

GESD

ANNEX 1: ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL SCREENING FORM FOR SCREENING OF POTENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL IMPACTS OF GESD PROJECT ACTIVITIES



Government of Republic of Malawi

GOVERNANCE TO ENABLE SERVICE DELIVERY PROJECT (GESD)

Environmental & Social Screening Form

(Guidelines: Site inspection of project site. The evaluation results to be a consensus of at least two officials)

Project Name: OFFICE CONSTRUCTION (RIURIVI EPA)	District: BALEKA
Project Location TA: NSAMALA GVH: LUPANZA Coordinates:	Name of Zone RIURIVI EPA
Name of Village: LAKALAKA	Nature/Size:
Name, Signature & Designation of Evaluator(s): 1. MAC DONALD MUKASITO - F/A 2. Austin Malizeni - DFO 3. IDA MWEZALAZA - Ag ESO	Date of Field Evaluation: 21 JUN 2021
	Sector AGRICULTURE

	Impact	Appraisal		Significance			Proposed Mitigation Measures
		Yes	No	Low	Medium	high	
1.0	Environmental Screening						
	Will the project generate the following negative impacts						
1.1	Loss of trees/vegetation	✓			✓		tree planting
1.2	Soil erosion	✓		✓			vetiv planting
1.3	Siltation of water courses		✓				-
1.4	Loss of habitat to wildlife		✓				
1.5	Dust emissions	✓			✓		wide roads to minimize dust
1.6	Generation of solid wastes	✓			✓		appropriate waste disposal
1.7	Increased incidences of open defecation	✓					construction of toilets
1.8	Borrow pits and pools of stagnant water		✓				
1.9	Rubble/heaps of excavated soils		✓				
1.10	Introduction of Alien / Invasive plants and animal species		✓				

	Impact	Appraisal		Significance			Proposed Mitigation Measures
		Yes	No	Low	Medium	high	
1.11	Destabilisation of river banks and or drainage system due to sand mining		✓				
1.12	Spread of water related diseases e.g. Diarrhoea		✓				
1.13	Loss of soil fertility		✓				
1.14	Contamination from agrochemicals and pesticides		✓				
1.14	Salinisation or alkalinisation of soils		✓				
1.15	Reduced water quality and quantity		✓				
1.16	Incidence of flooding		✓				
1.17	Removal of native tree species		✓				
2.0	Social and Economic Screening						
	Will the project generate the following negative social and economic impacts?						
2.1	Disruption of marriages	✓		✓			Awareness Campaign
2.2	Risk of injuries to workers and communities	✓		✓			- Sanitation facilities - first aid kit
2.3	Spread of HIV/Aids and STIs	✓		✓			- wearing of protective attire - awareness campaign, provision of condoms
	Risk of child labour		✓				
2.4	Increase in cases of gender based violence		✓				
2.5	Increase in risk of theft and crime		✓				
2.6	Loss of or impacts on private land/gardens		✓				
2.7	Loss of or impacts on private residential premises		✓				
2.8	Loss of or impacts on private commercial premises		✓				
2.9	Loss of or impacts on crops for a person/persons		✓				
2.10	Loss of or impacts on forest trees for a person/persons		✓				
2.11	Loss of or impacts on fruit trees for a person/persons		✓				
2.12	Eviction of squatters		✓				
2.13	Eviction of vendors		✓				
2.14	Loss of or impacts on rental accommodation		✓				
2.16	Closure/blockage of public footpath/road		✓				
2.17	Blockage of pathways for livestock		✓				
2.18	Loss of or impacts on grazing land		✓				
2.19	Loss of or impacts on cultural sites – graveyards, ritual sites		✓				
2.20	Loss of or impacts on public facilities – church, borehole, water kiosks,		✓				
2.21	Loss of or impacts on access to public water resources/facilities		✓				
2.22	Loss of or impacts on access to natural resources	✓	✓	✓			afforestation
	Conflicts over use of natural resources e.g. water and forest resources		✓				
	Loss or impact on communal facilities e.g. playground,		✓				

3.0	SCREENING CRITERIA FOR POSITIVE IMPACTS	Yes	No	Low	Medium	High	Proposed Measures	Enhancement
	Will the project generate the following positive social and economic impacts?							

