



## February 2012 Monthly Report for COMPETE Grantees KTA COMPETE – CAPACITY ENHANCING TO SUSTAINABILITY

### REPORT ON KTA ACTIVITIES FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2012

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Activities	Activity Status
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Advocacy:</b> Municipal Council of Mombasa (MCM) proposed fees and charges</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The MCM gazette new fees and charges February. KTA Secretariat engaged in meetings with other stakeholders and obtained a court order through a private individual to suspend the proposed charges. KTA was enjoined with the National Chamber of Commerce.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Advocacy:</b> Transit Goods Licensed Trucks</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The Secretariat embarked on negotiations with KRA on the issue of transit goods trucks to be allowed to carry return cargo. We have obtained authority for our members to carry return cargo from outside the country.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Advocacy:</b> Music Copyright Society of Kenya Permits</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. Truck owners were being asked to pay for MCSK permits to install radios in their trucks. KTA engaged the officials of MCSK and received a written notice on 27<sup>th</sup> Jan 2012 to officially state that prime movers do not require such permits.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Advocacy:</b> Trucking Industry Survey</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The trucking Industry survey is sponsored by the world bank and piloted by KTA. The ongoing project aims at establishing fact based data for use by KTA on member advocacy issues.</li> </ul>



<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Members Services:</b> Training</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. A meeting to discuss KTA/Total/World bank training partnership program was held on 9<sup>th</sup> of February 2012 at KTA Secretariat. Several training programs for drivers, fleet managers and directors were planned to be held within the year.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Members Services:</b> East Africa HCV drivers Institute</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The viewing of various premises to host The East Africa heavy commercial vehicle drivers institute was carried out. Office space was identified in Links plaza, Tea house and Taara plaza in Mombasa. The Executive Committee will make a decision on the most appropriate location for the Institute.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Member Services:</b> The Industrial Training Act (Cap. 237) Directorate of Industrial Training registration, levy remittances and reimbursements.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished The Secretariat staff held a meeting on 29<sup>th</sup> February 2012 at DIT Mombasa. They obtained latest requirements and procedures for claiming refunds from DIT which will benefit KTA members registered with DIT and who send their staff for various trainings to claim back their refunds.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Members Services:</b> E - portal Single Window Project, the GPS and transport observatory projects</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The E portal Single window project is sponsored by TMEA in partnership with the World bank. An ICT consultant has been seconded at the Secretariat to spear head the project.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Members Services:</b> Drivers Central Database</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The Secretariat embarked on a project to prepare a data base for KTA members to assist members carry out correct recruitment of drivers. The Secretariat has sent out an appeal to all KTA members asking for specific information on driver employment and management.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Members Services:</b> KTA Magazine(The Transporter)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accomplished. The transporter edition 14 was published and distributed to all members and stakeholders. It generated a total revenue of 1.5 million.</li> </ul>