# WILDLIFE (CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT) (NATIONAL PARKS) REGULATIONS, 2010

[L.N. 207/2010, L.N. 109/2011.]

- **1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Wildlife (Conservation and Management) (National Parks) Regulations, 2010 and shall come into operation on the 1st January, 2011.
  - 2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—
    - "citizens" means the citizens of the East African Community;
  - "daily fee" means fee paid for a single entry of upto twenty four hours in a National park or National reserve;
    - "residents" means the residents of the East African Community;
  - **"student"** means an individual from a recognized secondary, Government or private college; or university aged up to twenty-three years old, visiting the parks for purposes of learning about conservation through a documented and organized arrangement with that institution, and excludes students on personally arranged holidays.
  - 3. For the purposes of these Regulations, National Parks shall be categorized as follows
    - (a) Premium Parks
      - (i) Amboseli National Park; and
      - (ii) Lake Nakuru National Park.
  - (b) Urban Safari

Nairobi National Park.

- (c) Wilderness Parks
  - (i) Aberdare National Park;
  - (ii) Tsavo East National Park;
  - (iii) Tsavo West National Park;
  - (iv) Meru National Park; and
  - (v) Kora National Park.
- (d) Mountain Parks

Mt. Kenya.

- (e) Scenic and Special Interest
  - (i) Hells Gate;
  - (ii) Mt. Elgon;
  - (iii) Shimba Hills National Reserve;
  - (iv) Arabuko Sokoke National Park;
  - (v) Ndere Island;
  - (vi) Tana Primate Reserve;
  - (vii) Chyullu Hills National Park;

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- (viii) Kakamega Forest National Reserve;
- (ix) All other Parks and Reserves managed by the Kenya Wildlife Service.
- (f) Marine Parks
  - (i) Kisite Mpunguti;
  - (ii) Kiunga;
  - (iii) Watamu;
  - (iv) Mombasa;
  - (v) Malindi.
- (g) Sanctuaries
  - (i) Nairobi Animal Orphanage;
  - (ii) Nairobi Safari Walk;
  - (jii) Kisumu Impala Sanctuary.
- **4.** The Kenya Wildlife Service shall require a minimum of two weeks' notice in order to issue written authorization for student rates.
- (1) The Kenya Wildlife Service shall issue, to a visitor, a ticket upon the payment of the fees prescribed under these Regulations.
  - (2) A ticket issued under paragraph (1) shall be valid for the period specified in the ticket.
- (3) Notwithstanding paragraph (2), a ticket issued in respect of a daily fee shall be valid for twenty-four hours and shall entitle the same visitor to two entries within the same twenty-four hours.

[L.N. 109/2011, s. 2.]

- **6.** Normal season rates shall apply in the months of April, May, June, November and December.
- **7.** High season rates shall apply in the months of January, February, March, July, August, September and October and shall be applicable to all Premium and Wilderness parks, except the Aberdare National park.
- **8.** Citizens and residents shall be charged the rates prescribed for Kenyan citizens and residents respectively, in all parks, sanctuaries and reserves managed by the Kenya Wildlife Service on production of the relevant documentary proof.

#### PART II - FEES FOR VEHICLES, BOATS AND AIRCRAFTS

- **9.** Annual fees for public service vehicles stationed in national parks and operating from hotels and lodges, camps and other places within the parks shall be as follows—
  - (a) for any vehicle with seating capacity of not more than five passengers and commercial vehicles weighing less than two tonnes 30,000
  - (b) for any vehicle with seating capacity of more than five but less than thirteen passengers, and commercial vehicles weighing more than two but not more than five tonnes 50,000
  - (c) for any vehicle with seating capacity for thirteen or more passengers and commercial vehicles weighing more than five tonnes 100,000

- (d) for any commercial tour vehicle with seating capacity of more than five but less than thirteen passengers and not stationed in a park 60,000
- (e) for annual passes for commercial tourist boats/vessels of not more than twelve passengers stationed in marine reserves/parks or operating from hotels and lodges, camps or other places 15,000
- (f) for annual passes for private non-commercial boats/vessels to enter national parks, marine national parks and marine reserves 5,000
- **10.** Daily fees for single entry to national parks by vehicles, boats and aircrafts shall be as follows—
  - for any motor vehicle with seating capacity of not more than five passengers per day 300
  - (b) for any motor vehicle with seating capacity of not more than five passengers but less than thirteen passengers 1,000
  - (c) any motor vehicle with seating capacity of more than twelve but less than twenty-five passengers 2,500
  - (d) for any motor vehicle with seating capacity of more than twenty-four but less than forty-five passengers 4,000
  - (e) for any motor vehicle with seating capacity of forty-five or more passengers 5,000
    - (f) for trucks and delivery vehicles weighing—
      - (i) 1 3 tonnes 500
      - (ii) 4 7 tonnes 2,000
      - (iii) over 7 tonnes 3,000
  - (g) for any aircraft with seating capacity of not more than two passengers (less than 3) 300
  - (h) for any aircraft with seating capacity of more than two but less than seven passengers (3-6) 500
  - (i) for any aircraft with seating capacity of more than six but less than fifteen passengers (7-14) 1,000
  - (j) for any aircraft with seating capacity of more than fifteen but less than twenty one passengers (15-20) 2,000
  - (k) for any aircraft with seating capacity of twenty one or more passengers (21 and above) 3,000

