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GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 3372

THE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION ACT

 $(Cap.\,444)$

AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 5 (1) (*b*) of the Agricultural Development Corporation Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives appoints—

LINA NDUTA KIHORO (MS.)

to be a member of the Board of Agricultural Development Corporation, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 30th April, 2020 and revokes the appointment of Tabitha Mbungu Maungi (Ms.)*

Dated the 30th April, 2020.

PETER G. MUNYA, Cabinet Secretary,

Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives.

*G.N. 5604/2018

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 3373

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) (e) of the State Corporations Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives appoints –

DOREEN KANANA MUTUA

to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Commodities Fund, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 30th April, 2020.

Dated the 30th April, 2020.

PETER G. MUNYA, Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives. GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 3374

THE STATE CORPORATIONS ACT

(Cap. 446)

KENYA SEED COMPANY LIMITED

APPOINTMENT

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 6 (1) (*e*) of the State Corporations Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives appoints—

Samson Chelule (Dr.), Elsbeth Naeku Tolu, Muchohi Ruiru Gikonyo,

to be members of the Board of Directors of the Kenya Seed Company, for a period of three (3) years, with effect from the 4th May, 2020.

Dated the 4th May, 2020.

PETER G. MUNYA, Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives.

GAZETTE NOTICE NO. 3375

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE ON THE REVITALIZATION AND REVIVAL OF COTTON AND PYRETHRUM VALUE CHAINS

IT IS notified for the general information of the public that, the Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Cooperatives has appointed a National Steering Committee on the Implementation of Revitalization and Revival of Cotton and Pyrethrum Value Chains.

The National Steering Committee shall comprise the following:

George Wachira (Eng.) - (Chairperson)

Members of the National Steering Committee shall be:

- Director-General, Kenya Agriculture and Livestock Research Organization (KALRO) or his/her representative
- Director-General, National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) or his/her representative

- Managing Director, Kenya Plant Health Inspectorate Services (KEPHIS) or his/her representative
- Chief Executive Officer, National Bio Safety Authority or his/her representative

Independents Members

- Mwarapayo A. M. Wamwachai
- Lawrence Munene Ngari
- Angeline Ndambuki
- Bowen Chebwai
- Nasra G. Kochale (Ms.)Janaro Guantai Ithinji
- Members of the Secretariat:

Head of Secretariat	_	Ravmond Kahindi
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- Samuel Kiptoo
- James Mutia Kiburi

TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR STEERING COMMITTEE ON REVITALIZATION AND REVIVAL OF COTTON AND PYRETHRUM VALUE CHAINS

1. Background

The cotton and pyrethrum value chains have been identified by the Government as critical value chains for supporting the Big Four Agenda (B4A). In this regard, the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives has initiated activities and practical steps aimed at supporting an accelerated revival and revitalization of these important value chains. More particularly, the Ministry has rolled out a pilot programme for revival of cotton that includes supply of seeds to identified counties in Nyanza and Western Kenya.

In order to ensure a continuous follow up on actions for revival and revitalization of cotton and pyrethrum value chains, it has been found necessary to establish and operationalize an apex steering committee on this matter. The Committee will be answerable to the Cabinet Secretary with the following terms of reference:

- 2. Specific Terms of Reference
- (a) Undertake a quick review of the enabling legal and regulatory framework for their adequacy in supporting revitalization of cotton and pyrethrum value chains in the country; and advise the Cabinet Secretary accordingly;

- (b) Undertake an evaluation of the milestones already undertaken and the planned activities and advise the Cabinet Secretary on the adequacy of the proposed road map for revitalization and revival of cotton value chains;
- (c) Undertake an objective task risk assessment on the revival and revitalization of cotton and pyrethrum value chain, develop appropriate mitigation plans; and advise the Cabinet Secretary accordingly;
- (d) Building on the steps already undertaken, map out the cotton and pyrethrum growing counties and developed a phased out cotton and pyrethrum revitalization and revival road map commencing with the most potential counties;
- (e) Develop log frame matrix for revival and revitalization of cotton and pyrethrum with specific, time bound, realistic and objectively verifiable activity schedules, budgets and indicators;
- (f) Undertake monthly briefings to the Cabinet Secretary on the milestones covered in the revival and revitalization of cotton and pyrethrum value chains, the tasks ahead, anticipated challenges and policy matters that require his attention; and
- (g) Undertake any other task assigned by the Cabinet Secretary.
- 3. Tenure

The National Steering Committee shall serve for tenure of four (4) months.

4. Budget

The State Department for Crops Development and Agricultural Research shall provide the requisite budget to facilitate work of the National Steering Committee.

5. Location of the Secretariat

The Agricultural and Food Authority (AFA) shall provide the Secretariat and a working space for the National Steering Committee.

Dated the 29th April, 2020.

PETER G. MUNYA, Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Co-operatives.