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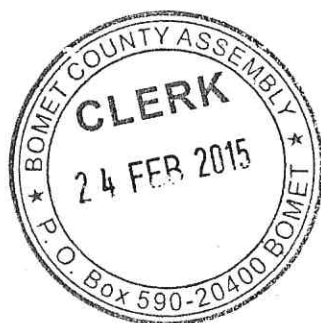
BOMET COUNTY ASSEMBLY

FIRST ASSEMBLY- THIRD SESSION

**THE COMMITTEE ON WATER, ENERGY,
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY AND NATURAL
RESOURCES.**

REPORT

**ON THE VETTING OF ENG.PETER K.CHEBOSSE
FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF CHIEF
OFFICER, WATER AND IRRIGATION**



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Peter K. Chebosse".

*Tabled on
24/2/2015
Clerk*

1. Preface

Mr. Speaker Sir,

On behalf of the Committee on Water, Energy, Environment, Forestry and Natural Resources and pursuant to Standing Order 193 (5) (f), I am pleased to report on the findings of the committee on the vetting of the Chief officer nominee for Water and Irrigation .This is one of the sectoral committees established under the Standing Orders 193 and the Second Schedule to the Standing Orders which provides that the Sectoral Committees, of which the Committee on Water, Energy, Environment, Forestry and Natural Resources falls, shall *inter alia*, vet and report on all appointments where the constitution or any law requires the County Assembly to approve.

1.2 Committee's Mandate

Mr. Speaker Sir, the Water, Energy, Environment, Forestry & Natural Resources Committee is constituted under the provisions of Standing Order to undertake such functions as provided for in the standing order no 193(5).which defines its functions as being:

- a) To investigate, inquire into, and report on all matters relating to the mandate, management, activities, administration, operations and estimates of the assigned ministries and departments;
- b) To study the program and policy objectives of ministries and departments and the effectiveness of their implementation;
- c) To study and review all legislation referred to it;
- d) To study, assess and analyze the relative success of the ministries and departments measured by the results obtained as compared with their stated objectives;
- e) To investigate and inquire into all matters relating to the assigned ministries and departments as may be deemed necessary, and as may be referred to it by the House or a minister;
- f) **To vet and report on all appointments where the Constitution or any law requires the County Assembly to approve, except those under Standing Order 187 (Committee on appointments); and**
- g) To make reports and recommendations to the House as often as possible, including recommendations of proposed legislation.

The subject areas on the committee are as follows:-

All matters relating to electricity, gas and energy reticulation, water conservation and sanitation services, implementation of specific national

1. Upon receipt of a notification of appointment, the Clerk shall submit the notification to a committee.
2. The committee shall table the notification before the Assembly within seven days and the Speaker shall direct that the committee commence the approval hearing.
3. The committee shall determine the time and place for the holding of the approval hearing and shall inform the Clerk
4. The Clerk shall notify a candidate of the time and place of for holding an approval hearing.
5. The committee shall notify the public of the time and place of for holding an approval hearing at least seven days prior to the hearing.
6. Subject to this Act, all the Committee proceedings on public appointments shall be open and transparent
7. Despite sub-section (5), a Committee may, on its own motion or on the application of a candidate or any other concerned person, determine that the whole or part of its sittings shall be held in camera.
8. An approval hearing shall focus on a candidate's academic credentials, professional training and experience, personal integrity and background.
9. The criteria specified in the first Schedule shall be used by a committee during an approval hearing for the purpose of vetting a candidate.
10. Any person may, prior to the approval hearing, and by written statement on oath as prescribed in the second Schedule, provide the Clerk with evidence contesting the suitability of a candidate to hold the office to which the candidate has been nominated.
11. A candidate may, at any time, by notice in writing addressed to the Clerk, withdraw from the approval process and the candidate's nomination shall thereupon lapse.

Furthermore, Section 7 provides for the following issues of consideration by the County Assembly in relation to any nomination which shall be-

1.3 Acknowledgment

Mr. Speaker Sir, I would like to thank the Members of the Water, Energy, Environment, Forestry and Natural Resources Committee for their dedication, commitment, integrity and valuable contributions in carrying out the vetting process.

Mr. Speaker, Sir,

The Committee made several findings on the nominee during the vetting exercise. These findings guided the Committee in making its final recommendation. The Committee's final recommendation was based on the information by the nominee from the proceedings of the Committee during the vetting exercise. This recommendation was agreed upon by Committee Members during the adoption of the Report on Tuesday, 24th February, 2015.

