



REPUBLIC OF KENYA
MINISTRY OF WATER, SANITATION AND IRRIGATION

PUBLIC NOTICE
(Hydrologists Act, 2017)

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT
HYDROLOGISTS (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2024**

The Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation in consultation with the Hydrologists Registration Board and the Office of the Attorney General has prepared the Draft Hydrologists (Amendment) Bill, 2024. The objectives of the Bill are to:

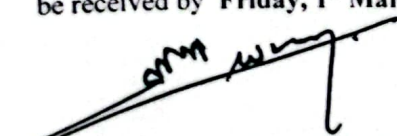
- (i) provide for academic qualifications required for registration of Hydrology professionals;
- (ii) provide for modalities of submission of hydrology reports prepared by Hydrology professionals;
- (iii) provide for additional function of the Hydrologists Registration Board;
- (iv) provide for the requirements for registration of different categories of Hydrology professionals;
- (v) provide for Hydrology professional to charge professional fees; and to
- (vi) provide for the development of a Code of Conduct and Professional Ethics for Hydrology professionals.

The Draft Hydrologists (Amendment) Bill, 2024 is available on the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation website <http://www.water.go.ke> and on the Hydrologists Registration Board's website www.hydrologistsboard.go.ke and can be physically inspected at the office of the Registrar/Chief Executive Officer, Hydrologists Registration Board on 4th Floor, Maji House, office number 473.

Pursuant to Article 10(2) (a) of the Constitution of Kenya as read together with Sections 4(a) and 5(3) (a) and (b) of the Statutory Instruments Act, 2016 the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation has organized physical public sensitization meetings on the draft Hydrologists (Amendment) Bill, 2024 as per the schedule below:

Region	Date	City/Town	Venue	Time
Nyeri	21 st February, 2024	Nyeri	Green Hills Hotel	08:30AM - 1.00PM
Machakos	21 st February, 2024	Machakos	Machakos University	08:30AM - 1.00PM
Mombasa	23 rd February, 2024	Mombasa	Mombasa Beach Hotel	08:30AM - 1.00PM
Garissa	23 rd February, 2024	Garissa	Garissa Guest House	08:30AM - 1.00PM
Kisumu	26 th February, 2024	Kisumu	KEWI Kisumu Campus	08:30AM - 1.00PM
Eldoret	28 th February, 2024	Eldoret	Ndupawa Hotel	08:30AM - 1.00PM
Nakuru	1 st March, 2024	Nakuru	Bontana Hotel	08:30AM - 1.00PM

Interested members of the public are also invited to submit any comment, input or memoranda that they may have on the draft Bill to the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation, P.O. Box 49720-00100, Maji House, Nairobi or to the Registrar/CEO, Hydrologists Registration Board, P.O. Box 51224-00100 Nairobi or emailed to ps@water.go.ke or info@hydrologistsboard.go.ke to be received by Friday, 1st March, 2024 at 5.00pm.


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