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# EACOP TANZANIA UPDATES



Supporting the Landslide Survivors in Hanang District



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## INTRODUCTION

East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) Ltd, is a special purpose company, that will construct and operate the East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP), a 1,443 km long crude oil export pipeline that will transport Uganda's oil from Kabaale- Hoima in Uganda to the Chongoleani Peninsula near Tanga Port in Tanzania for export to the international market. This major export system, 296km in Uganda and 1,447KM in Tanzania), with a transportation capacity of 216,000bopd comprises of a 24 inch, insulated, heat traced and buried pipeline, six pumping stations (2 in Uganda and 4 in Tanzania), two pressure reduction stations and a Marine Storage Terminal. The Company is operated by its Shareholders Agreement in which TotalEnergies (62%), Uganda National Oil Company (UNOC - 15%), Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (TPDC - 15%) and CNOOC (8%) are shareholders. This update aims to provide the eight Authorities, 27 Districts/ Towns/ City Councils hosting the EACOP project with a status report on ongoing activities in their areas. The goal is to convey practical information about the current field activities, facilitating engagement and keeping the authorities informed. **EACOP activities as of December 2023** 



#### **Pipeline Route**



Location of EACOP pipeline route and permanent Above Ground Installations (AGIs) (PS: Pumping Stations, PRS: Pressure Reduction Stations, MST: Marine Storage Terminal)



## **PROJECT CONSTRUCTION**

#### Project progress highlights as of December 2023



## Pipeline, Early Civil Works (ECW) of the Main Camps and Pipeyards (MCPY)

- CPP Pipeline Crossings Survey (57 sites) continues and due to heavy rain impacting access to some locations, is likely to continue into January 2024.
- JV Spek Early Civil Works (ECW) MCPY-16 & Nyanza Roads ECW MCPY-05 was paused due to heavy rains in December with restart scheduled from 2 January 2024.
- CPP MCPY-15 camp construction continues.
- ECW MCPY- 11, 10, 09, 08 & 06 are complete. Site have been handed over to CPP who are responsible for site security. MCPY-09 starts to host CPP equipment and materials.
- JV Spek ECW MCPY-07 completed, site handover over to CPP scheduled for early 2024. Walkdown and handover to CPP done early December.

- Kagongwa Road upgrade has continued through December, heavy rains expected to delay completion until early January.
- From 3rd week of December the first pipe delivery arrived at Dar es Salaam port and Main Logistics Contractor (MLC) started transporting pipe sections to the TIS.

## Above Ground Installation (AGI): Pump Stations (PS) & Pressure Reduction Stations (PRS)

- CPP start PS4 (Bukombe), PS 5 (Igunga), PS6 (SIngida), and PRS 2 (Handeni) ECW preparation (site clearance activities). PS3 and PRS 1 site preparation works started as well.
- CPP local workforce recruitment started at PS-4, PS-5, PS-6, PRS-1 and PRS-2 to support these activities.



#### Thermal Insulation System (TIS) - the Coating Yard facility

- WASCO ISOAF continues pipe coating facility construction at the TIS while pipe sections begin to arrive at the TIS in readiness for initial pipe coating.
- WASCO ISOAF construction of TIS camp facilities, utilities and services to accommodate the TIS workforce and manage the coating yard operations continues.
- WASCO ISOAF community awareness raising on road safety continues, community content initiatives progress during December.

#### Main Storage Tanks & Terminals (MST)

 DOCG continues site preparation for the main construction phase, also impacted by heavy rains during December. Tank A construction started; foundation excavation started this month.  DOCG routine engagements with all Chongoleani peninsula communities continue with focus on completion of road upgrade to the MST site, preparation for and increasing recruitment of local labour in advance of main construction activities in January 2024.

#### Jetty

• BBN piling activities continue, 7 permanent piles completed. Test piling works at location 2 completed and preparation works for location 1 ongoing.



## EACOP EXTENDS AID TO MUDSLIDE VICTIMS IN HANANG

EACOP donated 1,000 bags of cement to support mudslide victims in Hanang District, Manyara Region.

