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CORRIGENDA

IN Gazette Notice No. 3468 of 2026, *amend* the proprietor's name printed as "Richard Thairu Kiuhu" to *read* "Richard Thairu Hiuhu".

IN Gazette Notice No. 93 of 2026, *amend* the proprietor's name printed as "Hilary Mvvangi Kamore" to *read* "(1) Hilary Mwangi Kamore and add (3) Peter Macharia Kamore".

IN Gazette Notice No. 7341 of 2012, Cause No. 84 of 2012, *amend* the date of death printed as "12th November, 2012" to *read* "24th April, 2012".

IN Gazette Notice No. 16417 of 2025, *amend* the expression printed as "Cause No. E281 of 2025" to *read* "Cause No. E281 of 2024".

IN Gazette Notice No. 13067 of 2025, Cause No. E315 of 2025, *amend* the deceased's name printed as "Umakant Maneklal Khamar alias Umakant Manekial Khamar" to *read* "Umakant Maneklal Khamar alias Umakant Maneklal Khamar".

IN Gazette Notice No. 18379 of 2025, *delete* the name printed as "Charles Mwachondo Ngala" and insert "Barka Ali Mohamed" as the member of the Kilifi Municipality Board.

IN Gazette Notice No. 6811 of 2025, Cause No. E59 of 2025, *amend* the petitioner's name printed as "Regina Njambi Mburu, the deceased's widow" to *read* "Joseph Njoroge Mburu, the deceased's son".

IN Gazette Notice No. 1973 of 2026, Cause No. E24 of 2025, *amend* the expression printed as "intestate" to *read* "testate".

IN Gazette Notice No. 2836 of 2026, *amend* the expression printed as "Cause No. E16 of 2025" to *read* "Cause No. E16 of 2026".

IN Gazette Notice No. 13275 of 2025, Cause No. E132 of 2025, *amend* the expression printed as "for a grant of letters of intestate" to *read* "for a grant of letters of testate".

IN Gazette Notice No. 110 of 2026, Cause No. E650 of 2025, *amend* the deceased's name printed as "Cecelia Wangu Thiga" to *read* "Cecilia Wangu Thiga".

IN Gazette Notice No. 16759 of 2024, *delete* the name printed as "Barka Ali Mohamed" and *insert* "Charles Mwachondo Ngala" as the member of the Mtwapa Municipality Board.

IN Gazette Notice No. 45 of 2026, *amend* the name under section 4 (1) (f) printed as "Mumina Guyo Shibia (DR.)" to *read* "Edger Sakwa Kamama (Dr.)".

IN Gazette Notice No. 1863 of 2023, Cause No. E109 of 2023, *amend* the deceased's name printed as "Gothard Kamande Gitau" to *read* "Gothard Kamau Gitau".

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4238

THE CONSTITUTION OF KENYA

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by Article 132 (2) (e) of the Constitution, I, William Samoei Ruto, President of the Republic of Kenya and Commander-in-Chief of the Defence Forces, appoint—

KOSIOM FRANK OLE KIBELEKENYA

as an Ambassador within the Foreign Service of the Republic of Kenya.

Dated the 23rd March, 2026.

WILLIAM SAMOEI RUTO,
President.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4239

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
THE NATIONAL ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL
AMENDMENT

PURSUANT to Gazette Notice No. 7699 of 2004, I, William Samoei Ruto, President of the Republic of Kenya and Commander-in-Chief of the Defence Forces, *amends* the said Gazette Notice:

(a) In paragraph (1)

(i) By deleting the introductory portion thereto and substituting therefor the following—

(1) The National Economic and Social Council will be chaired by the President, or in the absence of the President, by the Prime Cabinet Secretary who shall be the convenor of the Council meetings, or in the absence of both the representative from the private sector appointed by the President.

The Council shall comprise of the following:

(i) By deleting paragraph (b) and substituting therefor the following—

(b) The Prime Cabinet Secretary

(ii) By inserting the following sub-paragraphs immediately after sub-paragraph (b)

(ba) The Prime Cabinet Secretary – First Vice-Chairperson and Convenor

(bb) A representative from the private sector.

(bc) The Cabinet Secretaries responsible for matters relating to; -

(i) Foreign Affairs;

(ii) The National Treasury;

(iii) Education;

(viii) Investments, Trade and Industry;

(ii) By deleting paragraph (d) and substituting therefor the following—

i. Up to fifteen (15) Members, comprising local and international experts. All experts shall be of the highest repute, with demonstrably distinguished careers in business, economics, engineering and other sciences, public service, administration and planning or civil society, and drawn from diverse professional and disciplinary backgrounds;

ii. Cabinet Secretaries for the National Treasury and Economic Planning; Foreign Affairs; Investment, Trade and Industry and Education shall serve as *Ex-Officio* members.

iii. Other Cabinet Secretaries and Principal Secretaries may attend, as directed by His Excellency the President, when their participation is deemed necessary for effective deliberations of the subjects under the agenda;

(iii) By deleting paragraph (f)

(iv) By deleting paragraph (h)

(v) By deleting paragraph (i)

2. By deleting sub-paragraph (a) to (g) and substituting therefor the following;

- (a) To advise His Excellency the President and the Cabinet on economic and social policy, including the articulation of long-term goals and the identification of appropriate strategies for their attainment;
- (b) To propose a long-term national development framework, Vision Centenary, that transforms present challenges into building blocks toward the nation's long-term goals, thereby positioning Kenya for inclusive development, shared prosperity, and a legacy worthy of its centenary of independence;
- (c) To deliberate with originality, ingenuity, and foresight, and to propose innovative initiatives across strategic sectors vital to national development and wealth creation, including energy, water, health, education, infrastructure, industry, agriculture and digital technology;
- (d) To advise on social and governance priorities, including addressing joblessness particularly providing decent jobs among young Kenyans, eradicating corruption, reducing inequalities between the rich and the poor as well as across regions, and empowering marginalized communities;
- (e) To advise on debt management and resource mobilization through innovative financing strategies;
- (f) To advise on the blue economy, climate change and green growth, sustainable management of natural resources, and the protection of wildlife; in accordance with Kenya's constitutional obligation to protect the environment for present and future generations; and
- (g) To render such advice, opinions, and recommendations on any other matter of an economic or social nature referred to it by the President, the Cabinet, or Parliament.

3. By inserting the following paragraphs 3 (d) immediately after subparagraph (c) the following:

- (d) Shall prepare, publish and publicize bi-annual reports.
- (e) Subject to existing laws, the Council shall have access to such data and information as may be necessary to perform its function.