3.1	Creation of job opportunities	✓				✓	
3.2	Promotion of local skills and knowledge	✓				✓	
3.3	Asset creation	✓				✓	
3.4	Improved transportation		✓				
3.5	Improved food security	✓				✓	
3.6	Increased household income	✓				✓	
3.7	Improved standards of living/social status	✓				✓	
3.8	Creation of business opportunities	✓			✓		
3.9	Restoration of vegetative cover	✓			✓		Afforestation
3.10	Reduced soil erosion	✓					Through implementation of various intervention such as tree planting & vetiver planting

Consultation (comments from beneficiaries) We warmly welcome the project as it

will help to improve extension workers service delivery. This will therefore help farmers to get the much needed services hence improved food security

Overall evaluation of Environmental and Socioeconomic Screening Exercises.

The results of the screening process would be either the proposed sub - projects would be exempted or subjected to further environmental and resettlement assessment. The basis of these options is listed in the table below:

Review of Environmental Screening	Tick	Review of Socioeconomic Screening	Tick
1. The project is cleared. No serious impacts. (When all scores are "No" in form)		1. The project is cleared. No serious social impact. (Where scores are all "No", "few" in form)	
2. There is need for further assessment. (when some score is "Yes, High" in form)		2. There is need for resettlement/compensation. (When some score is "Yes, High" in form)	
3. Need to prepare ESMP		3. Need to prepare RAP	

Endorsement by Environmental District Officer	Endorsement by Director of Planning and Development
Name: IDA MULWELALAMBA	Name: E. Chihara
Signature: [Signature] Date: 22/08/21	Signature: [Signature] Date: 23/08/21

NOTES:

1. The DPD shall ensure that a completed form is filed within project file immediately after endorsement. EDO should keep a duplicate.
2. Project Management Committee will maintain a copy of completed form

NAME OF BENEFICIARY REP: GRACE GALAFFA
SIGNATURE: G. Galaffa
DATE: 21/08/21
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ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL MANAGEMENT PLAN (ESMP)

Project Name: ...Rivirivi EPA Office block Construction.....**District:**Balaka.....**TA:**Nsamala.....
GVH:Lupanga.....**ZONE:** Balaka West Constituency.....

Expected Environmental /Social impacts	Proposed Mitigation/enhancement Measures	Output indicators	Target	Responsibility For implementing Mitigation Measures	Responsibility for monitoring the implementation of Mitigation Measures	Date of implementation	Required inputs
Cutting down of trees	Planting trees to replace the ones that have been cut	-No of trees planted -Area (ha) planted	1:10	VDC, Market Committee, VNRMC	ADC, DESC	During the construction	seedlings
Increase generation of waste around the site	(i)Conduct sensitization meetings	(i)No of sensitization meetings conducted	2	VDC, Market committee	ADC, DESC	Before and during the construction	Fuel and allowances
	(ii) Dig rubbish pits	(ii)No of rubbish pits	1	VDC, Market Committee	ADC, DESC	During the construction	Fuel and allowances
	(i)Sensitize community members on Child labour to ensure that no person under the age of 18	No of meetings conducted	4	VDC, Market committee	DLO, DESC, ADC	Before and during construction	Fuel and allowances
Child labour as children will be interested to provide labor		(ii)Use of	All				

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Spread of Covid-19	-Conduct sensitization meetings. Distribute handwashing/sanitary facility (Basin, Pail, soap)	No. of sensitization meetings conducted	All beneficiaries	Project committee, Extension workers Beneficiaries, Project committee, Extension workers	VDC, ADC, DESC VDC, ADC, DESC	Before and during project implementation	Fuel
Spread of HIV/AIDS and STIs	-Conduct sensitization meetings on the dangers of unprotected sex	No of meetings conducted	Surrounding area	Project committee & VDC	VDC, ADC Ext. Workers	Before the start of project & after completion	Fuel & stationery

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	-Linking beneficiaries to the nearest Health Centre/Distribution of condoms	No of condoms		Project committee & HAS	VDC, ADC Ext. Workers	During the implementation period of the project	Condoms, fuel
						of the project	