Speaking during the event, the Regional Commissioner of Manyara, Ms Queen Sendiga, said, the recent calamity in Hanang has left our communities in dire need, and the humanitarian aid from EACOP comes as a great help during these challenging times. We appreciate their swift response and support in our efforts to rebuild and recover from this tragedy.

The heavy rain in Hanang District triggered widespread flooding and landslides, particularly on the steep slopes of Mount Hanang, impacting areas around the towns of Katesh and Gendabi.

The EACOP Tanzania branch, Communications Lead, Ms Catherine Mbatia said, "As one of the districts where our pipeline traverses, EACOP recognises the responsibility to stand in solidarity with the communities affected by this tragedy," She added: "The core values of EACOP extend beyond our operational commitments.



This disaster claimed more than 80 lives, displacement of thousands of individuals and caused extensive damage to farmland.

I want to express our appreciation to EACOP for their assistance. The aid received will help to alleviate the immediate challenges we are facing, providing comfort and relief to the affected families.

This partnership between EACOP and the community is an example of unity in times of adversity," shared by a beneficiary of the humanitarian aid.



EACOP Contributes 1,000 Bags of Cement to Aid Government Resettlement Efforts for Flood and Landslide Survivors in Katesh, Hanang District, Manyara Region.



# LAND & SOCIAL

## LAND ACQUISITION UPDATES

#### **Compensation Agreements Signing**

The count of unsigned Pipeline PAPs has reduced from 81 to 80. Notably, one PD PAP from Geita, who had been absent for an extended period, has been located. Following the escrow review process, the individual has successfully signed the compensation agreement.





# Progress Metrics: Compensation Agreements signing (Pipeline and Above Ground Installations)

Region	Number of PAPs Economically Displaced and Physically Displaced	Number of Compensation Agreement Signed (Pipeline & Above Ground Installations)	Unsigned Compensation Agreements. (Pipeline & Above Ground Installations)	Number of Paid PAPs (Pipeline & Above Ground Installations)
Kagera	2,316	2,306	10	2,306
Geita	1,468	1,456	12	1,455
Shinyanga	619	609	10	609
Tabora	945	938	7	938
Singida	1,296	1,287	9	1,287
Dodoma	816	810	6	810
Manyara	474	468	6	468
Tanga	1,580	1,560	20	1,560
Total	9,514	9,434	80	9,433

#### Additional Land Acquisition at MCPY 12-Kondoa & KP 961-Singida

For technical reasons, there have been two recent changes to the EACOP Project footprint with an additional 11 ha of land being required in Kondoa at MCPY 12 and a short reroute at KP 961 in Singida. The engagement, land delineation, assets and

socio-economic surveys have been completed for these changes. Valuation reports were prepared and approved by the Government Chief Valuer.

Compensation agreements preparation is completed. Currently EACOP is waiting for gazettement of the Notice of Intention to Acquire Land prior to commencement of compensation agreement signing.

#### **Transitional Support Services**

Completed delivery of December Transitional support services for all regions. The support provided included actual food baskets for zone 1 and 3 regions (Kagera, Geita, Shinyanga and Tanga) and cash allowance transfers for zone 2 regions (Tabora, Singida, Dodoma and Manyara).

95% of eligible PAHs have received support in the month of December 2023. Pending PAHs are due to unsigned Compensation Agreements, and absence. Efforts to locate those who did not receive food baskets are underway.



**Overall progress**: Two rounds of Transitional support deliveries (actual food baskets and cash allowances) have been successfully delivered to eligible Pipeline, MST terrestrial and diver fishers PAHs.

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S/NO.	Region	PAPs	PAPs received Transitional Support in Dec 2023	%	Comments
1	Kagera	1,961	1889	96%	Received actual food baskets
2	Geita	1,289	1210	94%	Received actual food baskets
3	Shinyanga	514	498	97%	Received actual food baskets
4	Tabora	843	842	100%	Received cash allowances
5	Singida	1,159	1144	99%	Received cash allowances
6	Dodoma	765	750	98%	Received cash allowances
7	Manyara	418	416	100%	Received cash allowances
8	Tanga	1,414	1209	86%	Received actual food baskets
Тс	otal	8,363	7,958	95%	

#### Second round Transitional support services deliveries December 2023



Project Affected Person (PAP) after receiving December food basket in Tanga Region.

