the late Muiruri Gitaka and Njeri Muiruri.

Loving husband of the late Lucy Njeri Mbuthia-Wahinya.

Adoring dad of Leonard Muiruri and Angela Wahinya.

Father-in-law of Tony Njoroge. A doting grand-dad of Tegan, Wahinya and Njeri.

Brother of Njau Muiruri, Jane, Kimuhu, Kariuki, Muthoni, Njoroge, and the late Njenga.

Brother-in-law of Lawrence Mbuthia, Gerald, Mary, Kiuru, among others.

He was a dear uncle and a friend of many.

There will be a Memorial Service at their residence in Igeganja, Mang'u on Tuesday 29th July 2025 at 2.00pm.

The cortege leaves Montezuma Monalisa- Kabati on Friday 1st August 2025 at 8:30am followed by Holy Mass at St Mary's Catholic Church Igeganja, Mangu at 12.00pm. He will be laid to rest at his farm in Igeganja, Mangu Location.

Matthew 11:28- "Come to me all who are weary and burdened and I'll give you rest"



Peter Wahinya Muiruri

Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail.

~ Ralph Waldo Emerson ~

Celebration of a Life Well Lived

It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing on of our beloved Patriarch Elder (Rtd) Charles Jasper Marangu Silas.

He was the son of the late Silas Mwirabua and the late Charity Nkinga of Kamenchu Village, Makuri Sub-location, Tharaka Nithi County.

He was loving husband of the late Neleah Kaimuri.

Devoted father of Fred Kibaara, Lucy Gatakaa, Dorothy Kawira, Dan Kithinji, Jones Kaunda, Nicholas Mutua, Eric Munene, Enid Kageni and Jediel Muriuki.

Father-in-law of Ann Kibaara, the late Ntwiga, Simoneta Muthoni, Ann Kanini, Terry Makena, Fridah Kanana, the late Fredrick Mwenda, Susan Njoki.

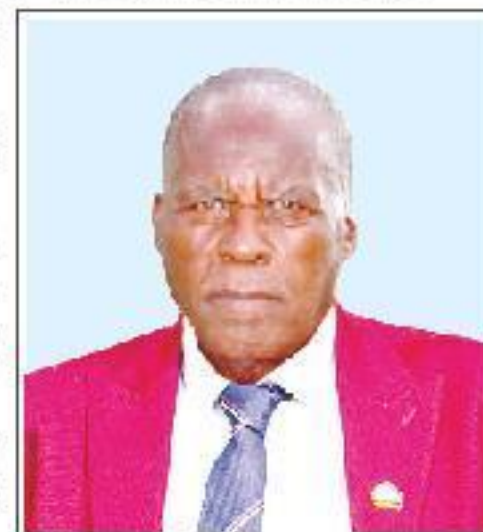
Doting grandfather of Kelvin Mwenda, Fridah Mukami, Rose, Arnold, Angela, Mwende, Muthomi, Gakii, Kathoni, Eugene, Angela, Dennis, Vera, the late Shana Kanana, Murimi, Barbara, Myra Cindi, Te Mukami, Tejay, Shantel, Ray Murihi, Derrick, Ted Mutuma, Jayden Muthomi and Jayson Kariuki.

He was great grandfather of Stacy, Jaida, Melvin, Isaiah, Valerie, Saint, Muriuki, Mutuma, Ethan, Myles, Lianna. Brother and brother-in-law of many.

Family and friends are meeting daily at his home in Kamenchu Village, Makuri Sub-location at 4.30 pm daily for prayers and funeral arrangements.

The cortege leaves PCEA Chogoria Hospital mortuary on 30th July 2025. The funeral service will take place at PCEA Makuri Church grounds. He will be interred at his home thereafter.

We will not say Goodbye, we give thanks for a life well lived with purpose and generosity.



Elder (Rtd) Charles Jasper Marangu Silas
Sunrise: 9th July, 1938
Sunset: 18th July, 2025

Gone Too Soon

It is with profound shock and sadness that we announce the untimely demise of Paul Kaigongi Mwito.

Son of the late George Mwito M'erimba and Agnes Akou Mwito, Husband of Grace Mwamaitha, Father of Linus Kimathi, Abigail Makena Agnes and Anaya Paul.

