



## AGRICULTURE AND FOOD AUTHORITY

### NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF MARKETING AGENTS DEALING IN MANGO FRUITS

Agriculture and Food Authority (AFA) is mandated to regulate the horticulture industry by administering the Crops Act (2013) and implementing the Crops (Horticultural Crops) Regulations, 2020. The Authority carries out licensing/registration of dealers in horticultural crops to ensure conformity to food safety and quality requirements at the national, regional and international markets. The regulations require Marketing Agents (suppliers) to register with the Authority and farmers, exporters and processors to do deal with registered agents.

In view of the upcoming mango export season and following complaints by farmers of non-payment for produce collected by some traders, the Authority plans to register Marketing Agents dealing in the mango fruit, to streamline trade in export fruits.

In this regard, notice is hereby issued to all Marketing Agents dealing in mango fruit, that they are required to register with the Authority online on AFA-IMIS ([www.imis.afa.go.ke](http://www.imis.afa.go.ke)). The online registration is continuous.

The Authority's Horticultural Crops Directorate will also conduct the registration exercise in the following AFA Offices, with effect from **28<sup>th</sup> October 2024**;

REGION	Venue
Horticultural Crops Directorate	Nairobi Horticultural Centre Mazao Road
Kibwezi	HCD depot, Kibwezi
Machakos	HCD office, Machakos Kiambaa mall 3 <sup>rd</sup> floor
Kitui	HCD office, Kitui Bonus Mall - 1 <sup>st</sup> floor
Yatta	HCD depot, Yatta
Elgeyo Marakwet	HCD Iten Office Prime Sacco Building - 1 <sup>st</sup> floor
Mombasa	AFA Regional Office – Mombasa NSSF building 6 <sup>th</sup> floor

Farmers are advised to supply produce to registered Marketing Agents only. Exporters and processors are equally required to purchase produce from registered Marketing Agents.

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