

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT STATE DEPARTMENT FOR LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT KENYA LIVESTOCK COMMERCIALIZATION PROJECT (KeLCoP)

VACANCIES

Kenya Livestock Commercialization Project (KeLCoP) is a six-year project that is jointly funded by the Government of Kenya (GoK) and the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and beneficiary communities. The Financing Agreement entered into force on 5th March 2021. The completion date of the project shall be 31st March 2027 and the Financing Closing Date shall be 30th September 2027. The Project Goal is to Contribute to the Government's agriculture transformation Agenda of increasing rural small-scale farmers' incomes, food and nutrition security whereas the project development objective is to increase incomes of 110,000 poor livestock and pastoralist households, especially youth and women, in an environmentally friendly manner, in selected project areas of the 10 participating counties. The 10 participating counties are namely: Busia, Bungoma, Kakamega, Siaya, Nakuru, Trans Nzoia, Elgeyo Marakwet, Baringo Marsabit and Samburu.

The project is expected to directly benefit 110,000 households with a total number of 495,000 people. Of the total beneficiaries, direct women beneficiaries will be 54 per cent and 30 per cent will be youth beneficiaries. In addition, those specifically targeted for nutrition interventions will include 30 per cent of total households.

The State Department for Livestock Development wishes to recruit suitable candidates to fill the positions of **Monitoring & Evaluation Specialist** and **Livestock Marketing Specialist** in Kenya Livestock Commercialization Project (KeLCoP). The work station will be at Project Management and Coordination Unit (PMCU), Nakuru.

Detailed job description, duties and responsibilities, qualification requirements for the advertised positions can be obtained from the Project's Website <u>www.kelcop.or.ke</u> and Ministry's Website: <u>www.kilimo.go.ke</u>. Interested and qualified persons are requested to submit their applications along with copies of their academic and professional certificates, testimonials and detailed Curriculum Vitae in **hard copies** only to the address below **on or before 10th April 2024 at 17:00 hours** local time, quoting the reference number of the position applied for on the letter and envelope.

Women and Persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Late applications and electronic submission of applications shall not be allowed. The hard copies of the applications may also be hand-delivered in **Kilimo House**, 2nd Floor, Room 219.

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

The Principal Secretary

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