Cherished brother to Jacob Mwito (BSN Man Kangeta), Mercy Mwito (Dr Thika), Kinoti Mwito (BSN Man Kangeta), Romano Mwito (MD MeRuWASCO), Kawira Mwito (BSN Lady Narok), Daniel Mwito (BSN Man Kangeta), Mathew Mwito (Njia junior Sec), Winfred Mwito (Guardian Health Care EMBU) and Ezekiel Mwito.

The committee, friends, and family are meeting daily at Mwito's family Home in Kangeta, His home in Ruiru Eastern Bypass Kamakis next to Mutonya Ack Church and on Tuesday there will be a meeting at Homeland inn Thika road.

The burial is scheduled for Friday, 1st August 2025. The cottage leaves cool breeze funeral home at 8:30 am for a burial service at Kangeta Catholic Church and later laying of wreaths and burial rites at home kangeta.

Psalm 4:8 "In peace I will lie down and sleep, for you alone Lord, make me dwell in safety"

Paul, your life was a blessing to many, your memory a treasure.

Gone from our sight, but never from our hearts.



Paul Kaigongi Mwito
Sunrise 29/09/1990 Sunset 21/07/2025

Death and Funeral Announcement



Jose Wanjiru Kiambo

It is with humble acceptance of God's will that we announce the passing of Jose Wanjiru Kiambo after a short hospitalisation.

Jose hailed from Kirichu Village, Nyeri County. She had retired of Kamugunda Village in Kirinyaga County. She was the daughter of the late Paul Wambugu Kariamburi and the late Eliza Muthoni. She was wife of the late Paul Kiambo. Loving mother of the late Wanjiku Kiambo and Muciri Kiambo. She was also the sister of the late Grace Wanja Kimotho, the late Rose Nyamathira Mbuki, Gerald K Wambugu and late Charles Maina Wambugu. She was a beloved aunt of Eddy Mwangi and many others. She was also an adored cousin to many.

Jose was a UK trained midwife and worked most of her professional life at Coast General Hospital in Mombasa.

Viewing of the body shall take place on 30th July 2025 at 8.00am at Kibugi Funeral Home in Kutus town after which the funeral procession shall proceed to Kamugunda Village PCEA Emmanuel Church, Thumaita, Nyangeni Parish for the funeral service which shall start at 10.00am. Her earthly remains shall be interred at her farm in Kamugunda Village after the church service.

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Mwanambeyu Girls High School players train at the school grounds on July 19 in preparation for Kenya Secondary Schools Sports Association Term Two Games. **ABDULRAHMAN SHERIFF / NATION**

Coast's Mwanambeyu Girls on football mission in Kakamega

BY ABDULRAHMAN SHERIFF

Newly crowned Coast region girls' football champions, Mwanambeyu Girls High School hope to replicate their red-hot form when they compete in Secondary Schools national championships for the very first time.

The Kenya Secondary Schools Sports Association (KSSSA) Term Two national games will be held in Kakamega from today till Saturday.

Mwanambeyu Girls High School's team manager, Samuel Karanja said his game plan is to fight and enter the semi-finals stage so as to automatically qualify for East Africa secondary school games, then fight on from there.

"We're not going to Kakamega just to make up the numbers, we hope to do well with a view to qualifying for East Africa school games which will also take place in Kakamega from August 23 to 27," Karanja observed.

Karanja said that although it is the first time his school is competing at the national stage, he hopes to replicate the team's good performance so far this term when they compete in Kakamega. The school swept aside opponents right from Matuga Sub-county championships, at Kwale County championships, and in Coast Region games.

"We started preparing for this year's games in January last year, and that is the reason for our success. At every stage, my girls have gained adequate experience and they are genuine title contenders at the national championships," Karanja said of his team's achievements.

He said the good results his team has posted came about as a result of good motivation and support from the school's head

teacher Bahati Gattana.

Mwanambeyu Girls High School also have experienced women's football coach, Joseph Oyoo to thank for their success on the pitch. Oyoo has previously taken St John's Girls High from Kilifi, and Kwale Girls to the East Africa school games.

"I see some of Mwanambeyu's players playing professional football in the future," Oyoo said. He has nurtured national women's football players, among them striker Mwanahalima Adams who plays professional football in the United States, and Lucy Kwekwe who plays for Kenyan league champions Kenya Police Bullets, unattached player Essie Akida Mbeyu, among others.

