



Consultancy Call for The Review of Laws, Policies and Institutional Frameworks on Indigenous Peoples and Community Conserved Territories and Areas in Kenya (ICCAs).

Introduction

Pamoja Trust (PT) is a non-profit making organization dedicated to promoting access to land, shelter and basic services for the urban poor. The organization takes principled and pragmatic approaches to protection and promotion of socio-economic rights through advocacy and precedence setting models for problem solving. Pamoja provides social, technical and legal expertise at local communities, national and international levels to ensure attainment social justice principles and that national and international human rights standards are implemented in favor of the most vulnerable citizens.

The proposed assignment specifically is related to common property resources on land, which support pastoralism, fisheries, agriculture, and forestry. Pamoja Trust seek to undertake a legal analysis to assess the impact of laws, policies and institutional frameworks on Indigenous Peoples and Community Conserved Territories and Areas (ICCAs) in Kenya within the framework of the new governance and Constitutional dispensation introduced by the Constitution of Kenya, 2010. The analysis will help IPs and communities better appreciate the opportunities and constraints within the new dispensation, and draw the attention of Government and other stakeholders on gaps that need to be addressed in order to strengthen the governance of ICCAs and thereby maintain the integrity of ecosystems, cultures and human wellbeing. It is on this basis that Pamoja Trust is seeking to recruit a consultant to carry out a policy environment analysis.

The main outputs of this assignment include a synthesis paper and a policy brief. The analysis is to assess the impact of laws, policies and institutional frameworks in Indigenous peoples and Community Conserved Territories and Areas (ICCAs).

Objectives of the Assignment

- a. Develop a synthesis paper on the laws, policies and institutional frameworks' in indigenous people and Community Conserved Territories and Areas.
- b. Develop a policy brief from the synthesis paper.

Competencies.

- a. Good knowledge of the context of laws, policies and institutional frameworks' in indigenous people and Community Conserved Territories and Areas.
- b. Minimum of five years' experience of working in the land sector.
- c. Good knowledge of the national policies and legal framework around land and land issues.
- d. Proven awareness and sensitivity on land management.
- e. Demonstrated experience with preparation of such strategies and policy papers.

All interested applicants should submit their expression of interest in soft copy through our email address recruit@pamojatrust.org and copied to cj.wawira@pamojatrust.org with the subject line: **Consultancy Call for the Review of Laws, Policies and Institutional Frameworks on Indigenous Peoples and Community Conserved Territories and Areas (ICCAs) in Kenya**. Applications shall be reviewed on a rolling basis.