Newsletter
2nd QUARTER ACTIVITIES 2019 (April - June 2019)
This newsletter presents activities and events that FPEAK was involved in for the months of April, May and June 2019.

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### Minor Crop Agrochemical Extrapolation

FPEAK is working with Pesticides Control Products Board (PCPB), Agrochemicals Association of Kenya (AAK) and Kenya Plant Health Inspectorate Services (KEPHIS) to extrapolate agrochemicals and have pesticides registered/ include in labels for minor crops. As at 25th May, 2019, 51 Permits on minor crops have been issued by PCPB and a total of 20 efficacy reports have been received as follows:

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<th>Crop</th>
<th>No. of permits issued</th>
<th>Total No. of efficacy reports received</th>
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<td></td>
<td>Insect Pests</td>
<td>Diseases</td>
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<td>Herbs</td>
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<td>Broccoli</td>
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<td>Chillies</td>
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<td>Sweet corn</td>
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<td>Runner beans</td>
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<td>Snow peas</td>
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<td>Spinach</td>
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<td>Baby corn</td>
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<td>Grand Total</td>
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Quarterly Herbs Exporters Meeting

As a measure to regulate the herbs sector, KEPHIS has agreed to be hosting Herbs Exporters for quarterly meetings which will give them an opportunity to update the sector on technical and market issues, development and measures being taken to successfully run the businesses. In the previous meeting, the industry has agreed to be more vigilant in pest management and documentation processes. KEPHIS will in the meanwhile help negotiate access to new markets. The next meeting is set for 27th August 2019 at KEPHIS JKIA office.

COLEACP Labor Training

COLEACP continues to support FPEAK to build its capacity as well as the capacity of our members through training. COLEACP supported the training on the required labor conditions at the workplace. The training took place in AICAD at JKUAT on 11th to 13th June 2019 and FPEAK organized logistics on behalf of COLEACP for the training.

Ms. Anita Patel addresses the participants during the training
National Interpretation Guidelines on GRASP

The GlobalG.A.P. National Technical Working Group – Kenya (NTWG) which is hosted at FPEAK, finalized on the development of the National Interpretation Guidelines (NIG) on GRASP for Kenya. The guidelines are already uploaded on the GlobalG.A.P. website. These guidelines are important during certification on GlobalG.A.P. on the social practice aspect. COLEACP supported the development of these guidelines.

FPEAK members appointed to the COLEACP Board

FPEAK Chairman, Apollo Owour and Karim Dostmohamed of Frigoken Limited have been appointed to the Board of COLEACP representing members of the ACP. They join 16 other members from across Europe and ACP countries to steer the COLEACP programs going forward.

Mr. Karim Dostmohamed

Mr. Apollo Owuor
AgriFi Second Call for Application

Self Help Africa announced the second call for applications for the AgriFi Kenya Challenge Fund. The eligibility criteria for this call is available on the call guidelines that can be downloaded on www.agrifichallengefund.org

FOSEK Training

FPEAK has been contracted by Solidaridad Eastern and Central Africa to provide agronomy training to over 500 Trainer of Trainers (ToTs) in its food security project. FPEAK is conducting these trainings at selected locations within the project implementation areas that include Kericho, Bungoma, Nyeri, Machakos, Kiambu and Embu. The main thrust of the training is to equip the ToTs with skills on production and marketing of crops that include; avocado, banana, cabbage, kales, tomatoes, sweet potato, Irish potato, Cowpeas, pigeon peas, sweet corn and baby corn.
Upcoming Events

Kenya Farm Tech Expo
8th - 9th August 2019
www.farmtech-expo-kenya.com

Naivasha Hortifair
20th - 21st September 2019
www.naivashahortifair.com

Mwanza East Africa Trade Fair, Tanzania
August - September 2019

Tokyo International Conference on African Development
28th - 30th August 2019
INTERCEPTIONS

Industry Interception Statistics, APRIL - JUNE 2019

Documentation cases include: Additional Declaration Missing | Plant Passport: Incomplete | Plant Passport copy/ Duplicata Not Endorsed | Incorrect Identity Declared On Documents | False Information | Non Compliance With Special Requirements | Additional Declaration Inadequate Or Invalid

Harmful Organisms include: Liriomyza huidobrensis | Tephritidae | Thaumatotibia leucotreta | Bemisia tabaci | Liriomyza | Liriomyza sativae

Source: https://ec.europa.eu/food/plant/plant_health_biosecurity/europhyt/interceptions_en
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