The school's games master, Maxwell Wamba has seen the team grow from strength to strength under the guidance of coach Oyoo and goalkeepers' trainer Michael 'Wenger' Kalume.

In Coast region secondary schools Term Two games held in Mpeketoni early this month, Mwanambeyu were drawn in Pool 'A' and beat Witu Mjini from Lamu 14-0, and drew 0-0 with both with Kachoroni (Kilifi) and Kajire Secondary (Taita Taveta) to reach the semi-finals. In the semi-finals, they beat favourites Moi Forces Girls Academy 3-1 on penalties after a 1-1 draw after 120 minutes of play to reach the final.

In the final, Mwanambeyu became a darling of the fans for their entertaining football, and beat Kachoroni 4-2 in a repeat of their Pool 'A' encounter.

In the match, Mwanambeyu recovered from 2-0 down in the first 20 minutes to deservedly win. The team's striker Rehema Chirindo emerged Most Valuable Player of the tournament with 10 goals.

Secondary Schools National Games Kakamega hosts week-long championships

Kakamega comes alive as teams arrive for games

Nyanza region representatives Agai Secondary among the first teams to arrive for championship



Retired footballers join Deputy Chief of Staff in the Office of the President Eliud Owalo (third, left) in presenting track suits and kits to Agai Secondary School players on Friday at the school grounds in Kisumu ahead of secondary schools Term Two national championships. **PHOTO / POOL**

BY AGNES MAKHANDIA

"We are here for business," those were the words of Agai Secondary School's football team coach and principal Gordon Akoko upon arrival at Masinde Muliro University Science and Technology (MMUST).

Rank outsiders Agai from Kisumu County who shocked everyone at Kisumu region championships, were among the first teams to arrive in Kakamega yesterday ahead of the Kenya Secondary School Sports Association (KSSSA) Term Two national games that will be held from tomorrow in various venues across Kakamega County.

The games, that will feature football, volleyball, rugby sevens, basketball 3-on-3, netball and racket sports will run from tomorrow through to Sunday this week.

day this week.

Boys will camp at MMUST, while girls teams will put up at the Sacred Heart Mukumu Girls High School.

Agai are making their maiden appearance at the annual event, having defeated Kisumu Day Secondary School 2-0 in Nyanza region games. Akoko said it was exciting to be drawn in the same group as Western region champions Musingu High School.

"We are here for business, and our business is to win the national title and proceed to the East Africa games. Although we have not played them before, we know Musingu very well. It's a dynamic team, and we can't wait to play them. They have invited us for friendly matches, but we have not been able to honour the invitations. I'm not new to this stage as a coach, having guided former na-

tional champions Thur Gem Secondary School at this stage before I left for Agai, so I'm ready to use the exposure and experience to our advantage," said Akoko.

"The players are new at this stage but they understand what awaits them and they know the reason they are here. We will not underestimate any team. Our objective is to first qualify for the semifinal, then plan for the next stage. I also have a supporting technical bench in Paul Ododa who helped me start this team two years ago, and I'm happy the patience has finally paid off. The players are ready for the showdown. We thank God we have arrived safely in Kakamega and we can't wait for the games to start," he added.

The top two teams in the two pools will proceed to the semifinals.

Agai are in Pool "A" with Moi High

School, Musingu High School and Garissa High. Pool "B" has Highway Secondary School, Kirangari School, Serani Secondary, and St Joseph's Boys Kitale.

At the same time, Serani High School boys' football team from Mombasa County are optimistic of rising to the occasion this time round, having faltered in previous editions of the games. Serani from Mombasa County arrived at MMUST yesterday, having spent the night at Machakos Boys High School, having left Mombasa on Saturday. Serani beat Tonoka 5-4 on penalties after a 1-1 draw in regular time in Coast region games.

Meanwhile, students from various schools across Coast Region yesterday escaped unhurt after school bus they were traveling in got a tire burst along Kapsabet road in Nandi County.

KCB keep Driftwood 7s title in Mombasa

BY WACHIRA MWANGI

Champions KCB Bank beat Strathmore Leos 15-14 in a closely-contested final to retain the 2025 Driftwood 7s title at Mombasa Sports Club yesterday.