Mr. Speaker,

On behalf of the Committee, and pursuant to **Section 8(1)** of the **Bomet County Public Appointments (Assembly Approval) Act No. 1 of 2014**, it is my pleasant duty to table the Report of the Committee on Water, Energy, Environment, Forestry and Natural Resources on the nomination of Eng. Peter Kipkemoi Chebosseh in the Bomet County Government, Chief Officer, Water and Irrigation for debate, further consideration and adoption by the House.

Signed..........

The Hon. Samwel Bor

Chairperson, Water, Energy, Environment, Forestry and Natural Resources

DATE.....24/2/2015.....

2.2 Notification to the nominees

On **12th February, 2015**, the Clerk of the Assembly, pursuant to Section 6(4) **of the Bomet County Public Appointments (Assembly Approval) Act No. 1 of 2014**, notified the nominee of the time and place for holding the approval hearing through an advert in the newspaper and a letter addressed to him.

2.3 Notification to the public

Further pursuant to **Section 6(10) of the Bomet County Public Appointments (Assembly Approval) Act No. 1 of 2014**, which provides that “any person may, prior to the approval hearing, and by written statement on oath, provide the Clerk with evidence contesting the suitability of a candidate to hold the office to which the candidate has been nominated”, the public was notified of the public hearing exercise regarding the said nominee on **12th February, 2015** scheduled for **19th February, 2015**.

In the same advert of the of the **12th February, 2015.**, the Clerk, placed notifications informing the general public of the intention of the Assembly to conduct an approval hearing, as provided for by **Article 118 (1) (a) (b) and (2) of the Constitution** and **Section 6(5)** of the Bomet County Public Appointments (Assembly Approval) Act, 2014, which allow public participation in Committee proceedings. The notification further gave provision for the submission of memoranda to the office of the Clerk of the Suitability, on the suitability or otherwise of the nominee, by **Thursday, 18th February, 2015, at 5.00pm**

- i. Curriculum Vitae/ Personal credentials/ academic certificates.
- ii. Clearance certificate from the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission.
- iii. Compliance Certificate from Kenya Revenue Authority (KRA).
- iv. Clearance Certificate from the Higher Education Loans Board (HELB).
- v. Certificate of Good Conduct from Criminal Investigation Department (CID).

The Committee held three meetings that eventually culminated to one sitting being held on 19th 2015 in which Eng. Peter K. Chebosseh appeared before the committee and was vetted in accordance to the provisions of the Constitution of Kenya, The County Government Act 2012 and Bomet County Government Approval Act 2014 for appointment as Chief Officer for Water and Irrigation.

ii) Professional Training

- He is a registered professional engineer No.A1982, member of the Institution of Engineers of Kenya and is a member of the Kenya Society of Agricultural Engineers.
- He underwent a period of 12 years professional training in the field of Engineering for water reticulation, irrigation, and contracting and drainage design.

iii) Employment Record

- He was serving as a Resident Engineer to Kimira Oluch Smallholder Farm Improvement Project (KOSFIP) in the Ministry of Environment, Water and Natural Resources in Homabay County for 8 years (2007 to date.)
- He served as District Irrigation Officer in the Ministry of Water and Irrigation in Nyamira District for 9 years (1986 March-2007 January)
- He served at the Ministry of Agriculture as an Agricultural Engineer for 12 years (June 1986-February 1998).

iii) Potential Conflict of Interest

His filled questionnaire indicated that there were no areas that would create potential conflict of interest.

iv) Overall Suitability for the Position

- Has knowledge, exposure and experience of over 27 years in the field of water development and irrigation as well as in leadership and management levels.
- The nominee submitted academic credentials to the Committee that he was qualified to be appointed to the position because he had the requisite academic qualifications.
- The nominee met all the stipulated Constitutional and statutory requirements for nomination and approval.

v) Knowledge of the Relevant Field

5.0 Committee's Observations

The Committee made the following observations in regard to the general suitability of the nominee to be appointed as Chief Officer for Water & Irrigation:

That:-

- i. Eng. Peter K. Chebosseh understands what he is expected to do in the County department of Water & Irrigation. He demonstrated this by explaining to the committee the dependent and independent variables to attain vision 2030 for the county and the roles of County Chief Officer;
- ii. He understands the challenges Bomet County faces in provision of sufficient clean water for domestic use, water transfer, wide knowledge in water conservation and harvesting methodologies.
- iii. Peter K. Chebosseh has wide experience (over 25 years) in the field of water and irrigation having managed and oversaw projects worth KSH.6 billion funded by African Development Bank while in Homabay County.
- iv. He is well versed with skills on institutional management which he promised would enable him offer advisory services to the newly established Bomet Water Company.
- v. The procedure and the requirements for appointment to the position of Chief Officer was followed in the appointment of Eng. Peter K. Chebosseh.