By deleting Paragraph (4(1)) and substituting therefor the following –

The Secretariat of the Council shall be based at the Office of the Prime Cabinet Secretary, P.O. Box 30551–00100, Nairobi and shall consist of: -

- (a) a Secretary appointed by the President who shall be the Chief Executive Officer of the Council, responsible to the Council in carrying out the functions set out in paragraph (2); and
- (b) such other divisions of the Secretariat as may be found to be necessary for the performance of its functions, which shall be under the supervision of the Chief Executive Officer; and
- (c) such other officers, staff or agents as may be necessary for the discharge of the functions and duties of the Secretariat.

By inserting Paragraph 4 the following–

4. The funds necessary for the implementation of activities by the Council and the Secretariat, shall be appropriated and may also raise funds from any other sources.

Dated the 23rd March, 2026.

WILLIAM SAMOEI RUTO,
President.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4240

THE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS ADDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS
(NO. 2) ACT

(No. 28 of 2025)

CASH DISBURSEMENT SCHEDULE FOR THE KENYA URBAN SUPPORT
PROGRAMME PHASE TWO – URBAN DEVELOPMENT GRANT
CONDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS TO COUNTY GOVERNMENTS FOR
FINANCIAL YEAR 2025/2026

IT IS notified for the general information of the public that pursuant to section 6 (2) (m) and (o) of the County Governments

Additional Allocations (No. 2) Act, 2025, that the conditional additional allocations financed from proceeds from the International Development Association – World Bank Credit to finance the Kenya Urban Support Programme Phase Two – Urban Development Grant, have been allocated to the beneficiary county governments and respective municipalities specified in column A and column B respectively, in the amounts specified in column C and column D of the Schedule hereto and revokes the conditional additional allocations financed from proceeds from the International Development Association – World Bank Credit to finance the Kenya Urban Support Programme Phase Two – Urban Development Grant in *Gazette* Notice number 1442 of 2026.

SCHEDULE

Cash disbursement schedule for Kenya Urban Support Programme
Phase Two – Urban Development Grant conditional additional
allocations for Financial Year 2025/2026

S/No.	County	Municipality	Allocation per municipality	Total allocation per county
	Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D
1.	Bomet	Bomet	19,044,620	19,044,620
2.	Bungoma	Kimilili	49,407,730	49,407,730
3.	Busia	Busia	70,407,851	87,275,953
		Malaba	16,868,092	
4.	Embu	Embu	58,869,660	58,869,660
5.	Garissa	Garissa	136,033,256	626,456,027
		Dadaab	490,422,771	
6.	Homa Bay	Homa Bay	41,823,504	59,779,860
		Oyugis	17,956,356	
7.	Kajiado	Kitengela	151,260,425	418,590,989
		Ngong	249,806,907	
		Kajiado	17,523,657	
8.	Kakamega	Kakamega	105,022,156	146,101,727
		Mumias	41,079,572	
9.	Kericho	Kericho	52,697,661	52,697,661
10.	Kiambu	Ruiru	480,041,957	1,611,152,325
		Kikuyu	317,221,229	
		Karuri	190,345,862	
		Juja	152,832,423	
		Kiambu	144,829,438	
		Limuru	79,643,948	
11.	Kilifi	Malindi	85,110,948	156,035,028
		Kilifi	70,924,260	
12.	Kirinyaga	Kerugoya	38,382,201	38,382,201
13.	Kisii	Kisii	110,105,437	110,105,437
14.	Kisumu	Kisumu	389,774,049	411,539,329
		Ahero	21,765,280	
15.	Kitui	Kitui	28,464,416	50,229,696
		Mwingi	21,765,280	
16.	Kwale	Ukunda	74,186,375	95,951,655
		Kwale	21,765,280	
17.	Laikipia	Rumuruti	21,765,280	93,081,070
		Nanyuki	71,315,790	
18.	Lamu	Lamu	24,863,023	24,863,023
19.	Machakos	Machakos	62,455,797	374,333,215
		Mavoko	287,335,650	
		Kangundo	24,541,768	
		Tala		
20.	Makueni	Wote	21,765,280	39,643,958
		Emali/Sultan	17,878,678	
21.	Mandera	Mandera	112,359,123	171,842,327
		El Wak	59,483,204	
22.	Migori	Migori	70,194,334	135,490,174
		Rongo	21,765,280	
		Awendo	21,765,280	
		Kehancha	21,765,280	
23.	Murang'a	Murang'a	42,423,360	78,046,436
		Kenol	35,623,076	
24.	Nakuru	Naivasha	194,363,515	234,500,794
		Gilgil	40,137,279	
25.	Nandi	Kapsabet	41,133,441	41,133,441
26.	Nyamira	Nyamira	23,979,571	23,979,571

S/No.	County	Municipality	Allocation per municipality	Total allocation per county
	Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D
27.	Nyandarua	Oi Kalao	21,765,280	40,809,900
		Engineer	19,044,620	
28.	Nyeri	Nyeri	78,434,342	78,434,342
29.	Siaya	Siaya	32,471,295	54,716,282
		Bondo	22,244,987	
30.	Tharaka-Nithi	Kathwana	58,373,502	80,301,151
		Chuka	21,927,649	
31.	Turkana	Lodwar	81,263,938	667,324,573
		Kakuma	586,060,635	
32.	Uasin Gishu	Eldoret	465,934,137	465,934,137
33.	Vihiga	Mbale	21,221,148	21,221,148
34.	Wajir	Wajir	88,262,999	88,262,999
35.	West Pokot	Kapenguria	27,883,609	27,883,609
36.			6,733,422,216	6,733,422,216

Dated the 17th March, 2026.

JOHN MBADI,
Cabinet Secretary for the National Treasury.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4241

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

THE JARAMOGI OGINGA ODINGA TEACHING AND REFERRAL HOSPITAL ORDER

(L.N. 111 of 2025)

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by paragraph 7 (1) (g) of the Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Teaching and Referral Hospital Order, 2025, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

Riyak Ahmed Mohamed,
Zablon Mokua (Dr.),

to be Members of the Board of Directors of the Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Teaching and Referral Hospital, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4242

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

THE KENYATTA NATIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD ORDER, 1987

RE-APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 2 (2) (g) of the Kenyatta National Hospital Board Order, the Cabinet Secretary for Health re-appoints—

CATHERINE KATHURE SAMWEL

as a Member of the Kenyatta National Hospital Board, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4243

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

THE KENYATTA NATIONAL HOSPITAL BOARD ORDER, 1987

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 2 (2) (g) of the Kenyatta National Hospital Board Order, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

Nazim Jiwa Mitha,
David Kipchirchir Rotich,

to be Members of the Kenyatta National Hospital Board, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4244

THE PHYSIOTHERAPISTS ACT

PHYSIOTHERAPY COUNCIL OF KENYA

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) of the Physiotherapists Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

