

# DIRECTORATE OF INVESTIGATION AND ASSET TRACING

MONTHLY REPORT, AUGUST 2009

#### Introduction

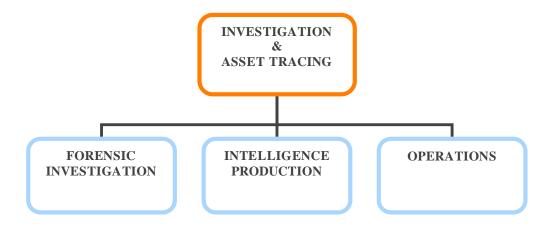
The Directorate of Investigation and Asset Tracing is one of the four Directorates of the Kenya Anti-Corruption Commission. The functions of the Directorate are to;

- Investigate Corruption and Economic Crimes as stipulated in the Anti-Corruption and Economic Crimes Act (2003).
- Investigate the extent of liability, loss or damage to any public property for purposes of recovery or compensation,
- Investigate and trace the whereabouts of corruptly acquired assets for purposes of recovery.
- Assist any law enforcement agency in the country in investigation of corruption or economic crimes.

The Directorate was reorganised into three Departments, namely; Operations, Forensics and Intelligence.

- i. Operations- comprising two divisions; Reports Centre and Rapid Response,
- ii. Forensics- comprising three divisions; Preliminary Investigation, Forensic Investigation and Asset Tracing,
- iii. Intelligence- comprising two divisions: Analysis, Production and Collection

#### **Structure of the Directorate**



#### **Mombasa Office**

The Mombasa Regional Office, which is under the Directorate of Investigation and Asset Tracing, commenced operations on 4<sup>th</sup> August 2007. All the three Departments of the Directorate, namely; Forensic Investigation (FI), Operations (OPS) and Intelligence Production (IP) are represented.

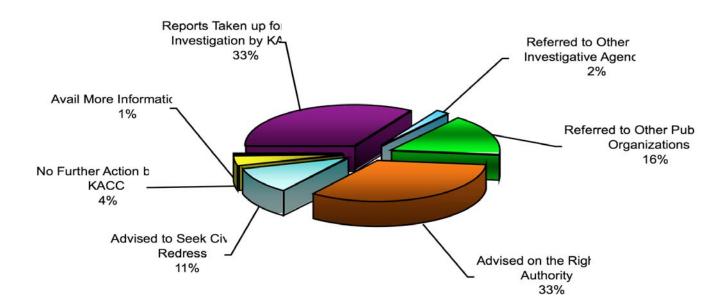
#### Reports Centre - Nairobi

During the month of **August 2009**, the Reports Centre Division processed **321** reports as compared to **375** in **July**. The number of cases received has slightly reduced with the relevance of cases that falls within the Commission's mandate remaining on average **31.8%** for the year.

After analysis and classification the reports were disposed off as follows:

- The Commission took up for investigation 108 reports which were found to be within its mandate. The Intelligence Production Department accounted for 74 of the reports; the Operations Department took up 21, while the Forensics Department took up the remaining 13.
- 6 reports were forwarded to other investigative agencies for action with the Criminal Investigations Department accounting for 4 and the Kenya Revenue Authority 2.
- The Commission referred **52** other reports to various Public Service Organisations for administrative intervention.
- In 34 reports the complainants were advised to seek civil redress.
- In 107 reports the complainants were advised on the right authority to report to.
- 12 reports did not disclose offences requiring intervention and were marked for No Further Action (NFA).
- In the remaining 2 reports, the complainants/informers were requested to avail more information.

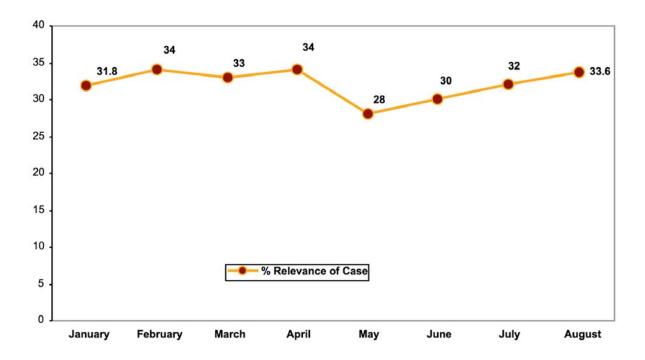
#### Categorization of reports processed by KACC in August 2009