Out of the above observations on Sunday 22nd February, 2015 all the members of Water, Environment, Energy, Forestry and Natural Resources Committee unanimously voted to approve the appointment of the nominee as the Chief Officer for Water & Irrigation.

The Committee therefore recommends the nomination of Eng. Peter K. Chebosseh to be appointed as the Chief Officer for Water & Irrigation of Bomet County Government based on the vetting process.

ANNEX I

MINUTES OF ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT, WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT 11:00 AM ON, 19TH FEBRUARY, 2015 AT

BOARDROOM

Present.

1. Hon. Samwel BorChairperson
2. Hon. Hellen Chepkirui..... V/chairperson
3. Hon. Stephen ChangmorikMember
4. Hon. Cecilia Towett.....Member
5. Hon. Robert Bett.....Member
6. Hon. Leah Kirui.....Member.

Absent

1. Hon. Nancy Chepkirui.....Member
2. Hon. Robert Serbai.....Member
3. Hon. Sammy CheluleMember.

Agenda

1. Preliminaries
2. Welcoming remarks and brief introduction by the Committee
3. Brief introduction by the nominee
4. Main agenda-vetting of Chief Officer Nominee for Water and Irrigation.
5. Closing remarks
6. Adjournment

Min.68/FEB/2015 Preliminaries.

The Chairperson called the meeting to order thereafter requested honourable Hellen to pray.

Min.69/FEB/2015. Welcoming remarks and brief introduction by the Committee

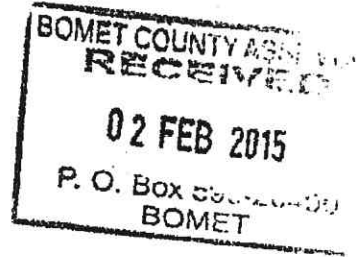
The chair welcomed all the members who were present in the meeting

Min.70/2/2015 Brief introduction by the nominee

The nominee introduced himself that:

1. His name is Eng. Peter K. Chebosseh
2. That he resides from Bomet County, Sotik Sub-county, Chemagel Ward.

REPUBLIC OF KENYA



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF BOMET

Telephone: 0202084068
Email: info@bomet.go.ke
P.O. Box 19-20400

Office of the County Attorney

When replying please quote Ref and Date:

BOMET, KENYA

30th January, 2015

The Clerk,
County Assembly of Bomet,
P.O. Box 590 – 20400,
BOMET.

Dear

RE: VETTING OF CHIEF OFFICERS

Kindly refer to the above matter.

Following the successful interviews conducted by the County Public Service Board for the positions of Chief Officers, the Governor wishes to appoint the following recommended persons for the said positions. The purpose of this letter therefore is to forward the names of the said officers for vetting.

NO	NAME	ID NO.	DEPARTMENT
1	Beatrice Chepkorir Tonui Kirui	11638781	Agribusiness
2	Dr. Sowek Benard Kiplangat	22646482	Cooperatives & Marketing
3	Hellen Chepkoech Baliach	10383212	Health and Sanitation
④	Dr. Richard Kipkirui Sigei	1001225	Social Services
5	Ezekiel	24243972	Lands Housing & Urban Planning
6	Rose Chepkirui Kositany	11298531	Finance
	Renny Mutai		Economic Planning

JAMHURI YA KENYA REPUBLIC OF KENYA

SERIAL NUMBER: 208844369 ID NUMBER: 0735048

FULL NAMES
PETER KIPKEMOI CHEBOSSEH



DATE OF BIRTH
1959
SEX
MALE
DISTRICT OF BIRTH
BOMET
PLACE OF ISSUE
TOWNSHIP
DATE OF ISSUE
08.01.1997
HOLDER'S SIGN.



DISTRICT
BOMET
DIVISION
SOTIK
LOCATION
CHEMAGEL
SUB-LOCATION
KAPLONG

N. B000735048A

PRINCIPAL REGISTRAR'S SIGN.