#### **Pipeline Relocation Assessment and Support**

The relocation process is now 100% complete, with all Project-Affected Persons (PAPs) having successfully relocated from the project area.



9,514 completed relocations



#### **Relocation support updates**

RELOCATION PROGRESS								
S/NO.	Regions	PAPS	Completed relocation	% Progress				
1	Kagera	2,316	2,316	100%				
2	Geita	1,468	1,468	100%				
3	Shinyanga	619	619	100%				
4	Tabora	945	945	100%				
5	Singida	1,296	1,296	100%				
6	Dodoma	816	816	100%				
7	Manyara	474	474	100%				
8	Tanga	1,580	1,580	100%				
	Total	9,514	9,514	100%				

#### **Pipeline Grave Removal**

There are 11 newly identified graves within the project footprint in Tanga (5 graves), Geita (1 grave), Singida 4 graves) and Tabora (1 grave). Preparation of supplementary valuation report ongoing. The relocation of these graves will be done after payments of compensation and gazettement of the Notice of Intention to Remove Graves.



#### **New Claimed Graves**

S/N	Region	District	Village	No of Graves	Status
1	Singida	Singida DC	Idisimba	4	Preparation of supplementary valuation report ongoing.
2	Tabora	lgunga	lgogo	1	Preparation of supplementary valuation report ongoing.
3	Tanga	Muheza	Lusanga C	5	Preparation of supplementary valuation report ongoing.
4	Geita	Geita	lgando	1	Preparation of supplementary valuation report ongoing.
		Total	11		

#### **Pipeline Cadastral Survey**

Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (TPDC) submitted the Cadastral survey data to EACOP. Review of the data ongoing. Preparation of Granted Right of Occupancy ongoing.



#### Cadastral survey Data submitted

## LIVELIHOOD RESTORATION

#### Livelihoods Restoration Program (LRP)

#### Land preparation and planting, Maize Improvement, and Crop diversification (LRA1-3)

1024 Pipeline Project Affected Households (PAHs) in the Geita region received support for Livelihood Restoration Activities, covering activities like land preparation, crop planting, maize improvement, and crop diversification.

PAHs were provided with agricultural inputs (crop seeds, fertilizer, pesticides, and herbicides), participated in the training, carried out farming using agricultural best practices, and received key messages on entitlements. Ward and village leaders have been actively engaged in enhancing sustainable practices across the region.



These efforts- Livelihood Restoration Activities are underway in regions including Kagera, Shinyanga, Tabora, Manyara, Dodoma, Singida, and Tanga with both the Pipeline and Priority Areas.

#### Development of vegetable 'Kitchen' gardens and crop diversity and, Improved agriculture production

29 Project Affected Households (PAH) in Tanga City- Marine Storage Terminal (MST) were supported with best vegetable farming practices. 17 (59%) out of 29 harvested 780kg of vegetables including Amaranths, bunches, Okra, and Chinese Cabbage which enhanced PAH livelihood restoration by consuming part of the harvest and selling to earn income.

18 PAHs in Tanga city have been supported in the improvement of farming for crop produce, considered crops including groundnuts, cassava, mung beans, and sweet potato. VUNA Agribusiness- the contractor has been key in enabling and monitoring crop development at PAHs. 2 (100%) out of 2 PAHs that opted for groundnuts harvested 450 kgs of groundnuts and 1 PAH that opted for sweet potato harvested 28 bunches of sweet potato. Crop management has been in progress to enable PAHs' optimal performance in improving cassava and mung bean production to 18 and 2 PAHs respectively, successfully, two Projected Affected Households have adapted for improved agriculture production by replanting mung bean, in 0.12 and 0.11 acres each, after harvesting produce that was supported by the project and crops are progressing well.





Photo 1: VUNA Agribusiness personnel monitoring kitchen garden- Okra vegetable progress at PAH- Kinanasi Nzarubas' land parcel in Tanga city.



Photo 2: VUNA Agribusiness personnel - on the right providing extension service to PAH - Mwanasha Abdallah for a kitchen garden of Spinach and Amaranths in Tanga city.



Photo 3: VUNA Agribusiness personnel monitoring mung bean developments of PAH- Omary Jambia that has adapted for improved agriculture production on 0.11 acres land parcel in Tanga city.