# **Breakdown of Reports Processed.**

|    | Category   | Referral Agency                        | No. of cases | Total |  |  |  |
|----|--|--|--------------|-------|--|--|--|
|    |  | KACC - Intelligence Productions        | 74           |       |  |  |  |
|    | Reports taken-up for action by                     | KACC – Rapid Response                  | 21           | 108   |  |  |  |
| 1  | KACC   | KACC – Forensics                       | 13           | 100   |  |  |  |
|    |  |  |              |       |  |  |  |
|    | Post of Francisco de la College                    | Criminal Investigations Department     | 4            |       |  |  |  |
|    | Reports Forwarded to Other Investigative Agencies  | Kenya Revenue Authority KRA            | 2            | 6     |  |  |  |
| 2  |  |  |              |       |  |  |  |
|    |  |  |              |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | Ministry of Basic Education            | 10           |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | Ministry of Local Government           | 5            |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | Public Procurement Oversight Authority | 4            |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | CDF National Management Committee      | 3            |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | Ministry of Co-operative Development   | 2            | 52    |  |  |  |
| 3  | Reports Forwarded to Other                         | Department of Lands                    | 2            |       |  |  |  |
| 3  | Public Service Organisations                       | Kenya Bureau of Standards              | 1            |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | Ministry of Agriculture                | 1            |       |  |  |  |
|    |  | Other Organizations                    | 24           |       |  |  |  |
|    |  |  |              |       |  |  |  |
| 4  | Advised to Pursue the Matter in Court              |  |              |       |  |  |  |
| 5  | Advised on the right authority to report matter to |  |              |       |  |  |  |
| 6  | Complainants to Avail More Information             |  |              |       |  |  |  |
| 7  | No Further Action by KACC                          |  |              |       |  |  |  |
| To | tal  |  |              | 321   |  |  |  |

## Percentage Relevance of Cases Received for the past 8 months



## **Reports Centre - Mombasa**

35 cases received and processed in the month of August 2009. Disposal after analysis is as follows:-

- 6 reports were within KACC's mandate. 2 of the cases went to Intelligence Production, 2 to Forensic and 1 was taken by Rapid Response. 1 NFA overtaken by events.
- 4 cases were referred to other government bodies and investigative agencies.
- 25 advised accordingly

TABLE 1: Breakdown of Processed Reports.

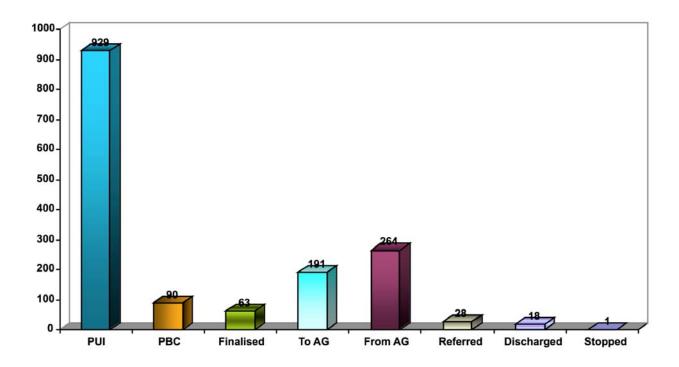
| S/No | Category                        | Referral Agency/Department           | No of<br>Cases | Total |  |
|------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------|--|
|      |                                 | Intelligence Production              | 2              |       |  |
| 1    | Cases taken up for action by    | Rapid Response                       | 1              | 6     |  |
| 1    | KACC                            | Forensic                             | 2              | U     |  |
|      |                                 | NFA                                  | 1              |       |  |
|      | Referred to other Investigative | PPO, Coast                           | 1              |       |  |
| 2    | Agencies                        | PCIO, Coast                          | 1              | 2     |  |
| 3    | Referred to Public              | Provincial Forest Officer            | 1              | 2     |  |
| 3    | Organisations                   | Provincial Medical officer of health | 1              | Z     |  |
| 4    | Advised                         | Pursue the matter in court           | 5              | 25    |  |
| 4    | Auviseu                         | Right authority to report            | 20             |       |  |
| TOTA | L                               |                                      |                | 35    |  |