Under paragraph (a)—

Godana Sora— Chairperson,

Under paragraph (c)—

Hilda Cheserem,

Under paragraph (d)—

Washington Atho Waindi,

Under paragraph (e) (i)—

Anjali Bajali,

Under paragraph (e) (ii)—

Harrison Gicheru,

Under paragraph (e) (iii)—

Wallace Karuguti (Dr.),

Under paragraph (e) (iv)—

Godana Sora,

to be the Non-Executive Chairperson and Members of the Physiotherapy Council of Kenya, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4245

THE MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND DENTISTS ACT

(Cap. 253)

KENYA MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND DENTISTS COUNCIL

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 3A (1) (c) (iii) of the Medical Practitioners and Dentists Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

TONNIE MULLI (DR.)

to be a Member of the Kenya Medical Practitioners and Dentists Council, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4246

THE MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND DENTISTS ACT

(Cap. 253)

KENYA MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND DENTISTS COUNCIL

RE-APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 3A (1) of the Medical Practitioners and Dentists Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health re-appoints—

Under section (c) (iv)—

Moses Kiptanui,

Under section (d) (i)—

Marion Mutugi (Prof.),

Under section (d) (ii)—

Rose Jepchumba Kosgey,

as Members of the Kenya Medical Practitioners and Dentists Council, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from 27th March 2026

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4247

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

MATHARI NATIONAL TEACHING AND REFERRAL HOSPITAL
ORDER, 2020

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) (g) of the Mathari National Teaching and Referral Hospital Order, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

DAVID MUTHAKA ICHERE (DR.)

to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Mathari National Teaching and Referral Hospital, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4248

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

MATHARI NATIONAL TEACHING AND REFERRAL HOSPITAL
ORDER, 2020

RE-APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) (g) of the Mathari National Teaching and Referral Hospital Order, the Cabinet Secretary for Health re-appoints—

BERNARD KAPARO

as a Member of the Board of Directors of the Mathari National Teaching and Referral Hospital, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4249

THE HEALTH ACT

(Cap. 241)

KENYA HEALTH PROFESSIONALS OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY

RE-APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 46 (1) (a) of the Health Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health re-appoints—

AMIT N. THAKKER (DR.)

as the Non-Executive Chairperson of the Board of the Kenya Health Professionals Oversight Authority, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4250

THE HEALTH ACT

(Cap. 241)

KENYA HEALTH PROFESSIONALS OVERSIGHT AUTHORITY

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 46 (1) of the Health Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

Under subsection (e)—

Wilfred O. Oguta,
Margaret Mbugua,

Under subsection (i)

Ahmed Diis Mohamed,

to be Members of the Board of the Kenya Health Professionals Oversight Authority, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE No. 4251

THE COUNSELLORS AND PSYCHOLOGISTS ACT

(Cap. 253C)

COUNSELLORS AND PSYCHOLOGISTS BOARD

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 4 (1) of the Counsellors and Psychologists Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

Under paragraph (a)—

Salma Sheilla Kwamboka (Dr.) – *Chairperson,*

Under paragraph (d) (i)—

Anne Syokau Mutua,

Under paragraph (d) (ii)—

Elecah Muthoni,

Under paragraph (e)–

Japhet Ouru Ogwangi,
Obadia Kipkurui Yator (Dr.),

to be the Non-Executive Chairperson and Members of the Board of Directors of the Counsellors and Psychologists Board, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4252

THE MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIANS AND
TECHNOLOGISTS ACT

(Cap. 253A)

KENYA MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIANS AND
TECHNOLOGISTS BOARD

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) of the Medical Laboratory Technicians and Technologists Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

Under paragraph (e)–

Solomon Kariuki,

Under paragraph (g)–

Stanley King'e,

Under paragraph (i)–

Nancy Jebungei Bowen,
Joel Stephen Mukaya,
Josephine Nyabeta Rioki (Dr.),
Damaris Katsutsu,
Hashim Musa Haji,

to be Members of the Board of Directors of the Kenya Medical Laboratory Technicians and Technologists Board for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4253

THE MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIANS AND
TECHNOLOGISTS ACT

(Cap. 253A)

KENYA MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIANS AND
TECHNOLOGISTS BOARD

RE-APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) of the Medical Laboratory Technicians and Technologists Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health re-appoints—

Under paragraph (f)–

Hadija Bisharo,

Warda Mohamed,

Under paragraph (g)–

Kennedy Kuria,

Under paragraph (h)–

Safari Kalu Kithi,

as Members of the Board of Directors of the Kenya Medical Laboratory Technicians and Technologists Board, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4254

THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ACT

(Cap. 244)

PHARMACY AND POISONS BOARD

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 3 (1) (g) of the Pharmacy and Poisons Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Health appoints—

LYNDAH KEMUNTO MANOTI (DR.)

to be a Member of the Pharmacy and Poisons Board, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ADEN BARE DUALE,
Cabinet Secretary for Health.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4255

THE NATIONAL TRANSPORT AND SAFETY AUTHORITY ACT

(No. 33 of 2012)

NATIONAL TRANSPORT AND SAFETY AUTHORITY

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) of the National Transport and Safety Authority Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Roads and Transport appoints—

Under paragraph (f)–

Peter Kibe Maina,

Under paragraph (g)–

Kenneth Limo Toroitich,

to be Members of the Board of Directors of the National Transport and Safety Authority, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

DAVIS CHIRCHIR,
Cabinet Secretary for Roads and Transport.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4256

THE LAND ACT

(Cap. 280)

WAIVER OF INTEREST AND PENALTIES ON OUTSTANDING
LOANS IN SETTLEMENT SCHEMES

IT IS notified for the general information of the public that the Land Settlement Fund Board of Trustees, established under sections 134 and 135 of the Land Act, 2012, administers the Land Settlement Fund for purposes of implementing settlement schemes in the Republic of Kenya.

Settlement schemes are implemented by the National Government in consultation with the National Land Commission and the respective county governments.

Settlement schemes play an important role in supporting land access, agricultural production and rural development in Kenya. Currently, there are five hundred and twenty (520) settlement schemes across twenty-six (26) counties, of which four hundred and eighty-four (484) are registered and thirty-six (36) are undergoing registration.

It is further notified that the Cabinet, has approved a waiver of all outstanding interest and penalties on land and development loans issued under the Land Settlement Fund.

Accordingly—

- (a) all outstanding interest and penalties on loans issued under the Land Settlement Fund are waived;
- (b) a moratorium period of twelve (12) months, commencing on 13th February 2026, is granted to all settlers and individual plot owners to pay the outstanding principal loan amount only;
- (c) all settlers with outstanding principal loan balances are required to utilise the moratorium period to settle the principal amount due; and
- (d) upon the expiry of the moratorium period on 14th February 2027, any unpaid principal amount shall attract interest in accordance with the applicable terms of the Land Settlement Fund loans.

