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WATERFUND ISO 9001:2015 RECERTIFIED BY THE KENYA BUREAU OF STANDARDS (KEBS)

Water Sector Trust Fund (WaterFund) was successfully recertified under ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System (QMS) by the certification body which is the Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS). In preparation for the external audit, WaterFund undertook preparatory activities which included appointment and training of internal ISO auditors which led to successful undertaking of the internal ISO audits through the Q-Pulse system. This audit is a critical component in ensuring that the organization maintains its high standards for Quality Management Systems (QMS).

Thereafter WaterFund underwent surveillance audit by the certification body which affirmed the WaterFund's compliance to the requirements of the ISO standard. During the two-day exercise, the auditors were able to review WaterFund's QMS, examining documentation, processes, and records. In addition, they were able to asses how all department adhere to ISO 9001:2015 requirements.

Successfully completing this audit and receiving recertification for ISO 9001:2015 underscores WaterFund's commitment to quality management and continuous improvement.



Left: Mr. Willis Ombai, CEO WaterFund leads the management team before the onset of the ISO recertification audit by KEBS

Right: Mr. Oliver Ochieng, Lead Auditor, KEBS, making his remarks during the meeting at the CEO's office





Left: WaterFund management and the auditors during the exit meeting at the CEO's Office

Right : Mr. Edwin Korir, General Manager, Internal Audit & Risk Assurance, WaterFund and Ms. Ruth Nganga, General Manager, Fund Development, WaterFund



BLAST FROM THE PAST: FEATURED IN SITREP #258– WATERFUND CONDUCTS FINAL INSPECTION OF SOLIO SETTLEMENT SCHEME WATER PROECT IN LAIKIPIA COUNTY


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COVID-19 PREVENTION AND INSPECTION OF ADADJULE WATER SUPPLY PROJECT

BLAST FROM THE PAST: FEATURED IN SITREP #98 – MONITORING OF WATERFUND-FUNDED PROJECTS ACROSS THE COUNTRY

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The Solio Settlement Scheme Water project, funded under Water Sector Trust Fund's Joint Six Programme (J6P) was officially launched in July 2019, to kick-start the construction of gravity main pipes and water storage tanks that would lead to a water distribution network of approximately 37 kilometres. Solio Settlement scheme is estimated to reach approximately 20,000 beneficiaries in the seven villages namely: Furaha, Baraka, Macadamia, Rehema, Tetu, Mathingira and Bahati, with clean and safe water.

WaterFund and a team from Laikipia County Government undertook an inspection of the water project to assess on the progress of project implementation. WaterFund is now pleased to note that as from 1st April 2020, the Solio Water Settlement Scheme project was considered complete. This has now led to the defects liability period stage that kicked off from 1st April 2020. WaterFund through the Government of Kenya, County Government of Laikipia and Embassies of Sweden and Finland funded Solio water project at a cost of KSh. 143 million.

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