

## KEBS PUBLIC NOTICE ON RENEWAL OF QISJ CONTRACT

The Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS) is a State Corporation established under the Standards Act, Cap. 496, Laws of Kenya. KEBS is mandated to provide quality assurance of imports in accordance with Kenya Standards or approved specifications, among other functions. In executing this mandate, KEBS undertakes inspection of imported goods both in the country of export through the Pre-Export Verification of Conformity (PVoC) to Standards programme, and at destination or ports of entry.

The PVoC services are delivered through inspection agencies contracted by KEBS under a three (3) year contract cycle.

KEBS wishes to inform stakeholders and the general public that, following a competitive procurement process, the contract for **Quality Inspection Services Inc. Japan (QISJ)** to provide Pre-Export Verification of Conformity (PVoC) services for used motor vehicles, mobile equipment, and spare parts has been renewed for a further **period of three (3) years with effect from 19th May 2026.**

QISJ shall continue to provide PVoC services in the following countries:

- (a) Japan
- (b) United Arab Emirates (UAE)
- (c) United Kingdom (UK)
- (d) South Africa
- (e) Thailand

Stakeholders and the general public are further notified that **ALL** used motor vehicles, mobile equipment, and spare parts exported from the above-listed countries **SHOULD** be accompanied by Certificate of Roadworthiness (CoRs), for used motor vehicles, and Certificates of Conformity (CoCs), for mobile equipment, and spare parts, issued by QISJ. Used motor vehicles, mobile equipment, and spare parts without valid CoRs / CoCs shall be subjected to destination inspection upon arrival in Kenya, at a fee equivalent to five percent (5%) of the approved customs value, as stipulated in Legal Notice No. 78 of 2020.

For used motor vehicles, mobile equipment, and spare parts originating from countries not covered under the QISJ mandate, shall continue to be subjected to destination inspection upon payment of an inspection fee equivalent to zero-point six percent (0.6%) of the approved customs value, subject to a minimum of USD 300 and a maximum of USD 3,500.

For further information or clarification, please contact KEBS through telephone: **+254 20 6948646 / 456 / 439 / 000** or email: [pvoc@kebs.org](mailto:pvoc@kebs.org) / [info@kebs.org](mailto:info@kebs.org)

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