Settlers and plot owners may obtain their individual principal loan balances by accessing the official website of the Ministry at www.lands.go.ke and following the prescribed guidelines.

ALICE WAHOME,
Cabinet Secretary for Lands, Public,
Works Housing & Urban Development.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4257

THE WATER ACT

(Cap. 372)

CENTRAL RIFT VALLEY WATER WORKS
DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 66 (1) (b) of the Water Act, as read with section 51(1) of the Interpretation and General Provisions Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Water, Sanitation and Irrigation appoints—

BEATRICE KANUTHU MUCHINA

to be a Member of the Central Rift Valley Water Works Development Agency Board, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 27th March, 2026. The appointment of Faith Wanjiru Wachira is revoked*.

Dated the 27th March, 2026.

ERIC MURITHI MUGAA,
Cabinet Secretary for Water, Sanitation and Irrigation.

*GN. 7044/2023

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4258

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

APPLICATION FOR PROSPECTING LICENCE

PURSUANT to section 34 of the Mining Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs notifies receipt of an application for Prospecting Licence from SMA Investments Limited which details are set out in the Schedule hereto.

The application may be accessed from the Ministry's portal *vide* the website address <https://portal.miningcadastre.go.ke/> and is published in the *Gazette* and opened to the public for comments for twenty-one (21) days from the date of this notice.

SCHEDULE

<i>Applicant</i>	SMA Investments Limited
<i>Applicant Address</i>	P.O. Box 42160–80100, Mombasa
<i>Application Number</i>	PL/2025/0591
<i>Application Area</i>	319.9374 km ² (1488 Cadastral Blocks)
<i>Locality</i>	Turkana, West Pokot Counties
<i>Mineral Sought</i>	Group C: Precious Metal Group

PROPOSED APPLICATION BOUNDARIES

<i>Order</i>	<i>Lat. Deg.</i>	<i>Lat. Min.</i>	<i>Lat. Sec.</i>	<i>N/S</i>	<i>Long. Deg.</i>	<i>Long. Min.</i>	<i>Long. Sec.</i>	<i>E/W</i>
1	2	23	45	N	35	14	30	E
2	2	23	45	N	35	28	30	E
3	2	18	0	N	35	28	30	E
4	2	18	0	N	35	19	0	E
5	2	15	45	N	35	19	0	E
6	2	15	45	N	35	16	0	E
7	2	16	0	N	35	16	0	E
8	2	16	0	N	35	14	45	E
9	2	17	15	N	35	14	45	E
10	2	17	15	N	35	13	30	E
11	2	17	45	N	35	13	30	E
12	2	17	45	N	35	13	15	E
13	2	20	15	N	35	13	15	E
14	2	20	15	N	35	14	30	E

Any objection by any person or Community against the grant of the mining licence may be submitted to the Cabinet Secretary within twenty-one (21) days from the date of this notice at the following address:

The Cabinet Secretary
Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs
Works Building-Ngong Road
P.O Box 30009-00100
Nairobi
Email: cs@mining.go.ke

Dated the 11th December, 2025.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
Cabinet Secretary for Mining
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4259

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

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SCHEDULE

<i>Applicant</i>	SMA Investments Limited
<i>Applicant Address</i>	P.O. Box 42160–80100, Mombasa
<i>Application Number</i>	PL/2025/0617
<i>Application Area</i>	287.2716 km ² (1336 Cadastral Blocks)
<i>Locality</i>	Turkana/West Pokot Counties
<i>Mineral Sought</i>	Group C: Precious Metal Group

PROPOSED APPLICATION BOUNDARIES

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1	2	18	0	N	35	19	0	E
2	2	18	0	N	35	26	0	E
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4	2	6	0	N	35	19	0	E

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Dated the 11th December, 2025.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
*Cabinet Secretary for Mining
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.*

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4260

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

THE MINING (AWARD OF MINERAL RIGHTS BY TENDER) REGULATIONS

(L.N. 153 of 2017)

TENDER NOTICE

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by regulation 6 (1) (a) of the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017 the Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs advertises the following tender: -

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR LARGE SCALE MINERAL RIGHTS OF COPPER AT KAMACABI IN THARAKA NITHI COUNTY, KENYA

Project Background

The Government of Kenya, through the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy, and Maritime Affairs, has designated several minerals as Strategic Minerals. Copper is one of these minerals categorised as strategic. To commercialize this resource, the government plans to award mineral rights in the area via a public tender process, in accordance with the Mining Act (Cap. 306) and the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017.

Upon issuance of the Mineral Right (Prospecting Licence), the project proponent will be expected to adhere to the provisions of the Mining Act and its attendant regulations.

Project Overview

The metamorphic rocks of the area formed in the Neoproterozoic era with mineralogical composition resulting from regional plastic deformation and granitization from pre-existing sedimentary rocks of highly varying classes. Varieties of gabbros, norites, bojites and pyroxenites and their derivatives form the bulk of the basic intrusive rocks documented in the area. The chemical and mineralogical profiles of the basic-ultrabasic rocks are highly varied with hypersthene, olivine, plagioclase and hornblende generally being the dominant constituent minerals. Hornblendite, pyroxenite, peridotites, dolerites and diorites have been documented as common basic intrusive associated with the metamorphic rocks. Both malachite and azurite copper mineralization were observed in the biotite gneiss. The gneisses are coarse grained, composed majorly of quartz, feldspars and biotite. Copper mineralization in pegmatites are also a common occurrence in the area. The pegmatites vary in composition and texture but in general are all granitic, coarse grained with the main mineral constituents being feldspars and quartz. Lastly, copper occurs in dykes which are medium to coarse grained with a general composition of quartz, feldspars and biotite. The dykes occur both concordant and discordant to the biotite gneiss that host them.

The Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs recently concluded a nationwide airborne geophysical survey and is in custody of the latest radiometric and magnetic data over the project area. The data and resultant grids form primary geophysical information for the winning bidder in undertaking detailed exploration over the area.

Project Location, Geological Setting and Estimates

Location: The project is situated in Tharaka Nithi County within the following coordinates 0°03' 12''N, 38°02' 05''E to 0°04' 57''S, 38°09' 50''E and covering an area of approximately 196.2800 km².

Geological Setting: Copper mineralization in this area is found in three forms namely: the biotite schists, pegmatites and within dykes. Both malachite and azurite copper mineralization are found in the biotite gneiss. The pegmatites that bear copper vary in composition and texture but in general are all granitic, coarse grained with the main mineral constituents being feldspars and quartz. Lastly, copper occur in dykes which are medium to coarse grained with a general composition of quartz, feldspars and biotite. The dykes occur both concordant and discordant to the biotite gneiss that host them.