[Signature]

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PETER<KIPKEMOI<CHEBOSSEH<<<<<<



Oluch Smallholder Farm Improvement Project (KOSFIP) funded by the African Development Bank at a cost of ksh6.0 billion and comprising mainly of irrigation infrastructure development for 1474ha of land in Homa Bay County.

-March 1998-Jan 2007

I served as District Irrigation Officer, Ministry of Water & Irrigation, responsible for irrigation and drainage development in Nyamira district. I also managed public resources including finance, transport fleet and staff under me.

- June 1986-Feb 1998

I was employed as agricultural engineer by the Ministry of Agriculture responsible for the development of modern wet coffee-processing factories complete with water recirculation systems in various districts of Kenya under the Smallholder Coffee Improvement Project (SCIP) funded by the World Bank. I managed the execution of factory contracts and project funds.

Accreditations

-I am computer literate and capable of handling the following packages: - Windows, MS office (Word, Excel, Access, and Power Point) and the Internet. I possess a clean driving license.

Professional membership

-I am a registered engineer No. A1982 of the Engineers' Registration Board of Kenya, Member No. M2025 of the Institution of Engineers of Kenya and a member of the Kenya Society of Agricultural Engineers.

Passion of life

-I have a passion for the rule of law, good governance, and human rights & dignity which values inspired me to pursue degrees in law in 2001.

References

1. Eng. Nelson K. Korir
Kimira-Oluch Smallholder Farm Improvement Project
P.O. Box 283-40300, Homa Bay.
Mob: No: 0733793439
2. Eng. J OMEDI, Ministry of Water and Irrigation
P.O. Box 49720-00100, Nairobi
Mob: No: 0722686/52

SIGN-



DATE

15/12/2014



UNIVERSITY OF LONDON

Peter Kipkemoi Chebosseh

having registered with the University of London and passed the approved
examinations conducted by the University of London Law Schools has this day
been admitted by the University of London
to the Degree of

BACHELOR OF LAWS

with Third Class Honours

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Greame J. Davis".

Vice-Chancellor

1 August 2008

THE REPUBLIC OF KENYA
The Engineers Registration Board
Certificate of Registration



THIS IS TO
CERTIFY THAT

Eng. Peter K. Chekwa

HAS BEEN DULY
REGISTERED AS AN
ENGINEER

Pursuant to and in accordance with the
provisions of the Engineers Registration Act
1983, and that on the

3rd October 2001

such name was entered in the Register under
the Serial Number

A 1982

Given under our hands and Common
Seal of the Registration of Engineers Board,
at Nairobi this

3rd October 2001

CHAIRMAN *P. Mwangi*
ENG. R. N. MHOJERA

MEMBER

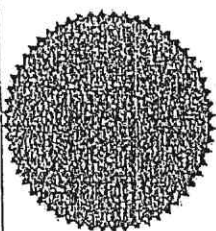
ENG. EISEN ADUWA-SONE

MEMBER

ENG. D. A. NGARA

REGISTERAR

ENG. L. S. A. TENDI

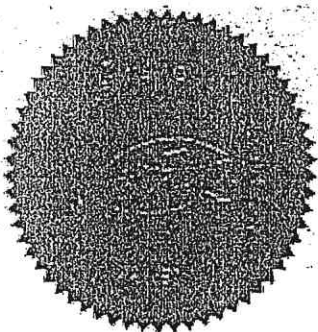




The Institution of Engineers of Kenya

Certificate of Membership

This is to certify that *Cheboses Peter Mphemoi*
has been elected *Member M. 2025*
of the Institution of Engineers of Kenya
on the *7th January 1999*
given under our hands and the common seal
of the said Institution on the *14th January 1999*



Duliranyan
Member

Ngũgĩ
Chairman

Somwanza L.
Secretary

THE EAST AFRICAN EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL



This is to certify that the candidate named below sat for the Examination for the East African Certificate of Education and qualified for the award of an

EAST AFRICAN CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION

DIVISION I

THE CANDIDATE REACHED THE GRADE SHOWN IN THE SUBJECTS NAMED

PETER KIPKEMOI CHEBOSSEH

K5203/002

KAPLONG BOYS SECONDARY SCHOOL

	GRADE
ENGLISH LANGUAGE	6
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH	3
CHRISTIAN REL EDUCATION	3
HISTORY	2
GEOGRAPHY	1
MATHEMATICS ALT S	2
BIOLOGY	2
PHYSICAL SCIENCE	1