The bankers, who were in ruthless form throughout the tournament, held off a late surge by the university side to lift their second consecutive title. Earlier, KCB had dismantled Menengai Oilers 29-0 in the quarter-finals before dispatching arch-ri-

vals Kabras Sugar in the semi-finals to book their place in the final.

Kabras, who had breezed past MMUST 31-0 in the last eight, finished third after overcoming Nakuru RFC 21-10 in the bronze final.

Wanyore (Nakuru RFC) had earlier stunned Kenya Harlequins 19-17 in the quarters but fell short against a clinical Leos side in the semi-finals.

The Driftwood 7s once again lived up to its billing, rekindling the fierce KCB-Kabras rivalry that has dominated the local rugby scene. Both

sides were favourites heading into the tournament, but it was the Bankers' composure under pressure that sealed the title.

In the lower-tier matches, Mwamba RFC endured a torrid campaign, finishing last after a 17-5 defeat to Kabarak in the 13th-place playoff. Hosts Mombasa RFC (Stallions) also failed to impress, losing 10-0 to Blak Blad in the same category, much to the disappointment of home fans. Impala RFC won the Challenger Trophy.

Kakamega teams urged to shine on home soil

BY SHABAN MAKOKHA

Governor Fernandes Barasa has urged teams from Kakamega County to fly the region's flag high at Kenya Secondary Schools Sports Association Term Two national championship so as to qualify to play in the East African games.

Speaking yesterday when he flagged off teams from Kakamega County that will compete in the championship, Barasa challenged the teams to carry the county's flag high.

Kakamega will host this year's secondary schools Term Two national games from July 27 to August 2.

The five-day sporting extravaganza brings together schools from various regions competing in various disciplines including football, volleyball, rugby, handball, tennis, hockey.

Kakamega County will field teams in football, volleyball, rugby, basketball and racket games.

The event will be staged at the Mumias Sports Complex, Kakamega High, St Ignatius Mukumu Boys High School, St Peter's Mumias Boys High School and at Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology (Mmust).

Governor Barasa said the county was ready to host the national championship, as well as the East Africa school games mid-August.

"The basketball court at Kakamega Police Canteen grounds has been done, water has been connected and toilets renovated. Work on the lawn tennis court at Kakamega School is being finalised and we are doing the markings," said Mr Barasa.

He said Mumias Sports Complex, which will host crucial matches with a large fan base and the national finals, has also been renovated by the county government.

"It is one of our responsibilities to invest in sports infrastructure. Bukhungu stadium is undergoing construction but it will host the East Africa school games. In the next one week, we shall have upgraded the pitch to international standards with artificial turf," he said.

Mr Barasa assured visiting guests of security and safety.

He added: "This event is essential for the prosperity of our county because it will spur growth. I therefore ensure the total safety of the visitors. We are working closely with the police and they have assured me that they are on course to ensure the safety of all."

He was speaking at Kakamega Golf Hotel, when he flagged off the teams.

Golf Golfers make major strides to position themselves to qualify for 2028 Olympic Games

Sparkling Snow toasts to Tour victory in Limuru

Muthaiga Club player attributes his success in second leg of PGK Equator tournament to regular play

BY LARRY NGALA

Muthaiga Golf Club's Greg Snow has attributed his success in the second leg of Professional Golfers of Kenya (PGK) Equator Tour at Limuru Country Club to regular play, and long hours of practice.

He clinched his first victory in the recently introduced Tour which is aimed at equipping local pros to position themselves to qualify for the 2028 Olympic Games in Los Angeles.

Despite picking up a bogey at the 17th hole and a triple bogey seven earlier at the 12th, Snow still completed a 72-hole total of 12 under par 276, to beat another top professional, Njoroge Kibugu of Windsor, by two shots.

"Since the two pro tours were launched (Sunshine Development Tour East Africa Swing and PGK Equator Tour), we have been playing regularly which has in a way improved our performance greatly. It has meant also putting up extra hours of practice in order to take on the other players," said Snow after his victory at Limuru.

Snow also attributed the excellent scores from most of the players to the great condition of the Limuru Country Club.

"For us to prepare well for major events like the Magical Kenya Open, we need to play in course which are as good as Muthaiga during the Magical Kenya Open. The condition at Limuru gave every player a chance to play well, hence the good scores we saw here today," he added.