Resource Estimates: XRF results has shown copper concentrations ranging from about 1-31% across the areas covering Kamacabi, Gatue, Kiamiramba and Maragwa. Additionally, AAS results from Maragwa showed a chalcopyrite copper ore with abundance ranging from 2.6-19.5%. A NW-SE trending low mag anomaly approximately 200 meters long and 70 meters wide is observed in the far-right section of the area suspected to host the copper mineralization.

Accessibility: The area is accessible through Nairobi-Meru Road and branching off at Embu- Ishiara road. Meru – Marimanti Road equally leads to the study area.

Coordinates

<i>Point</i>	<i>Latitude (DMS)</i>	<i>Direction</i>	<i>Longitude (DMS)</i>	<i>Direction</i>
1	0° 3' 12"	N	38° 02' 05"	E
2	0° 2' 28"	N	38° 10' 59"	E
3	0° 4' 57"	S	38° 09' 50"	E
4	0° 4' 42"	S	38° 02' 44"	E

Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 (1) and 223 (2) (e) of the Mining Act, (Cap. 306) and 2017 Regulations; award of mineral rights by tender, the Government of Kenya is inviting expressions of interest (EOI) from suitably qualified mining operators to commercialize the Kamacabi mineral deposits.

Qualifying Criteria

Firms expressing interest will be required to possess the following key qualifications:-

- (i) Vast experience in exploration and mining for specialty minerals such as copper in global jurisdictions.
- (ii) Verifiable financial resources to undertake detailed exploration and mine development.
- (iii) Skilled, experienced and proven technical team of experts in exploration and mining.
- (iv) Experienced management team with a track record of successfully executed similar projects.
- (v) Robust corporate governance framework.
- (vi) Portfolio of past underground and surface rock engineering expertise.
- (vii) Demonstrable execution of similar projects in fragile ecosystems.
- (viii) Ability to design and commission start to end on-site processing and beneficiation plant: Ability to process the minerals locally and contribute significantly to global supply chains.
- (ix) Commitment to sustainability practices, including the adoption and use of green and renewable energy.
- (x) Environmental Responsibility: commitment to implementing measurable interventions to minimize environmental impact, such as land rehabilitation and water management.
- (xi) Community Engagement: Working closely with local communities to ensure social and economic benefits are shared.

- (xii) Have clear understanding of Kenya laws on free carry interest, FCI and State involvement on strategic minerals.
- (xiii) Membership to regional or global group organisations that encourage equitable and responsible mining.

COST OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Bidders are expected to fully acquaint themselves with the conditions, requirements and specifications of this EOI before submitting responses. Each bidder assumes all risks for resource commitment and expenses, direct or indirect, of EOI preparation and participation throughout the EOI process. The Ministry will not be responsible directly or indirectly for any costs incurred by Companies in submitting their EOI.

Additional Terms and Conditions

Any information and/or documents supplied to the Ministry, at any time before this request, shall not be considered in evaluating this proposal, and consequently, companies shall not make any reference to such information and or documents in their response to this request.

An omission to disclose material information, a factual inaccuracy, and/or a misrepresentation of fact may result in the disqualification of a response, or cancellation of any subsequent award.

Disclaimer

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Applicants can get more information from the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy, and Maritime Affairs, State Department for Mining, at the address below during official working hours (8 a.m. – 5 p.m.).

One (1) original and five (5) copies of the completed bid document and accompanying documents must be submitted in plain, sealed envelopes to the address below by 5 p.m. on 17th April, 2026, East Africa Time.

The envelopes should be marked as follows:-

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR COPPER AT KAMACABI IN THARAKA NITHI COUNTY, KENYA

And be submitted in the Tender Box on the Second Floor of the address below or the Office of the Director, Supply Chain Management on the same floor.

*The Principal Secretary,
State Department for Mining,
Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs,
Work Building, Ngong Road,
P.O. Box 30009-00100,
Nairobi, Kenya.
Email: ps@mining.go.ke*

Dated the 24th March, 2026.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
*Cabinet Secretary for Mining,
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.*

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4261

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

THE MINING (AWARD OF MINERAL RIGHTS BY TENDER) REGULATIONS

(L.N. 153 of 2017)

TENDER NOTICE

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by regulation 6 (1) (a) of the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017,

the Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs advertises the following tender:-

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR LARGE SCALE MINING RIGHTS FOR MANGANESE AT LALI HILLS TANA RIVER COUNTY, KENYA

Project Background

The Government of Kenya, through the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs, has designated several minerals as Strategic and Critical Minerals. Manganese is one such critical mineral that is important in the green energy transition. To commercialize this resource, the Government plans to award mineral rights over the area through a public tender process in accordance with the Mining Act (Cap. 306) and the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017.

Upon issuance of the Mineral Right (Prospecting Licence), the project proponent will be expected to adhere to the provisions of the Mining Act and its attendant regulations.

Project Overview

The Lali Hills prospect was discovered by the Kenya Mines and Geological Department in the 1950s. These geological investigations, including regional mapping of the Mid-Galana Area (Degree Sheet 66 NW) and studies in the Lali Hills–Dakadima area, documented the presence of manganese mineralization associated with brecciated sandstone units within structural zones. However, little work was done owing to the remoteness of the area and also commodity prices.

Manganese has been mined in Kilifi County for a long time. The deposit presents itself as nodules and pebbles whose source has not been established. The deposit unconformably overlies coral reefs, suggesting transport and deposition from a nearby fumarole.

Among KNAGS, the source of this manganese has been identified as Lali Hills.

Manganese is vital and irreplaceable in steelmaking, and a few nations dominate the global mining industry. It is considered one of the most critical minerals. Manganese plays an important role in battery production, especially in alkaline and lithium-ion batteries. Manganese dioxide (MnO₂) is often used as a cathode material in alkaline batteries, while lithium manganese oxide (LiMn₂O₄) is used in lithium-ion batteries, particularly for electric vehicles and portable electronics.

Manganese compounds are used in a variety of chemical processes. For instance, potassium permanganate functions as an oxidizing agent in water treatment and as a biocide. Manganese oxides are also used in producing glass and ceramics, where they serve as colorants.

The Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs recently concluded a nationwide airborne geophysical survey and is in custody of the latest radiometric and magnetic data over the project area. The data and resultant grids form primary geophysical information for the winning bidder in undertaking detailed exploration over the area.

Project Location, Geological Setting and Estimates

Location: The project is situated in Tana River County within the following coordinates 02°55' 00''S, 39°13' 30''E to 03°02' 44''S, 39°20' 30''E and covering an area of approximately 155.7749 km²

Geological Setting: The area is underlain by Proterozoic basement rocks of the Mozambique Belt, which are overlain by sedimentary formations of the Duruma Group, representing a Karoo-equivalent sedimentary sequence. The principal lithological unit relevant to the manganese occurrence is the Mazeras Sandstone, described as coarse-grained, arkosic, and locally kaolinitic. The sandstone is permeable and susceptible to weathering processes. Extensive superficial cover and weathering profiles limit continuous exposure of fresh bedrock, making structural interpretation partly inferential.

