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REF: DISCLOSURE OF ECAAT PROJECT ENVIRONMENT SOCIAL SAFEGUARDS FRAMEWORKS

Eastern and Central Africa Agricultural Transformation Project (ECAATP), is a World Bank funded project and is the expanded second phase of Eastern Africa Agricultural Productivity Project (EAAPP). ECAATP is a regional project covering six countries in Eastern and Central Africa focusing on agricultural transformation. ECAAT Project preparation has been in progress and the process of stakeholder consultations is ongoing at country and regional level.

As a pre-condition to the World Bank Appraisal Mission, the Project Coordinating Unit has developed Environment and Social Safeguards Frameworks against four World Bank Policies/Procedures that are envisaged to be triggered through the proposed ECAAT investments. These policies and/ procedures include, Environment Assessment (OP/BP 4.01), Pest Management (OP 4.09), Indigenous People (OP/BP 4.10) and Involuntary Resettlement (OP/BP 4.12).

Given that the nature of the proposed interventions with specific microproject designs and geographical locations are not known at this particular time of project design and preparation, the project took a framework approach, as an upstream due diligence measure, to managing environmental and social safeguards risks and impacts.

The frameworks were subjected to Stakeholder Consultative forum at National and selected counties where indigenous people hail for their input. These counties included Garissa, Nyandarua and Elgeyo Marakwet. The four frameworks were shared with the World Bank safeguards team for review and clearance for disclosure. So far, the World Bank safeguards team has cleared the Involuntary Resettlement Policy Framework for

disclosure through Ministry of Agriculture and Irrigation website and in all the websites of ECAAT Project Implementing agencies including the following proposed project intervention counties.

Commodity	Proposed Intervention Counties
Dairy	Murang'a, Nyandarua, Migori, Vihiga,
	Kakamega, Garissa, Taita Taveta,
	Nyamira, Nyeri, Laikipia, Bungoma, Uasin
	Gishu, Elgeyo Marakwet, Nakuru, Trans
	Nzoia and Meru
Indigenous Chicken	Busia, Kakamega, Kitui, West Pokot,
	Nyeri, Migori, Laikipia and Embu
Beans	Busia, Kitui, Nyeri, Machakos, Narok and
,	Laikipia
Wheat	Narok, Nyeri, Nakuru & Meru
Rice	Meru, Kisumu. Homabay and Busia
Cassava	Kilifi, Migori and Busia

The purpose of this letter is to kindly request for disclosure of the attached Involuntary Resettlement Policy Framework by uploading it into your website. For any clarifications please contact Boniface Mutua (M&E/ESS Focal Person), Cellphone: +254 722456082. Email: kbonifacem@gmail.com

We kindly request that you share the websites links through the above contact persons for onward transmission to the World Bank

Thank you for your continued support.

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