## PART III—FEES FOR ENTRY INTO NATIONAL PARKS MANAGED BY THE KENYA WILDLIFE SERVICE

- 11. Fees for entry into a national park—
- (a) for any person aged eighteen years and above—

Kenya	Kenya Citizens KSh.	Kenya Residents KSh.	Non-Residents (US\$) Normal High	
Premium parks	500	1,000	60	80
Wilderness parks	300	1,000	50	65
Urban Safari	300	1,000	40	40
Mt. Kenya (day trip)	400	550	55	55

Kenya	Kenya Citizens KSh.	Kenya Residents KSh.	Non-Residents (US\$) Normal High	
*3-day package	1500	2,700	150	150
Aberdare and Kihari Gate	300	1,000	50	50
Scenic and Special Interest	200	500	20	20
Hells Gate and Mt. Elgon	300	500	25	25
Kisite Mpunguti Marine	200	300	20	20
Other Marine Parks	100	300	15	15
Nairobi Safari Walk	150	300	20	20
Kisumu Impala Sanctuary and Nairobi Animal Orphanage	150	300	15	15

(b) For any child aged three years and above but below eighteen years, or students having two weeks' prior approval from the Kenya Wildlife Service, upon production of a valid students pass (*Individual students without arrangements from their institutions shall not be entitled to this rate*).

	Kenya Citizens KSh.	Kenya Residents KSh.	Non-Residents US\$	
			Normal	High
Premium parks	200	500	30	40
Wilderness parks	200	500	25	30
Urban Safari	200	500	20	20
Mt Kenya	200	500	25	25
*3-Day package	600	1,500	70	70
Hells Gate and Mt. Elgon	200	300	15	15
Scenic and Special Interest	100	250	10	10
Kisite Mpunguti Marine	100	150	10	10
Other Marine parks	100	150	10	10
Nairobi Safari Walk, Kisumu Impala Sanctuary and Nairobi Animal Orphanage	50	150	10	10

**12.** Fees for annual passes for one individual with a private motor vehicle with a seating capacity not exceeding twelve passengers to enter any national park or reserve shall be as follows (Terms and conditions apply)—

		Annual Entry Fee
		KSh.
(a)	For any persons aged eighteen years and above (personal pass)	30,000
(b)	Marine parks only	10,000
(c)	Tour driver guide (personal pass)	6,000
(d)	Corporate pass	100,000
(e)	For any child aged three years but below eighteen years	10,000

#### PART IV - FEES FOR CAMPING AND ACCOMMODATION

#### 13. Public Campsites

(a) For any person aged eighteen years and above—

	Citizens KSh.	Residents KSh.	Non-Residents US\$
Premium parks	200	500	25
All other parks	150	300	15

(b) For any child aged three years and above but below eighteen years and students having two weeks prior approval from the Kenya Wildlife Service upon production of a valid students pass. (Individual students without arrangements from their institutions shall not be entitled to this rate).

	Citizens KSh.	Residents KSh.	Non-Residents US\$
Premium parks	150	200	20
All other parks	100	150	10

#### 14. Special Campsites

(a) For any person aged eighteen years and above—

	Citizens KSh.	Residents KSh.	Non-Residents US\$
Premium parks	400	500	40
All other parks	300	500	30

(b) For any child aged three years and above but below eighteen years and students having two weeks prior approval from the Kenya Wildlife Service upon production of a valid students pass. (*Individual students without arrangements from their institutions shall not be entitled to this rate.*)

	Citizens KSh.	Residents KSh.	Non-Residents US\$
Premium parks	200	300	20
All other parks	100	300	15

- (1) A non-refundable reservation fee shall be payable in respect of all designated special camp sites at a rate of seven thousand five hundred shillings per week or part thereof;
- (2) Cancellation fee for special camp sites/or reserved sites shall be seven thousand five hundred shillings.
- **16.** Eligible utility providers having installations within the Kenya Wildlife Service managed parks may be issued with a corporate pass.
  - 17. Safaricard Replacement

	KSh.
Card administration/ replacement fee (per card)	 1,000

### PART V – SERVICES AND SPECIAL ACTIVITY

**18.** Legal Notice No. 404/2007, is revoked.