

## **TRAINING NOTICE**



### **THE KENYA SCHOOL OF LAW**

**COURSE:** PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS: OPPORTUNITIES IN PUBLIC INVESTMENTS

**DATE:** 16 – 20 JANUARY, 2023

**VENUE:** KENYA SCHOOL OF LAW, KAREN, NAIROBI

#### **ABOUT THE COURSE**

Public-Private Partnerships (PPP) have been recognised as a development model that is effective in managing burgeoning public debt in many developing countries including Kenya. They provide a structured mechanism for partnering with the private sector and accessing finance. Indeed, in many comparative jurisdictions, PPP has been used to deliver innovative healthcare services, education (technology & hostels), public housing (urban regeneration), infrastructure (roads & airports), energy (including renewable energy), and agriculture, amongst other significant national and trans-boundary projects.

In the context of Kenya, two critical developments are worth highlighting. First, the opportunity that the recently-ratified African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCTA) offers reinforces the importance of PPP in helping to meet envisaged efficiency competitiveness, production and infrastructure demands. Second, the development obligation of devolved units (counties) necessarily implies that counties have to start looking beyond the Exchequer to substantively deliver on their mandate. In fact, this applies to nearly every public institution in terms of need to partner with private sector ranging from financing, technology transfer and innovation in management of their public service offerings.

It is in this context that the School has developed this one-week training. It is designed to be a practical course focusing on the law, policy and practice of PPPs in Kenya from project initiation; negotiations; governance; to closing and hand-back. Deliberate effort is made to integrate comparative case studies, and how to make Kenya a competitive PPP destination in Africa in terms of attracting private finance whilst safeguarding overriding public interest.

## **FACULTY**

The School has assembled a highly experienced faculty comprising of seasoned PPP practitioners, government officials, and professors to deliver this course.

## **INTENDED PARTICIPANT**

This course is specially designed to meet institutional objectives of the following participants as regards PPPs:

- a) CEOs, senior management and board members of public institutions;
- b) Vice chancellors and senior management of universities;
- c) Members of Parliament/Senate and designated Parliamentary officers, especially working/over-sighting infrastructure and finance;
- d) Corporation/company secretaries & in-house counsel;
- e) Senior public/private sector officers, esp. those from roads, energy, housing, health and education, and related sectors;
- f) Private legal practitioners;
- g) County executives, chief officers and legal officers (esp. for roads, agriculture & housing);
- h) Reps. of County governments/assemblies and related regulatory/ oversight bodies & associations;
- i) Employees of the financial sector and regulatory bodies;
- j) International development/intergovernmental bodies and non-profit.

## **KEY TOPICS**

Key topics will include:

- Effective conceptualization, development and planning of a PPP;
- PPP and public procurement;
- PPP and public investments: opportunities and emerging challenges;
- Key legal considerations in designing PPP contracts;
- The PPP project cycle;
- Legal compliance issues in PPPs;
- Case studies.

**YOUR INVESTMENT: Kshs. 95,000 inclusive** of VAT and registration fee (covers *tuition fees, course materials, stationery, lunch and refreshments*). **A non-East African pay USD 900.** *Please note that cancelling attendance within 7 days to the date of training may lead to cancellation fee of up to 25% of the fee paid or payable, to be withheld or charged upon you by the School.*

**CPD POINTS:** members of the Law Society of Kenya who attend and complete the training will be entitled, on payment of extra 1,000.00 to be awarded 3 CPD points. Payment of this sum shall be effected during the training, as will be directed by the organizers of the training.

### **Application Process**

Application should be made ONLINE through the platform. Please log at: <https://services.ksl.ac.ke/web/login> sign up and register for the course.

Fees should be deposited in the **School's account: Account No. 202 2029 110 Absa Bank PLC, Absa Plaza Branch, Nairobi, Kenya** and the bank slip or evidence of electronic funds transfer presented to the Finance Office, Karen.

Please note that your registration and proof of payment should be complete **by 16<sup>th</sup> January 2023**, to enable us to adequately prepare for the course.

### **Contacts:**

For any query, contact the Course Coordinator, Ms. Naserian Sitelu on [msitelu@ksl.ac.ke](mailto:msitelu@ksl.ac.ke), or Jacqueline [jacqueline@ksl.ac.ke](mailto:jacqueline@ksl.ac.ke); Christine [cmwanza@ksl.ac.ke](mailto:cmwanza@ksl.ac.ke)



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