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IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 8(1) of the Water Act, the Cabinet Secretary for Water, Sanitation and Irrigation designates the water works set out in the Schedule to be national public water works under the maintenance of the water works development agency specified in each Part of the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Part A – DESIGNATED NATIONAL PUBLIC WATER WORKS UNDER THE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF NORTHERN WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		SCOPE OF WORK
			Criteria under section 8(1)	Criteria under section 8(2)	
1.	Loiyangalani Water and Sanitation Project	Samburu	paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraphs (a) and (b)	Drilling of 7 No. approximately 60m deep boreholes in the vicinity of Ngobeleng springs and equipping with hybrid solar pumps with water treatment comprising of aeration, filtration and chlorination and construction of all the associated infrastructure.

Part B – DESIGNATED NATIONAL PUBLIC WATER WORKS UNDER THE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF ATHI WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		SCOPE OF WORK .
			Criteria under section 8(1)	Criteria under section 8(2)	
1.	Maragua Bulk Water and sewerage Systems	Murang'a	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water and sewerage works being undertaken. The Project will serve Murang'a County.
2.	Gatamathi Bulk Water and sewerage Systems	Murang'a	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water and sewerage works being undertaken. The Project will serve Murang'a County.
3.	Karimenu Dam -Thika Water Supply System	Kiambu, Murang'a	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraph (a), (b) and (c)	Water and sewerage works being undertaken. The Project will serve Kiambu and Murang'a County.
4.	Thika IIIA Dam Water Supply Systems	Kiambu, Murang'a	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Dam structure and its ancillary components i.e spillway, intake tower.Reservoir. Raw water pipeline. The Project will serve Murang'a County.
5.	Ruiru Jacaranda Water Supply Systems	Kiambu	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water works being undertaken. The Project will serve Kiambu County.
6.	Ndarugu-Mwala Water Supply Systems	Kiambu, Machakos	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Water works being undertaken. The Project will serve Kiambu and Machakos County.
7.	Juja Water Supply Systems	Kiambu	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water works being undertaken. The Project will serve Kiambu County.
8.	Ruiru Sewerage Plant	Kiambu	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraph (b)	Sewerage works being undertaken. The Project will serve Kiambu County.

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		SCOPE OF WORK .
9.	Oloitokitok Water and Sewerage System	Kajiado	Paragraphs (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water and sewerage works being undertaken. The Project will serve Kajiado County.
10.	Limuru Watere and Waste Water Treatment Plant	Kiambu	Paragraphs (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water and sewerage works Planned. The Project will serve Limuru, Kikuyu, Kimende and environs
11.	Gatanga Water and sewerage Project	Murang'a	Paragraphs (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Water and sewerage works Completed. The Project serves Murang'a County including Karangi, Ndakaini, Mabanda, Thika Greens

Part C – DESIGNATED NATIONAL PUBLIC WATER WORKS UNDER THE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF NATIONAL WATER HARVESTING AND STORAGE AUTHORITY

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		SCOPE OF WORK .
			Criteria under section 8(1)	**Criteria under section 8(2)**	
1.	Chemususu Dam	Baringo Nakuru	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (c)	Dam structure and the spillway, intake tower. Reservoir and raw water pipeline. Serving 300,000 people.
2.	Kirandich Dam, Water and Sewerage System	Baringo	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (c)	Dam structure and the spillway, intake tower. Reservoir and raw water pipeline. Serving 140,000 people.

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		SCOPE OF WORK .
3.	Kiserian Dam	Nairobi/ Kajiado	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b) (c)	Dam structure and the spillway, intake tower. Reservoir and raw water pipeline. Serving 250,000 people.
4.	Maruba Dam	Machakos	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (c)	Dam structure and the spillway, intake tower. Reservoir and treated water pipeline.
5.	Nyahururu (Marmanet)	Laikipia, Nyandarua	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (c)	Dam structure and the spillway, intake tower. Reservoir and raw water pipeline.
6.	Kalundu Dam	Kitui	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Dam and raw pipeline
7.	Na'kuetum Peace Dam	Turkana	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Water storage dam.
8.	Siyoi Muruny Dam	West Pokot	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Water supply dam and its under construction
9.	Umaa Dam	Kitui	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Water supply dam and its under construction
10.	Soin Koru Dam	Kericho/ Kisumu	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Water supply dam and its under construction
11.	Badasa Dam	Marsabit	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Water supply dam and its under construction
12.	Bosto Dam and Water supply system	Bomet	Paragraphs (a), (b), and (c)	Paragraphs (a), (b)	Water supply dam