## **REPLACEMENT HOUSING**

All 296 houses are complete and have been handed over to their respective PAPs with a global construction progress at 100%.



The conclusion of the house construction marks the beginning of a one-year warranty period. During this duration, the Project, along with their contractors, shall be responsible to remedy any identified defects that may arise from the replacement houses. Table below indicate the timeframe for the warranty period for each of the eight (8) pipeline regions.



	PROVISIONAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATES - PIPELINE REPLACEMENT HOUSING CONSTRUCTION									
N	o of Work Packages		7		No. of PAPS	263				
٦	otal No. of Structures	838			No. of Houses	296				
S/No	Work Package (WP)	Pipeline Region	No. of PAPs	No. of Houses	Houses Handed Over	No of PAPs Handed Over	RAP to PAP	No. PAC Issued	End of 1 Year Warranty Period	Remarks
1	WP-1	Kagera North	40	41	41	40	40	40	15-Jul-24	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
2	WP-2	Kagera South	64	67	67	64	64	64	19-Jun-24	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
3	WP-3	Geita Region	25	28	28	25	25	25	27-Jul-24	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
4	WP-4	Shinyanga Region Tabora Region	25	29	29	25	25	25	10-Aug-24	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
5	WP-5	Singida Region	27	38	38	27	27	27	15 Oct 2024	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
6	WP-6	Dodoma Region Manyara Region	42	50	50	42	42	42	13 Nov 2024	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
7	WP-7	Tanga Region	40	43	43	40	40	40	27 Nov 2024	Provisional Acceptance Certificates 100% collected warranty period has started on all houses
	TOTAL NOS.		263	296	296	263	263	263		
		1	OTAL STRUCTURE	838	100%	100%	100%	100%		

## STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT – GOVERNMENT AND COMMUNITY

The focus of engagement in December was to provide a general project update, conduct a quarter-four traditional leaders workshop, support RAP teams on coordination and distribution of food baskets, support livelihood restoration contractors on farm input distribution, and to support CPP contractors on different AGI and MCPY sites activities.

A total of 125 meetings were held, bringing together 2,412 stakeholders, of whom 742 (31%) were women.

Area/ Level	Meetings	Number of Persons	Women
Regional	5	7	25
District	19	115	7
Ward Authority	10	17	19
Village Authority (VDC, VEO, VC, Village Committees)	26	78	51
Meeting with Authorities	60	217	585
PAC (Village Assembly, Small Group, FGD)	42	1,885	106
PAP& Individual Meeting	23	310	691
Meetings with communities	65	2,195	742
Total	125	2,412	212

#### **December 2023 Broad Stakeholder Engagement Statistics**

#### The Table Below Summarizes Engagements Per Region

	Kagera	Geita	Shinyanga	Tabora	Singida	Manyara	Dodoma	Tanga	Total
Meetings	41	53	37	79	43	51	24	63	391
Participants	661	1,484	316	2,871	452	1,393	614	1,355	9,146
Women	261	652	122	1,314	163	388	224	580	3,704

## Vulnerable Ethnic Groups Self-Identifying as Indigenous People

In this month, 23 meetings were held with Vulnerable Ethnic Groups self-identifying as Indigenous People. The team managed to engage 217 stakeholders, of whom 212 (27%) were women. Among these meetings, was a quarter-four traditional leaders meeting which was held in Arusha between the 13th to 15th of December. Apart from providing the general project update, the workshop aimed at evaluating the implementation of EACOP's Plan for Vulnerable Ethnic Groups selfidentifying as Indigenous People. The findings from these discussions were shared with the audience at the end of the workshop.