# **Case Output for the month of August 2009**

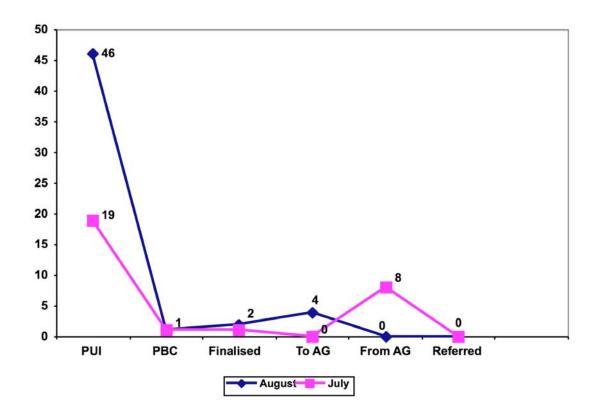
| Item        | Description                                     | No. of  | Cases |
|-------------|---|---------|-------|
|             |   | Segment |       |
| 1.PUI       | Cases Pending Investigation                     |         |       |
|             | Cases Received for Investigation                | 20      |       |
|             | Cases Assigned for Investigation                | 20      | 46    |
|             | Completed Files Forwarded to Crime Reader       | 6       |       |
| 2.Pbc       | Cases Taken to Court:                           |         |       |
|             | - Cases Taken for Plea                          | 1       | 1     |
| 3.Finalised | Cases Finalized Before Court:                   |         |       |
|             | - Convictions                                   | 1       |       |
|             | - Acquittals                                    | -       | 2     |
|             | - Discharges                                    | 1       |       |
|             | - 'Nolle prosequi'                              | -       |       |
| 4.TO A-G    | Files sent to the Attorney-General:             |         |       |
|             | - With Recommendation to Prosecute              | 1       |       |
|             | - With Recommendation for Closure               | 1       | 4     |
|             | - With Recommendation for Administrative Action | -       |       |
|             | After Further Investigations                    | 2       |       |
| 5. From A-G | Files Received from the Attorney-General        |         |       |
|             | To Prosecute                                    | -       |       |
|             | To Close Due to Insufficient Evidence           | -       |       |
| Advice      | For Administrative Action                       | -       | -     |
|             | For Further Investigation                       | -       |       |
|             | To Consolidate                                  | -       |       |
| 6.REFERRED  | Cases Referred to Other Agencies                | -       | -     |
| 7.REPORTS   | Investigation Reports Prepared For Action       | -       | -     |
|             |   |         |       |

<sup>\*</sup> Bribe demand cases not included.

# **Graphical Representation of the Cases as of 31st August 2009**



# Comparative Analysis of Cases processed in June and August 2009



# Forensic Investigation – Mombasa

The table below shows the activities of the Department it the period under review.

| Item               | Description/Status                              | No of cases | Total |  |
|--------------------|---|-------------|-------|--|
|                    | Case Status/Distribution                        |             |       |  |
|                    | New Cases Received during the month             | 2           |       |  |
| 1. Cases/ Reports  | Cases assigned for Investigations               | 9           | 17    |  |
|                    | Cases awaiting allocation                       |             |       |  |
|                    | Previous cases completed and Forwarded to Crime | 6           |       |  |
|                    | Reader(s)                                       | U           |       |  |
| 2.To A-G           | Files sent to the Attorney-General:             |             |       |  |
|                    | - With Recommendation to Prosecute              | -           |       |  |
|                    | - With Recommendation for Closure               | -           | 0     |  |
|                    | - With Recommendation for Administrative Action | -           |       |  |
|                    | After Further Investigations                    | -           |       |  |
| 3. From A-G        | Files Received from the Attorney-General        |             |       |  |
|                    | To Prosecute                                    | -           |       |  |
|                    | To Close Due to Insufficient Evidence           | -           | _     |  |
|                    | For Administrative Action -                     |             | 1     |  |
|                    | For Further Investigation                       | 1           |       |  |
|                    | To Consolidate                                  | -           |       |  |
| 4. Court           | Cases in Court:                                 |             |       |  |
|                    | - Cases Taken for Plea                          | -           |       |  |
|                    | - Cases on going                                |             |       |  |
| 5. Finalised       | Action taken                                    |             |       |  |
|                    | - Convictions                                   | -           |       |  |
|                    | - Acquittals                                    | -           |       |  |
|                    | - Discharges                                    | -           |       |  |
| - 'Nolle prosequi' |   | -           |       |  |
|                    | - Recommended for Administrative action         | -           |       |  |
| 6. REFERRED        | Cases Referred to Other Agencies                | 1           | 1     |  |