Resource Estimates: This is a greenfield prospect whose resource has not been estimated.

Accessibility: Accessible via the Mombasa-Tana River Highway. The area can also be accessed through feeder roads in Tsavo East National Park, as well as from Kitui County.

Coordinate

Point	Latitude (DMS)	Longitude (DMS)
1	02° 55' 00.00" S	039° 13' 30.00" E
2	02° 55' 00.00" S	039° 20' 30.00" E
3	03° 02' 44.00" S	039° 20' 30.00" E
4	03° 02' 44.00" S	039° 14' 15.00" E
5	03° 00' 44.69" S	039° 15' 30.00" E

Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 (1) and 223 (2) (e) of the Mining Act, (Cap. 306) and 2017 Regulations; award of mineral rights by tender, the Government of Kenya is inviting expressions of interest (EOI) from suitably qualified mining operators to commercialize the Lali Hills mineral deposits.

Qualifying Criteria

Firms expressing interest will be required to possess the following key qualifications:

- (i) Vast experience in exploration and mining for specialty minerals such as manganese in global jurisdictions.
- (ii) Verifiable financial resources to undertake detailed exploration and mine development.
- (iii) Skilled, experienced and proven technical team of experts in exploration and mining.
- (iv) Experienced management team with a track record of successfully executed similar projects.
- (v) Robust corporate governance framework.
- (vi) Portfolio of past underground and surface rock engineering expertise.
- (vii) Demonstrable execution of similar projects in fragile ecosystems.
- (viii) Ability to design and commission start to end on-site processing and beneficiation plant: Ability to process the minerals locally and contribute significantly to global supply chains.
- (ix) Commitment to sustainability practices, including the adoption and use of green and renewable energy.
- (x) Environmental Responsibility: commitment to implementing measurable interventions to minimize environmental impact, such as land rehabilitation and water management.
- (xi) Community Engagement: Working closely with local communities to ensure social and economic benefits are shared.
- (xii) Have clear understanding of Kenya laws on free carry interest, FCI and State involvement on strategic minerals.
- (xiii) Membership to regional or global group organisations that encourage equitable and responsible mining.

COST OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

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The envelopes should be marked as follows:-

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR LALI HILLS MANGANESE PROJECT WITHIN TANA RIVER COUNTY, KENYA

And be submitted in the Tender Box on the Second Floor of the address below or the Office of the Director, Supply Chain Management on the same floor.

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State Department for Mining,
Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs,
Work Building, Ngong Road,
P.O. Box 30009-00100,
Nairobi, Kenya.
Email: ps@mining.go.ke*

Dated the 24th March, 2026.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
*Cabinet Secretary for Mining,
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.*

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4262

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

THE MINING (AWARD OF MINERAL RIGHTS BY TENDER) REGULATIONS

(L.N. 153 of 2017)

TENDER NOTICE

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by regulation 6 (1) (a) of the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017, the Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs advertises the following tender:-

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR LARGE SCALE MINING RIGHTS FOR COLTAN AND OTHER MINERALS AT KIRITIRI IN EMBU COUNTY, KENYA

Project Background

The Government of Kenya, through the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs, has identified several minerals as Strategic Minerals. Columbite and Tantalum. Coltan are some of the minerals categorised as Strategic. To commercialise these resources, the Government intends to award the mineral rights over the area through a public tender process in accordance with the Mining Act (Cap. 306) and the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017.

Upon issuance of the Mineral Right (Prospecting Licence), the project proponent will be expected to adhere to the provisions of the Mining Act and its attendant regulations.

Project Overview

The search for strategic minerals like coltan; important for electronics, aerospace, and high-tech industries, has made geological mapping and exploration increasingly important. Columbite and

tantalum make coltan ore and are important components in strengthening steel and enhancing its performance at low temperatures. Capacitors in electronics are made from coltan ore as well. With the growing demand for these minerals, expanding electronics markets, advancements in aerospace, and the renewable energy sector, Kenya's recent classification of coltan as a strategic/energy transition mineral has made it a key hub for exploration. This decision by the government aims to boost the economy and position Kenya in the global supply chain, reflecting a worldwide effort to find new sources of these minerals.

In an attempt to understand the distribution of this mineral in the area, a detailed geological study and exploration in the Kiritiri-Kiambere area, located in Mbeere South, Embu County was undertaken. The study aimed to analyze the geological characteristics, distribution patterns, and economic potential of coltan deposits in this region. Through this exploration, the country seeks to assess the potential of Kenya's mineral wealth to contribute to the global supply chain, offering valuable insights for future exploration strategies and market positioning amid Kenya's ambitious endeavors to harness its strategic mineral resources.

The Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy, and Maritime Affairs recently completed a nationwide airborne geophysical survey and now holds the latest radiometric and magnetic data over the project area. The data and resulting grids serve as the primary geophysical information for the winning bidder to conduct detailed exploration of the area.

Project Location, Geological Setting and Estimates

Location: The project is situated in Embu County within the following coordinates 0°32' 33.81''S, 37°44' 30.59''E to 0°48' 50.62''S, 37°44' 30.59''E and covering an area of approximately 189.0500 km².

Geological Setting: The area is covered by mobile Neo-Proterozoic Mozambiquan Belt, characterized by the widespread presence of plagioclase amphibolites and hornblende gneisses. The area hosts an assortment of calcareous rocks, gneisses, and schists, which have undergone transformations through granitization. Within the study area, columbite and tantalum are found together in pegmatite bodies, quartz veins and also as alluvial deposits in the stream sediments.

Resource Estimates: the current study was not sufficient to produce figures that would define a resource or a reserve; however, sufficient data exist to support the widespread occurrence of coltan in this area. This is further supported by continuous artisanal mining of coltan that has taken place in this area for a long time.

Accessibility: Kiritiri in Embu County is centrally placed. Accessible from capital Nairobi through Nairobi–Meru Road and also through Nairobi–Kitui Road through the Seven Forks Dams Road.