#### Summary of December Vulnerable Ethnic Groups Engagement

	Area/Level	Meetings	Number of Pax	Women Pax
Α	Regional	0	0	0
В	District	5	53	8
С	Ward Authority	0	0	0
D	Village Authority (VDC, VEO, VC, Village Committees) (A+B+C+D)	2	5	1
Ε	Meeting with Authority	7	58	9
F	PAC (Village Assembly, Small Group, FGD)	15	713	203
G	PAP& Individual Meeting	1	1	0
Н	Community (F+G)	16	714	203
Ι	Total (E+H)	23	772	212



Akie in group photo with Advisors and World Bank representatives during quarter-four Traditional leaders Workshop



Group Photo of NGOs Representatives, Advisors and World Bank representative during Quarter-four 2023 Traditional Leaders Workshop

## **Government & Regional Engagement**

In December 60 meetings were held with the government authorities from the Regional to village level, reached two hundred seventeen stakeholders of which 51 (25%) were women. The focus of engagement was the same as for general community.



60 meetings held

#### December 2023 engagement with the authorities

Area/ Level	Meetings	Number of Persons	Women
Regional	5	7	3
District	19	115	25
Ward Authority	10	17	7
Village Authority (VDC, VEO, VC, Village Committees)	26	78	19
Meeting with Authorities	60	217	54

#### **Grievance Management**

This month, we managed to conduct ten grievancerelated meetings both in the field and at the Dar Es Salaam Office (HQ). This includes:

#### Grievance status in December 2023





## **HUMAN RIGHTS**

EACOP Gender Equality & Social Inclusion policy was launched in December 2023.

All EACOP departments are involved in the Gender Action plan implementation which will start in January 2024.





## **PROJECT INDUCED IN MIGRATION**

In Decmber 203, the last PIIM Working Group meetings were conducted and especially in Tanga identified as a hotspot location (meaning where PIIM phenomenon is likely to happen). During this meeting, Chongoleani leaders and Tanga City leaders confirmed to have potential other new 8 projects near to EACOP project area in Chongoleani peninsula. They asked EACOP PIIM team to share its best practices regarding PIIM with these new actors: recruitment processes, communication, field monitoring. It's a call for all stakeholders to take some collective actions in managing the potentially In-migrants with associated impact/risk on Environment, Health, Social, Economic, Security and Cultural because of the new projects near any other EACOP project locations. Satellite imagery was also shared with the PIIM WORKING GROUPS. It was helpful to detect all buildings changes. Field verification allowed to see if there was a link with the EACOP project or not and to cross checked with the District Authorities. New residential buildings/ private Residences, bars / restaurants and guest house were detected. This economic development is partly due to EACOP activities and the presence of a new workforce but it has to be highlighted that in migration has been very limited there thanks to a very clear and transparent recruitment process well explained and understood



Chongoleani satellite images detected from the field between January and October 2023



# REGULATORY COMPLIANCE

#### Permitting in Tanzania

Ongoing monitoring of active sites assures compliance with permit conditions and regulatory requirements, resulting in smooth and lawful project execution

Ensuring current permits are in place while anticipating and securing future permits for EACOP and subcontractors is ongoing. To improve the overall quality and lifespan of the project, a justification for EWURA has been developed to justify suggested changes to steel standards, with a focus on improvements in structural integrity, durability, and environmental sustainability. The DI clarification meeting with TBS occurred on December 21, 2023, in Dar es Salaam. Agreement on the way forward was reached, proposing a joint meeting among EACOP, TBS, TPDC, and MoE in Week 4 of 2024.

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#### **Necessary Permits in** S/N **Active Site Location Area** Place 1 CY Sojo-Nzega, Tabora Available 2 Available MCPY07 Chato, Geita MCPY15 3 Handeni TC, Tanga Available PS3 Available 4 Muleba, Kagera 5 PS4 Available Mbogwe, Geita PS5 6 Available Igunga, Tabora 7 PS6 Singida, Singida Available 8 PRS1 Available Kiteto, Manyara 9 PRS2 Available Handeni, Tanga 10 MST Tanga City, Tanzania Available 11 Tanga City, Tanzania Available Jetty

#### Status of Permits in Tanzania as of December 2023



# Regulatory Compliance and Assurance

Establish a culture of proper assurance reporting to mitigate or eliminate potential risks that may be caused by improper inspection.

Several non-compliances have been registered and are actively monitored for timely closure, addressing each based on the nature of the non-compliance. standards.









#### PHOTO OF THE MONTH: TANGA JETTY, Dec, 2023



Tanzania Tanga Jetty

First 2 raked piles of the Loading Platform of the Jetty

POW #031-08/01/2024

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