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Chapter Committee Holds Quarterly Meeting



The Industrial chapter committee held its quarterly meeting on 4th August 2018 at the Eka Hotel. During the meeting, the need for compliance guidelines by all the key government agencies was emphasized.

To this effect, the Association is in the process of liaising with the relevant agencies to come up with bare minimum requirements that every manufacturer should comply with to ensure smooth manufacturing processes.

The committee further lauded the progress realized so far in the development of infrastructure in the larger Industrial Area, especially the road projects such as Masai rd, East Gate, completion of Enterprise road and planned repair of Lunga Lunga road by KURA.

The chapter will keep engaging all stakeholders in ensuring timely repair of dilapidated roads, sewerage systems' improvement, reliable power and water supply to industries and proper drainage. You are encouraged to share any other challenges for timely intervention by the chapter leadership.

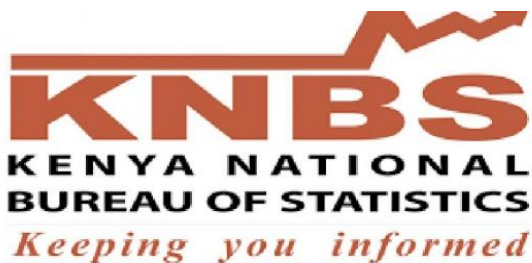
Chapter Committee Seeks Fresh Nominees



Following last year's resignation of Mr. Manish Shah as the chapter vice chair and his subsequent replacement by Ms. Mary Gesare, the committee resolved to have the vacant position filled by two new members.

Ideal nominees should be directors or senior managers in their respective organizations committed to advocating for a better environment to do business in the country. Those with legal and regulatory backgrounds and experience are encouraged to apply. Forward your nominations to the chapter officer for consideration as soon as possible.

Support KNBS Census on Industrial Production and Exporters & Importers Survey



You are hereby urged to support Kenya Bureau of Statistics (KNBS) Census of Industrial Production (CIP) and survey of exporters and importers that is currently being undertaken.

The survey aims at collecting data that shall be used in revising and rebasing national accounts, updating sampling frame for industrial and construction survey and computing baseline export/import prices indices

Quality and timely statistics improve the transparency and accountability of policy making process, which is essential for good governance by enabling the citizenry to assess the success of policies and hold the government to account.

Members are urged to support KNBS officers in completing the questionnaire whenever approached for this exercise. The information collected shall be treated with utmost confidentiality and shall be used for statistical purpose only.

Support in Recruiting of New Members

To support grow KAM membership in Industrial Area, current members are urged to recommend non-members to join the association. At the moment, the Industrial Area chapter has the highest number of members but majority of active manufacturers and value-add industries are yet to join and tap on the innumerable benefits of membership. You are therefore urged to forward recommendations and leads to the chapter officer for follow up as soon as possible.