Coordinates

Point	Latitude (DMS)	Direction	Longitude (DMS)	Direction
1	0° 32' 33.81"	S	37° 44' 30.59"	E
2	0° 32' 33.81"	S	37° 49' 54.31"	E
3	0° 48' 50.62"	S	37° 49' 54.31"	E
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Invitation For Expression of Interest (EOI)

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Qualifying Criteria

Firms expressing interest will be required to possess the following key qualifications:-

- (i) Vast experience in exploration and mining for specialty minerals such as coltan in global jurisdictions;
- (ii) Verifiable financial resources to undertake detailed exploration and mine development;

- (iii) Skilled, experienced and proven technical team of experts in exploration and mining;
- (iv) Experienced management team with a track record of successfully executed similar projects
- (v) Robust corporate governance framework;
- (vi) Portfolio of past underground and surface rock engineering expertise;
- (vii) Demonstrable execution of similar projects in fragile ecosystems
- (viii) Ability to design and commission start to end on-site processing and beneficiation plant: Ability to process the minerals locally and contribute significantly to global supply chains;
- (ix) Commitment to sustainability practices, including the adoption and use of green and renewable energy;
- (x) Environmental Responsibility: commitment to implementing measurable interventions to minimize environmental impact, such as land rehabilitation and water management.
- (xi) Community Engagement: Working closely with local communities to ensure social and economic benefits are shared.
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- (xiii) Membership to regional or global group organisations that encourage equitable and responsible mining.

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State Department for Mining,
Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs,
Work Building, Ngong Road,
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Email: ps@mining.go.ke*

Dated the 24th March, 2026.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
Cabinet Secretary for Mining,
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4263

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

THE MINING (AWARD OF MINERAL RIGHTS BY TENDER) REGULATIONS

(L.N. 153 of 2017)

TENDER NOTICE

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by regulation 6 (1) (a) of the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017, the Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs advertises the following tender:-

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR LARGE SCALE MINING RIGHTS FOR NIOBIUM, RARE EARTH ELEMENTS AND OTHER MINERALS AT THE MRIMA HILL IN KWALE COUNTY, KENYA

Project Background

The Government of Kenya, through the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs, has designated several minerals as Strategic Minerals. Niobium and Rare-Earth Elements (REE) are among the minerals classified as Strategic. To commercialize these resources, the Government plans to award mineral rights over the area through a public tender process, as outlined in the Mining Act, (Cap 306), and the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017.

Upon issuance of the Mineral Right (Prospecting Licence), the project proponent will be expected to adhere to the provisions of the Mining Act and its attendant regulations.

Project Overview

The Mrima Hill Niobium and Rare Earth prospect was discovered by the Kenyan Mines and Geological Department in the 1930s. A joint collaboration with Anglo American Corporation in the 1950s carried out a significant exploration campaign, including over 9,000 meters of test shafts and more than 3,000 meters of drilling. This exploration helped in characterizing the deposit. It is located in the coastal plains of Kenya, approximately 65 km southwest of Mombasa.

The Kenyan government has confirmed the presence of five elements—niobium, yttrium, thorium, strontium, and lanthanum—discovered through a recent geological mapping exercise conducted in 2022. However, the Government has not prepared an economic viability report for the prospect.

Rare Earth Elements (REE) have recently assumed global significance. They are critical to modern high-strength magnets and constitute vital inputs for a growing range of mass consumer electronics and military high-precision applications.

REE will play a role in the global shift toward a low-carbon future. Strong demand for high-tech products, combined with rapid

worldwide industrialization and population growth, has increased pressure on the availability of raw materials including REE.

Niobium-based alloys are exceptional at meeting the challenges regarding fire resistance and seismic requirements of modern artistic construction, so demand for them in the construction industry is likely to continue growing. The increasing demand for high-strength and lightweight steel in oil and gas pipelines is likely to create opportunities in the future.

The Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy, and Maritime Affairs recently completed a nationwide airborne geophysical survey and now has the latest radiometric and magnetic data over the project area. This data and the resulting grids serve as primary geophysical information for the winning bidder to conduct detailed exploration in the area.

Project Location, Geological Setting and Estimates

Location: The project is situated in Kwale County within the following coordinates 4°27' 45''S, 39°13' 45''E to 4°30' 15''S, 39°13' 45''E and covering an area of approximately 31.9 Km².

Geological Setting: Cretaceous alkaline carbonatite intrusion within the Dzombo-Mrima-Kiruku igneous complex, rich in niobium (up to 1.41% Nb₂O₅) and REE (up to 7.12% TREO).

Resource Estimates: Indicated resources of 5.8 million tonnes at 1.41% Nb₂O₅ and 48.7 million tonnes at 4.4% TREO; inferred resources of 17.5 million tonnes at 1.41% Nb₂O₅ and 110.7 million tonnes at 5.61% TREO (cut-off grades apply).

Accessibility: Accessible via the Mombasa-Lunga Lungu Highway, with terrain including the Coastal Uplands and Foot Plateau.

Coordinates

Vertex Order	Latitude				Longitude			
	Deg.	Min.	Sec.	N/S	Deg.	Min.	Sec.	E/W
A	4	27	45	S	39	13	45	E
B	4	27	45	S	39	17	30	E
D	4	30	15	S	39	17	30	E
C	4	30	15	S	39	13	45	E

Invitation For Expression of Interest (EOI)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 (1) and 223 (2) (e) of the Mining Act, Cap 306 and 2017 Regulations; award of mineral rights by tender, the Government of Kenya is inviting expressions of interest (EOI) from suitably qualified mining operators to commercialize the Mrima Hill mineral deposits.

Qualifying Criteria

Firms expressing interest will be required to possess the following key qualifications:-

- (i) Vast experience in exploration and mining for specialty minerals such as Niobium and Rare Earths in global jurisdictions.
- (ii) Verifiable financial resources to undertake detailed exploration and mine development.
- (iii) Skilled, experienced and proven technical team of experts in exploration and mining.
- (iv) Experienced management team with a track record of successfully executed similar projects.
- (v) Robust corporate governance framework.
- (vi) Portfolio of past underground and surface rock engineering expertise.
- (vii) Demonstrable execution of similar projects in fragile ecosystems.
- (viii) Ability to design and commission start to end on-site processing and beneficiation plant: Ability to process the minerals locally and contribute significantly to global supply chains.
- (ix) Commitment to sustainability practices, including the adoption and use of green and renewable energy.

- (x) Environmental Responsibility: commitment to implementing measurable interventions to minimize environmental impact, such as land rehabilitation and water management.
- (xi) Community Engagement: Working closely with local communities to ensure social and economic benefits are shared.
- (xii) Have clear understanding of Kenya laws on free carry interest, FCI and State involvement on strategic minerals.
- (xiii) Membership to regional or global group organisations that encourage equitable and responsible mining.

COST OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Bidders are expected to fully acquaint themselves with the conditions, requirements and specifications of this EOI before submitting responses. Each bidder assumes all risks for resource commitment and expenses, direct or indirect, of EOI preparation and participation throughout the EOI process. The Ministry will not be responsible directly or indirectly for any costs incurred by Companies in submitting their EOI.