SUBJECTS NAMED EIGHT SUBJECTS PASSED EIGHT

EXAMINATION OF NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 1979

Secretary
East African Examinations Council

Chairman
East African Examinations Council

(See overleaf)

Additional experience as per the position applied for.	
Self-awareness in relation to personal characteristics and career pursuits	
Specific examples of appropriate length when talking about experiences, cause of action, personality traits and knowledge	
Vast knowledge on the laws of Kenya and other guiding principles e.g. The constitution of Kenya 2010, The devolution laws, Vision 2030 among others	
Integrity issues as per the Chapter Six of the Constitution of Kenya 2010	

Final remarks (if any)

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Interviewer.....Signature.....



KENYA REVENUE AUTHORITY

ISO 9001:2008 CERTIFIED

TAX COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE

Certificate Serial No:

KRA 16/068568/2013

THIS CERTIFICATE CONFIRMS THAT

CHEBOSSEH PETER KIPKEMOI

Holder of Tax Registration Personal Identification Number A001377033Z

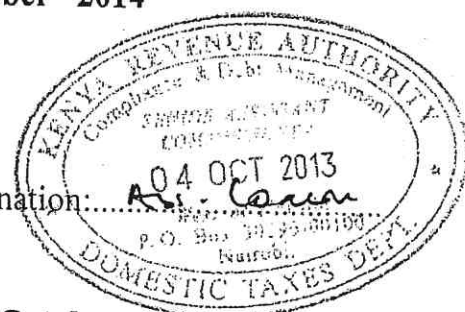
has fulfilled the obligation to file relevant tax returns and to pay taxes due as provided by law

This certificate will be valid for *12 months* up to **4TH October 2014**

Issued by:

Name: D.O.OBURE

Designation:



Signature:.....

Date of Issue: **4TH October 2013**

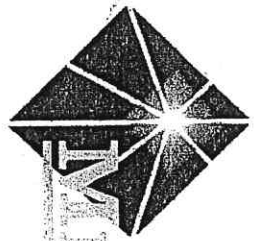
Caveat

- This certificate is issued on the basis of information available to the Authority as at the date shown above. The Authority reserves the right to withdraw the certificate if new evidence materially alters the tax compliance status of the recipient.*
- Confirm genuineness and validity of the certificate using the TCC checker available at:
<http://www.kra.go.ke/notices/tcc-checker.html> or contact the nearest DTD office.*

TCC3

Tulipe Ushuru, Tujitegemee!





Empowers Business Decisions

Serial No: MCRB/C10393

**Metropol Credit Reference
Bureau Limited**

Certificate of Clearance

Peter Kipkemoi Chebosseh

National ID Number: 0735048

This is to certify that the above named person has NO negative listing as at the
_____ date below.

Managing Director's Signature

04/10/2013

Date



FIRST SCHEDULE (S.13) / TARATIBU YA KWANZA (S.13)

SELF-DECLARATION FORM / FOMU YA KUJITANGAZA

1. GENERAL INFORMATION / TAARIFA YA JUMLA

Title / Cheo	Surname / Jina la ukoo	First Name / Jina la Kwanza	Middle Name / Jina la Katikati	Other Names / Majina Mengine
Mr/Mrs/Prof/ Miss/Ms/Dr Bw/Bi/Prof/ Binti/Bibi/Dkt	CHEBOSSEH	PETER	KIPKEMOI	
ID CARD No. Na. ya Kitambulisho	PASSPORT NO. NA. ya PASIPOTI	EXPIRY DATE OF PASSPORT TAREHE YA MUDA WA PASIPOTI KUISHA		PIN NO. NA. ya PIN
0735048	A2040498	30.07.2023		A001377033Z
SEX (Tick) JINSIA (Weka Alama)		Occupation: Kazi:		
Male Kiume ☒		CIVIL SERVANT		
Female Kike ☐		E-Mail Address: Anwani ya Barua pepe:		
		Postal Address: PO Box 119, SOTIK Code: 20217 Anwani ya Posta: SL Posta: Msimba:		
		Other Addresses: Anwani Nyingine:		
Telephone No. Na. ya Simu		Mobile No. 0720113548 Na. ya Rununu	Other Numbers Nambari Nyingine 0735771622	
RESIDENCE MAKAZI		ESTATE/TOWN/LOCATION MTAA/MJI/LOKESHENI		
		KAPLONG		
		DISTRICT WILAYA		
		SOTIK		
		COUNTY KAUNTI		
			BOMET	
			TOWN/CITY MJI/JIJI	
			SOTIK	
			COUNTRY NCHI	
			KENYA	

