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### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT NATIONAL ELECTRONIC SINGLE WINDOW SYSTEM REGULATIONS, 2023 & KENYA TRADE NETWORK AGENCY (KENTRADE) DRAFT STRATEGIC PLAN FOR 2023/2024 – 2027/2028

The Kenya Trade Network Agency (KenTrade) is a State Corporation under The National Treasury and Economic Planning, mandated with establishment, implementation, and management of the National Electronic Single Window System (NESWS) and to facilitate trade.

**PURSUANT** to Section 43 of the National Electronic Single Window System Act, No. 25 of 2022, the Cabinet Secretary, for National Treasury and Economic Planning, in consultation with KenTrade, has developed the draft National Electronic Single Window System Regulations, 2023 (hereinafter referred to as "Proposed Regulations"). KenTrade has also developed its draft Strategic Plan 2023/2024 – 2027/2028 (hereinafter referred to as "draft Strategic Plan")

The main objective of the proposed regulations is to give full effect to the National Electronic Single Window System Act No. 25 of 2022 by facilitating the efficient and effective administration of the National Electronic Single Window System.

In accordance with Article 10 (2) (a) of the Constitution that highlights National Values and Principles of Governance including public participation of the people, KenTrade through this Notice invites members of the public and stakeholders to various public participation forums on the proposed Regulations and the draft Strategic Plan for 2023/2024 – 2027/2028 in the below regions.

No.	Region	Date	Town	Venue	Time
1	North Rift Valley, Central Rift Valley and South Rift Valley	30 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Eldoret	Teachers Advisory Center ( TAC)	9.00am
2	Nyanza & Western	31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023	Kisumu	Tom Mboya Labour College	9.00am
3	Coast	3 <sup>rd</sup> April 2023	Mombasa	Kenya School of Government ( KSG )	9.00am
4	Nairobi, Central, Eastern & North Eastern	6 <sup>th</sup> April 2023	Nairobi	Kenyatta International Convention Centre (KICC)	9.00am

Members of the Public are further requested to take note of the proposed Regulations and the Draft Strategic Plan and to submit written comments (if any) on the proposals by way of email to [info@kentrade.go.ke](mailto:info@kentrade.go.ke) or submission of a written memorandum to KenTrade offices at First Floor, Embankment Plaza, Longonot Road, Upper Hill - Nairobi, during working hours to reach the undersigned not later than fourteen (14) days from the date of publication of this Notice.

The proposed Regulations, and the draft Strategic Plan are available on the Kenya Trade Network Agency (KenTrade) website ([www.kentrade.go.ke](http://www.kentrade.go.ke)).

For more information on the public participation forums, members of the public may contact KenTrade through the channels indicated below:

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