Additional Terms and Conditions

Any information and/or documents supplied to the Ministry, at any time before this request, shall not be considered in evaluating this proposal, and consequently, companies shall not make any reference to such information and or documents in their response to this request.

An omission to disclose material information, a factual inaccuracy, and/or a misrepresentation of fact may result in the disqualification of a response, or cancellation of any subsequent award.

Disclaimer

This EOI is an expression of interest only and not an offer document; responses arising from this EOI must not be construed as acceptance of an offer or imply the existence of a contract between the parties. By submission of the EOI, Companies shall be deemed to have satisfied themselves with, and to have accepted all Terms & Conditions of this EOI. The Ministry makes no representation, warranty, assurance, guarantee, or endorsement to any bidder concerning the EOI, whether with regard to its accuracy, completeness, or otherwise, and the Ministry shall have no liability towards bidding companies or any other party in connection therewith.

Applicants can get more information from the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy, and Maritime Affairs, State Department for Mining at the address below during official working hours (8 a.m. - 5 p.m.).

One (1) original and five (5) copies of the completed bid document and accompanying documents must be submitted in plain, sealed envelopes to the address below by 5 p.m. on 17th April, 2026, East Africa Time.

The envelopes should be marked as follows:-

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR THE MRIMA HILL
NIOBIUM, RARE EARTH ELEMENTS AND OTHER MINERALS
DEVELOPMENT PROJECT WITHIN KWALE COUNTY, KENYA

And be submitted in the Tender Box on the Second Floor of the address below, or the Office of the Director, Supply Chain Management on the same floor.

*The Principal Secretary,
State Department for Mining,
Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs,
Work Building, Ngong Road,
P.O. Box 30009-00100,
Nairobi, Kenya.
Email: ps@mining.go.ke*

Dated the 24th March, 2026.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
Cabinet Secretary for Mining,
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4264

THE MINING ACT

(Cap. 306)

THE MINING (AWARD OF MINERAL RIGHTS BY TENDER) REGULATIONS

(L.N. 153 of 2017)

TENDER NOTICE

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by regulation 6 (1) (a) of the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017, the Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs advertises the following tender:-

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR LARGE SCALE MINERAL RIGHTS FOR CHROMITE AT KANG'URA IN SAMBURU COUNTY, KENYA

Project Background

The Government of Kenya, through the Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs, has identified several minerals as Strategic Minerals. Chromite is one of the minerals categorised as Strategic. To commercialise this resource, the government plans to award the mineral rights over the area through a public tender process as guided by the Mining Act, (Cap 306), and the Mining (Award of Mineral Rights by Tender) Regulations, 2017.

Upon issuance of the Mineral Right (Prospecting Licence), the project proponent will be expected to adhere to the provisions of the Mining Act and its attendant regulations.

Project Overview

Samburu County lies within two principal geological domains: the Neoproterozoic Mozambique Orogenic Belt and the Cenozoic volcanic sequences associated with the Rift Valley and adjacent plateau volcanism. The Mozambique Belt is characterized by polyphase tectonism, regional metamorphism, and complex structural deformation producing a variety of high-grade metamorphic rocks and intrusions. In contrast, the younger Cenozoic volcanic formations are linked to rifting, mantle upwelling, and magmatic activity associated with the development of the Rift Valley. The metamorphic rocks in Samburu can be classified into gneisses, amphibolites, augen gneisses, granites and pegmatites. Gneisses outcrops are typically small, weathered, and constrained to luggas and water channels. Hornblende is abundant, but commonly weathers to dark brown, forming equigranular blades within the leucocratic quartz-feldspar matrix. Amphibolite derived from the mafic igneous material is closely associated with vermiculite as an alteration product. These rocks are frequently interlayered with biotite gneiss, metaquartzite, granite gneiss, hornblende gneiss, and calc-silicate gneiss.

Sections of Baragoi within Samburu County represent a unique tectonic environment interpreted as an obduction zone, where fragments of the oceanic plate have been thrust onto the margins of continental crust. The rocks associated with this tectonic setting form the ophiolite sequence, represented by ultramafic suites, amphibolites, and hornblende-plagioclase gneisses.

The ophiolites are associated with psammites and semi-pelites metamorphosed to upper amphibolite facies conditions within the Mozambique Belt sequence.

The Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs recently concluded a nationwide airborne geophysical survey and is in custody of latest radiometric and magnetic data over the project area. The data and resultant grids form primary geophysical information for the winning bidder in undertaking detailed exploration over the area.

Project Location, Geological Setting and Estimates

Location: The project is situated in Baragoi, Samburu County within the following coordinates 1° 39' 52'' N, 36° 45' 00'' E to 1° 33' 44'' N, 36° 49' 24'' E and covering an area of approximately 213.3263 km².

Geological Setting: Chromite mineralization occurs as discrete pods hosted within altered ultramafic rocks; medium-grained texture, acicular, and radiating crystals exhibiting a vitreous luster, consistent with serpentinized ultramafic assemblages. The emplacement of chromite pods appears to be structurally controlled, with mineralization localized along numerous planes of weakness interpreted as faults/shear zones. These structures are likely conduits for magmatic differentiation and remobilization, concentrating chromite within discrete zones, typically associated with dismembered ophiolitic ultramafic sequences.

Resource Estimates: Samples taken from Kangura before the initial mining by SimKan Limited which stopped a while back indicated these assay results, MgO at 21%, 7% and 8%, Fe₂O₃ at 16%, 18% and 21% and Cr₂O₃ at 47%, 61% and 54% respectively for the three

specimens. The area also has a significant amount of nickel as was shown by export assay certificates.

Accessibility: The area is accessible through Nairobi–Maralal–Baragoi Road. The area can also be accessed through Nairobi–Moyale road branching off at Archer’s Post through Wamba–Barsalinga–Barsaloi–Baragoi Road.

Coordinates

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State Department for Mining,
Ministry of Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs
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Nairobi, Kenya
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Dated the 24th March, 2026.

HASSAN ALI JOHO,
*Cabinet Secretary for Mining,
Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs.*

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4265

THE CENTRAL BANK OF KENYA ACT

(Cap. 491)

MONETARY POLICY STATEMENT

IN PURSUANCE of section 4B of the Central Bank of Kenya Act, the following Monetary Policy Statement has been issued and circulated—

57TH MONETARY POLICY STATEMENT DECEMBER, 2025

these documents are freely available on the website of the Central Bank of Kenya at www.centralbank.go.ke

Dated the 19th March, 2026.

KAMAU THUGGE,
Governor, Central Bank of Kenya.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 4266

THE NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE ACT

(Cap. 84)

DESIGNATION OF POLICE STATION

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 40 (1) of the National Police Service Act, the Inspector-General designate the establishments particulars of which are set out in the Schedule hereto to be a Station for the purpose of this Act.