



MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR AGRICULTURE

NATIONAL VALIDATION OF THE DRAFT POLICY FRAMEWORK FOR SUSTAINABLE FINANCING AND SUBSIDY MANAGEMENT IN AGRICULTURE AND THE DRAFT PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT (AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT FUND) REGULATIONS

The Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development through the State Department for Agriculture has developed the draft Policy Framework for Sustainable Financing and Subsidy Management in Agriculture and the draft Public Finance Management (Agricultural Development Fund) Regulations, 2025. The objective of the Policy and Regulation is to enhance agricultural productivity and food and nutrition security by increasing public and private sector investments in the agriculture sector through establishing a framework for sustainable financing and providing guidelines for effective agricultural subsidy management.

The Constitution of Kenya, 2010 and the Statutory Instruments Act, 2013 require the public to participate in the decision-making process through the submission of comments to the Ministry. The Ministry requests the general public and all interested persons to participate by submitting written comments or memoranda on the draft policy and regulations using the prescribed public comments form, to reach the undersigned not later than **fourteen (14) days** from the date of publication of this notice.

The following documents to facilitate discussions and enable stakeholder feedback are available to the general public and can be accessed through the Ministry website: www.kilimo.go.ke:

1. The draft Policy Framework for Sustainable Financing and Subsidy Management in Agriculture;
2. The draft Public Finance Management (Agricultural Development Fund) Regulations, 2025; and,
3. The Stakeholders Comments Form.

There shall be a public forum for invited representatives of various stakeholders on **Thursday, 24th July 2025** at a venue in Nairobi to discuss, receive comments and validate the draft policy and Regulations.

Duly filled comments/feedback forms may also be submitted back via the following address:

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