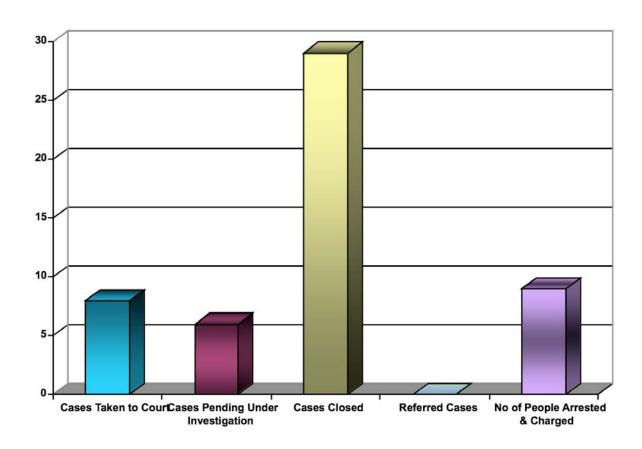
# Rapid Response – Nairobi Summary of Cases Received in August 2009

Below is a tabulation of cases and their respective status handled by the Department in August 2009

# **New cases received During the Month**

| Category |  | Status                          | Previous | August | Total |
|----------|--|---------------------------------|----------|--------|-------|
|          |  | Status                          | No       | No     | Total |
|          |  | Number of cases taken to court  | -        | 4      | 4     |
|          |  | Cases pending under             |          |        | 7     |
| 1.       | Bribery                                | Bribery Investigations          | 1        | 6      | ,     |
|          | -                                      | Cases Closed, No Further Action | 7        | 13     | 20    |
|          |  | Cases referred                  | -        | -      |       |
|          |  | PAKA                            | 1        | -      | 1     |
| 2.       | 2. Sting                               |                                 |          |        |       |
| TO       | TOTAL                                  |                                 |          | 23     | 32    |
| Nu       | Number of persons arrested and charged |                                 |          |        | 5     |

## Graphical Representation of the cases processed.



### **Running Summary of Cases in 2009**

The summary below shows the cumulative total number of cases dealt with by the Rapid Response Division-Nairobi from January-August 2009.

|   |         | Status                                 | Jan | Feb | Mar | April | May | June | August | Sept | Total |
|---|---------|--|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----|------|--------|------|-------|
|   |         | Number of cases taken to court         | 3   | 7   | 5   | 5     | 1   | 7    | 9      | 4    | 41    |
|   |         | Cases Closed, No Further Action        | 17  | 11  | 39  | 20    | 17  | 18   | 9 29 2 | 20   | 174   |
| 1 | Bribery | Cases Referred                         | 0   | 2   | 4   | 3     | 1   | 0    | 0      | 0    | 10    |
|   |         | Number of Persons arrested and charged | 3   | 8   | 7   | 6     | 0   | 0    | 9      | 5    | 38    |
|   |         |  |     |     |     |       |     |      |        |      |       |
|   |         |  |     |     |     |       |     |      |        |      |       |
|   |         | Cases Pending Under Investigation      |     |     |     |       |     |      |        |      | 7     |

# Rapid Response – Mombasa

The summary below shows the cumulative total number of cases dealt with by the Rapid Response Division Mombasa August 2009

| Categor     | ry             | Status              | No. of cases |  |  |
|-------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------|--|--|
|             |                | PBC                 | 0            |  |  |
| 1           | New Cases      | PUI                 | 1            |  |  |
| 1           | received       | Cases Closed, NFA   | 0            |  |  |
|             |                |                     |              |  |  |
| Total       |                |                     | 1            |  |  |
| Number      | r of persons a | rrested and charged | 0            |  |  |
| Cases ta    | ken to court D | -                   |              |  |  |
| Convictions |                |                     | -            |  |  |
| Acquitta    | als            | -                   |              |  |  |