Part D – DESIGNATED NATIONAL PUBLIC WATER WORKS UNDER THE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF LAKE VICTORIA NORTH WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		REMARKS
			Criteria under section 8(1)	Criteria under section 8(2)	.
1.	Kapsabet Water supply scheme	Nandi	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Kapsabet water treatment plant
2.	Kapsabet sewerage	Nandi	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraph (b)	Kapsabet sewerage plant Sewer lines Sewer ponds
3.	MMUST sewerage	Kakamega	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraph (b)	MMUST sewerage ponds Sewer lines Sewer ponds
4.	Shirere sewerage	Kakamega	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraph (b)	Shirere sewerage Sewer lines Sewer ponds
5.	Nambacha Water supply scheme	Kakamega	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Nambacha treatment plant
6.	Lumakanda Water supply scheme	Uasin Gishu	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Lumakanda old treatment works Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
7.	Malava Water supply scheme	Kakamega	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Malava treatment plant Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks

PUBLIC WATER WORKS	COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		REMARKS
8. Mundika Water supply scheme	Busia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs(a) and (b)	Mundika treatment work Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
9. Mauko sewerage	Busia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Mauko sewerage ponds
10. Malakisi Water supply scheme	Busia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Malakisi water treatment plant Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
11. Malaba Lot II sewerage	Busia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Amoni – Malaba sewerage Ponds Sewer lines Sewer ponds
12. Chesikaki Water supply scheme	Bungoma	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Chesikaki water treatment plant Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
13. Matisi – Bungoma Water supply scheme	Bungoma	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Matisi water treatment plant Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
14. Kapkateny Water supply scheme	Bungoma	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Kapkateny water treatment plant
15. Terem-Chwele Water supply scheme	Bungoma	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Teremi water treatment works Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
16. Chebyuk – Kibabii water supply scheme	Bungoma	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Kapkerwa treatment works Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks

PUBLIC WATER WORKS	COUNTIES SERVED	CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT		REMARKS
17. Kamtyong Water supply scheme – Kimilili	Bungoma	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Kamtyong treatment works Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
18. Kapolet Water supply scheme	Transzoia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Kapolet treatment plant Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
19. Nzoia Water supply scheme	Transzoia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraphs (a) and (b)	Nzoia treatment plant Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks
20. Machinjoni sewerage system	Transzoia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraph (b)	Machinjoni sewerage plant Sewer lines Sewer ponds
21. Bidii sewerage system	Transzoia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraph (b)	Bidii sewerage ponds Sewer lines Sewer ponds
22. Kaptega Water Supply System	Transzoia	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	Paragraph (b)	Kaptega treatment works Treated water transmission pipeline Storage Tanks

Part E – DESIGNATED NATIONAL PUBLIC WATER WORKS UNDER THE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF NORTH RIFT VALLEY WATER WORKS DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

PUBLIC WATER WORKS		**COUNTIES SERVED**	**CRITERIA FULFILLED UNDER THE WATER ACT**		**SCOPE OF WORK** .
			Criteria under section 8(1)	**Criteria under section 8(2)**	
1.	Moiben Dam Water Supply Project (Chebara)	Elgeyo Marakwet and Usin Gishu	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraph (a) and (b)	The Scheme is serving Uasin Gishu and Elgeyo Marakwet. The system consists of dam, intake works, treatment system of 28,000m3/day, 50 km transmission mains and storage tanks.
2.	Sabor Iten Water Supply Project	Elgeyo Marakwet	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraph (a) and (b)	The Scheme is serving Elgeyo Marakwet and parts of Uasin Gishu County.
3.	Kapsowar Water Supply system	Elgeyo Marakwet	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraph (a) and (b)	The Scheme is serving Kapsowar Town in Elgeyo Marakwet County.
4.	Kapcherop Water Supply System	Elgeyo Marakwet	Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c)	paragraph (a) and (b)	The Scheme is serving Kapcherop Town in Elgeyo Marakwet County.