2. BIRTH INFORMATION / TAARIFA YA KUZALIWA

DATE OF BIRTH /TAREHE YA KUZALIWA

08 APRIL 1959



HIGHEST ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION OBTAINED
KUFUZU KWA JUU ZAIDI KWA KIAKADEMIA ULIKOPATA

Qualification / Kufuzu	Institution / Taasisi	Year / Mwaka
BSC	UNIV. OF NAIROB	1986
LLB	UNIV. OF LONDON	2008

6. LANGUAGE SPOKEN / LUGHA UNAZOZUNGUMZA

First Language Lugha ya Kwanza	Second Language Lugha ya Pili	Others Nyingine
KALENJIN	ENGLISH	KISWAHILI

7. MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ORGANISATION(s) (If any)

UANACHAMA WA SHIRIKA(MA) YA KITAALAMU (Kama yapo)

Name of Organization Jina la Shirika	Date of Admission Tarehe ya Kuandikishwa	Membership No. Na. ya Uanachama
ERB	2001	A1982
IEK	1999	M2025

8. REASON(S) FOR DECLARATION / SABABU ZA KUJITANGAZA

Purpose for which declaration is required / Kusudio la kuhitajika kwa kujitangaza huku

Election ☐ Employment ☒
Upigaji kura Kuajiriwa

Others (Specify) _____
Nyingine (Bainisha)

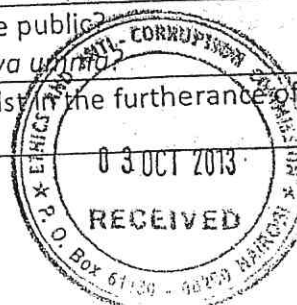
State office for which the declaration is being submitted
Ofisi ya serikali ambayo kujitangaza huku kunawasilishwa

9. MORAL AND ETHICAL QUESTIONS / MASWALI YA NIDHAMU NA KIMAADILI

Answers to the following questions are mandatory. If YES to any question you must provide additional information on a supplementary sheet.

Majibu kwa maswali yafuatayo ni lazima. Kama NDIYO katika swali lolote lazima utoe taarifa ya ziada kwenye karatasi nyingine.

	YES	NO
a) Have you ever engaged in any form of dishonesty in the conduct of public affairs a) Umewahi kujihusisha na hali yoyote ya kutokuwa mwaminifu katika kazi zako na shughuli za umma		☒
b) Have you ever abused a public office? b) Umewahi kutumia vibaya ofisi ya umma?		☒
c) Have you ever misrepresented information to the public? c) Umewahi kuwakilisha kwa njia isiyofaataarifa kwa umma?		☒
d) Have you ever engaged in wrongful conduct whilst in the furtherance of personal benefit?		☒



OATH AND AFFIRMATION / KIAPO NA UTHIBITISHWAJI

I solemnly swear (or affirm) and certify, under penalty of false declaration under the Oaths and Statutory Declarations Act (Cap 15 of the Laws of Kenya), that all the foregoing statements in this declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Ninaapa ya kwamba (ninathibitisha) na kuldhinisha, katika adhabu ya kujitangaza kwa uongo chini ya kifungu cha sheria cha Viapo na Kujitangaza Kisheria (Ibara 15 ya Sheria za Kenya), kwamba kauli zote zilizotajwa katika kujitangaza huku ni za kweli na sahihi kwa kadri ninavyojua.

Dated at / Mnamo tarehe ... Homa Bay, this / kwenye ... 26th ...
day of / siku hii ya ... SEPTEMBER ... 2013 ...

SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT:
SAINI YA ANAYEITANGAZA: [Signature]

SWORN/DECLARED BEFORE ME / ALIYELISHWA KIAPO/TANGAZWA MBELE YANGU

This / Mnamo ... 2nd ... day of / siku hii ya ... OCTOBER ... 2013 ...
at / katika mahali hapa ... Homa Bay

[Signature]
COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS
KAMISHNA WA KIAPO NA UTHIBITISHWAJI

GEORGE SHANE OKOTH
ADVOCATE & COMMISSIONER
FOR OATHS
MAGISTRATE
HOMA BAY