He set off in the morning with a strong foundation of three birdies and an eagle which saw him jump to 16 under par at one stage. He registered a bogey at the ninth, and a triple bogey seven at the par four-12th shook him a bit but he picked up two birdies towards the end of the round, to wind up the tournament with a final round score of two under par 70, having



Greg Snow poses for a photo with the Equator Golf Tour trophy and shield yesterday at Limuru Country Club. PHOTO | POOL

2028

Year the city of Los Angeles will host the Olympic Games. Golf will be part of the programme

carded 68, 67, and a 71.

If Snow were playing in a tournament like the Magical Kenya Open, he would have landed in the top four positions.

"I am all set now for back-to-back events in the Sunshine Development Tour (East Africa Swing) at Nyali Golf Club, and at Diamonds Leisure in Diani in the next two weeks," Snow, whose victory earned him Sh201,000 and 1,000 points which moves him to the top of the PGK Equator Tour Order of Merit with a total of 13301 points, said.

Kibugu on the other also shot two under par 70, for a total of 10 under par 278, a

score which earned him Sh165,000 plus 600 points for a tour order of merit total of 1,100 points. Kibugu who said he was off golf for two weeks because of injuries, attributed his great performance on the Limuru course, plus the top performance by the other players.

"I knew to win here one had to play a serious golf because most of the players are now playing well" said Kibugu who said he is looking forward for the two events at Nyali and Leisure Lodge.

First round leader Mohit Mediratta shot four under par 68 to finish in third place on eight under par total of 280.

Starlets players Adhiambo, Shilwatso join Simba

BY TOTO AREGE

Tanzania Women's Premier League giants Simba Queens have acquired the services of Harumbee Starlets midfielders Fasilah Adhiambo and Cynthia Shilwatso.

Simba team manager Selman Makanya confirmed to *Nation Sport* on Saturday that the two will join the team in two-year deals, with the option for an extension upon expiry.

"The signings are part of the team's restructuring ahead of the new season, which kicks off in a month. As part of the preparations, we also parted ways with 11 players, including three Kenyans, and we wish them all the best," said Makanya.

The 19-year-old Adhiambo joins the team from Football Kenya Federation Women's Premier League (FKF-WPL) side Ulinzi Starlets, where she has played since 2023.

"This new challenge is part of growth in football. I'm excited about the deal; it's a big achievement for me, and the financial benefits are also good," Adhiambo, who previously played for the now-defunct Kangemi Ladies, said. The former Dagoretti Mixed Secondary School student will link up with the team on August 15 for pre-season tour.

On the other hand, Shilwatso is familiar with the Tanzanian league, having played for league side Fountain Gates Princess in the 2023/24 season before her



Cynthia Shilwatso (right) has joined Simba Queens in Tanzania.

free transfer to Turkish Women's Premier League side Beşiktaş on a one-year renewable deal last November. She previously played

for FKF-WPL's four-time champions Vihiga Queens, winning three consecutive titles (2017, 2018, and 2019), FC Kryvbas (Ukraine), and

EDF Logrono B (Spain).

Simba has released 11 players, including Starlets striker Jentrix Shikangwa, defender Wincate Kaari who now returns to Simba's rivals Yanga Princess, and goalkeeper Caroline Rufaa.

The club is also home to Starlets midfielder Corazone Aquino and defender Ruth Ingotsi and winger Elizabeth Wambui. Ingotsi is the longest-serving Kenyan players at Simba, having joined in 2022. Founded nine years ago, Simba Queens are the most successful club in the Tanzanian league. They have won four league titles, same as current champions Jeshi la Kujenga Taifa (JKT) Queens. Simba won 2022 Ceca Women's Champions League and pled in the CAF Women's Champions League.

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Nigeria rally from behind to win Africa title



Nigeria players celebrate with the 2025 Women's Africa Cup of Nations trophy. PHOTO: POOL

RABAT

Nigeria staged a remarkable fightback from two goals down to beat hosts Morocco 3-2 and win the Women's Africa Cup of Nations on Saturday.

It was a record extending 10th triumph for Nigeria, confirming their status as the most successful women's team in Africa.

