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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK, FISHERIES AND COOPERATIVES
STATE DEPARTMENT FOR FISHERIES, AQUACULTURE AND THE BLUE ECONOMY
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ADVERTISEMENT: FISH CREW TRAINING

Background information

The Government recognizes that the State Department for Fisheries, Aquaculture and the Blue Economy holds a vital key in the implementation of the “Big Four” Initiatives and other national priorities in order to improve the quality of lives of Kenyans and make Kenya globally competitive. The State Department has the mandate to coordinate the development of policy, legal, regulatory and institutional framework for fisheries resources; aquaculture development of the blue economy, spatial planning, and integrated coastal zone management.

In liaison with the Kenya Fisheries Service (KeFS), the state Department is in the process of developing a local fishing fleet to enhance the exploitation of fisheries resources in the blue space and therefore requires trained crew who can be deployed in locally and foreign owned fishing vessels licensed to fish in Kenya’s Exclusive Economic Zones (EEZ) or be available for any such fisheries jobs available internationally.

The state Department wishes to recruit over one thousand (1000) young persons across the country for fishing crew training at the Marine facilities in Mombasa for three weeks and also get at sea fishing experience on board a deep sea fishing vessel.

Participants will benefit from the training in the following ways:

- a. Build capacity to undertake responsible fishing ;
- b. Distinguish between various approaches and applications of deep sea fishing practices and technologies including fishing gears.
- c. Develop competence in handling disasters at sea;
- d. Enhancing employability in deep sea fishing industry

Who Should Apply

Applicants should meet the following conditions:

1. Kenyan Adults

2. Age of 35 years and below
3. Holder of KCSE certificate or an equivalent qualification
4. Physically fit to undergo through strenuous deep sea fishing experience
5. Provide proof of physical fitness from a recognized medical facility in Kenya

Training schedule

1. A one week theoretical training at a venue in Mombasa
2. A three weeks on board fishing vessels practical training
3. A two weeks STCW course at Bandari Maritime Academy

How to apply

Applications should be made by downloading and filling the prescribed Kenya Fisheries service Application form available on the Kenya Fisheries Services website www.kenyafisheriesservice.go.ke and Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries and Cooperatives website www.kilimo.go.ke. Duly filled form submitted to the local **County Commissioner's office** by the close of business on **27th October 2020**. Late applications will not be accepted.

Daniel Mungai
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APPLICATION FORM

(Form for use by eligible applicants for fishing crew training)

This form must be filled by own blue hand writing

First Name		Middle name	Surname	
ID Number		Date of Birth		
Home County		District (sub County) of Birth		
KCSE Certificate grade		Name of School		
Mobile No.		Email address <input type="checkbox"/>		
Part to be filled by Medical Practitioner upon examination				
Name and stamp of Hospital /Medical facility				Name a of Doctor
Doctors comments on the physical fitness of the applicant				Signature
				Date of examination

Tick as appropriate

- 1. Attached copy of ID ()
- 2. Attached copy of KCSE certificate ()
- 3. Comments by Doctor ()

I confirm that the information submitted above is true to the best of my knowledge

Signature by applicant Date of submission