# **Running Summary of Cases in 2009**

|         | Status                                 | Jan | Feb | Mar | April | May | June | Aug | Sept | Total |
|---------|--|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----|------|-----|------|-------|
|         | Number of case taken to Court          | 1   | -   | 1   | 1     | -   | -    | -   | -    | 3     |
|         | Cases closed. No further action        | 2   | 4   | 1   | 3     | 1   | 1    | 2   | -    | 14    |
| Bribery | Cases referred                         |     | -   | 1   | _     | -   | -    | _   | -    | 1     |
|         | Number of Persons arrested and charged | 2   | -   | 1   | 1     | -   | -    | -   | -    | 4     |
|         |  |     |     |     |       |     |      |     |      |       |
|         | Cases Pending under investigation      |     |     |     |       |     |      |     |      | 1     |

# **Intelligence Production Department- Nairobi**

The following report outlines the activities undertaken by Intelligence Production Department during the month under review.

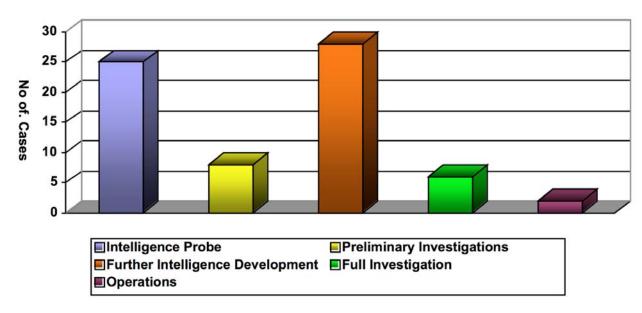
#### **Reports**

The Department received **25** reports from the Report Centre and **39** Intelligence Reports (IR) from various officers within the commission in the month of August 2009 and were distributed for action as follows:-

#### **Breakdown**

| Item             |                                  | Sources                             | No of Reports | Total |
|------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| Danama Danaina d |                                  | Report Centre                       |               | 64    |
| Ke               | ports Received                   | Confidential Sources                | 39            | 04    |
| Ha               | andling of the Reports           |                                     |               |       |
|                  | Task                             | Division                            | No of Reports |       |
| 1                | Intalliganca Proba               | New tasks to Collection<br>Division | 20            |       |
| 1                | Intelligence Probe               | Tasks completed during the month    | 5             |       |
| 2                | Preliminary<br>Investigation     | Preliminary Investigation           | 8             |       |
| 3                | Further Intelligence Development | Analysis and Production             | 28            |       |
| 4                | Full Investigation               | Forensic Investigation              | 6             |       |
| 5                | Operation                        | Rapid Response                      | 2             |       |

## **Graphical Representation of Handling of Cases**



#### 4.1 Intelligence Production – Mombasa

The following report outlines the activities undertaken by Intelligence Production Department during the month under review.

#### **Reports**

The Department received 1 report from the Reports Centre

#### Activities for the month

- 1. Completed a joint investigation with Forensics Department and forwarded 3 files for crime reading, concerning allegations of misappropriation of CDF funds in Lamu West Constituency.
- 2. Jointly with Forensic Department, continued investigations regarding illegal importation of over-age used motor vehicles by a cartel of importers, clearing agents, Kenya Bureau of Standards and Kenya Revenue Authority officers in contravention of Kenya Bureau of Standards regulation KS 1515: 2000.
- 3. Jointly with a team from IPD, Nairobi, conducted covert investigations and filed a report regarding allegations of tax evasion at Kilindini Port and various Container Freight stations.

**TABLE 7: Breakdown of cases** 

| Item                    |                              | Sources                             | No of Reports | Total |  |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------|-------|--|
| Reports Received        |                              | Report Centre                       |               | 2     |  |
| Ne                      | ports Received               | Confidential Sources                | 1             | 2     |  |
| Handling of the Reports |                              |                                     |               |       |  |
|                         | Task                         | Division                            | No of Reports |       |  |
| 1                       | Intelligence Ducke           | New tasks to Collection<br>Division | 1             |       |  |
| 1                       | Intelligence Probe           | Tasks completed during the month    | 1             |       |  |
| 2                       | Preliminary<br>Investigation | Preliminary Investigation           | 2             |       |  |
| 3                       | Full Investigation           | Forensic Investigation              | 1             |       |  |