Esther Okoronkwo and Folashade Ijamusi led the fight back at Rabat's Stade Olympique before substitute Jennifer Echegini swept home an 88th minute winner. Morocco skipper Ghizlane Chebbak and dribbling winger Sanaa Mssoudy scored in the first half hour to see the home team take a surprise lead as they sought to become only the fourth country to take the continental title after Nigeria, Equatorial Guinea and South Africa.

A capacity crowd saw Chebbak increase her tournament tally to five goals as she fired home from the edge of the area in the 12th minute after Nigeria had failed to clear properly. Mssoudy's goal came 12 minutes later, after Morocco striker Ibtissam Jraidi had crashed into centre back Marvis Ohale and the ball spilled out for Mssoudy to cut in and finish, but the referee determined there was no foul play and let the second goal stand.

Nigeria dominated play thereafter and forced a succession of set pieces but it took some good fortune to begin their comeback. Ijamusi's cross struck defender Nouhaila Benzina on the hand but Nigeria were only awarded a penalty after a VAR review. Okoronkwo tucked away the spot kick to reduce the score in the 64th minute.

Seven minutes later they were level as Okoronkwo powered her way through the Morocco defence before unselfishly squaring for Ijamusi to tap the ball home.

Morocco were then awarded a penalty with 10 minutes remaining in another contentious handball call but this was overturned after the referee was asked to review. A crestfallen home team were then caught out as Echegini raced onto the ball and tucked it away from close range for a dramatic winner. Nigeria have now won 10 of the 13 editions of the tournament and re-established their continental dominance after having ceded the title to South Africa at the last edition in 2022. (Reuters)



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5 days to go



Football Kenya to co-host 2024 African Nations Championship with Tanzania and Uganda

Morocco first team to arrive in Nairobi for championship

The Atlas Lions will play in Group 'A' with Kenya, Zambia, Angola, and the Democratic Republic of Congo



Harambee Stars players in training at Nyayo National Stadium in Nairobi on July 23. The team is preparing for the 2024 Caf African Nations Championship. CHRIS OMOLLO | NATION

BY CECIL ODONGO AND AGENCIES

Kenya's Group 'A' opponents, the Atlas Lions of Morocco, were due in Nairobi last night for the 2024 African Nations Championship (Chan).

Two-time champions Morocco will play in Group 'A' of the tournament alongside Kenya, the 2009 and 2016 champions the Democratic Republic of Congo Democratic Republic of Congo, Zambia, and Angola. The teams will be based at the Moi International Sports Centre, Kasarani.

Kenya enters a crucial week today as teams start arriving for the 19-team biennial tournament, which will run from August 2 to 30.

Morocco, who lifted the Chan title in 2018 and 2020, are among the 19 teams, which will compete in this year's edition of the biennial competition exclusively reserved for players featuring in their respective domestic leagues.

Morocco will be the first team to arrive in Nairobi for the competition. Yesterday, the team shared a photo of the players se-



Harambee Stars coach Benni McCarthy. CHRIS OMOLLO | NATION

lected for the assignment aboard a charter flight, announcing their departure for Kenya.

"Our national team delegation of local-based players heads to Kenya," the team said in a statement on X, accompanied by a photo of smiling players inside the plane. Morocco's coach Tarik Sektioui

on Wednesday named a 28-man squad for the assignment. The team is dominated by players from African powerhouses like RS Berkane, Raja Casablanca, Wydad Casablanca, and AS FAR, giving Morocco a big pool of seasoned professionals to choose from. Notably, six players from newly crowned Moroccan league

champions Berkane make the list, including standouts like Abdelhak Assal, Ayoub Khairi, and Reda Hajji. Adding a touch of international pedigree, two senior national team players have been included — Youssef Belammari (Raja Casablanca), who has earned six caps and was recently involved in Morocco's A-team matches, as well as goalkeeper Rachid Ghanimi (FUS Rabat) who won Olympic bronze and the Under-23 Afcon title in 2023. Sektioui, 47, said their target is to win the title. If they succeed, Morocco will be the most successful team in the history of Chan.

"We've selected players with the right experience and mentality for a competition like Chan," Sektioui said.

"Many of them play regularly in top-tier continental club competitions, and we believe their cohesion and tactical discipline will serve us well."

Morocco will begin their Chan campaign against Angola on August 3 at Nyayo National Stadium. They will next face Kenya on August 10 at Kasarani Stadium, and play Zambia on August 14 at Nyayo National Stadium.