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A. RESULTS OF TWO AND NINE YEAR TREASURY BONDS ISSUE NOS. FXD 2/2016/2 & IFB1/2016/9 DATED 23/05/2016

This month the Central Bank of Kenya offered 2 and 9 year Treasury Bonds for a total amount of Kshs 30 Billion. The total number of bids received was 713 amounting to Kshs 41.51 Billion and 922 amounting to Kshs 39.43 Billion for the 2 year and 9 year bond respectively. The Weighted average rate for successful bids was 12.020% for the 2-year Bond and 13.339% for the 9-year Bond. The other auction statistics are summarised in the table below.

TENOR	2 YEAR	9 YEAR	
Due Dates	21/05/2018	12/05/2025	
Total Amount Offered (Kshs. M)			30,000.00
Total bids Received (Kshs. M)	41,510.36	39,429.43	80,939.79
Performance Rate (%)			269.80
Total Number of Bids Received	713	922	1,635
Number of Succesful Bids	377	842	1,219
Total Amount Accepted (Kshs. M)	4,728.53	34,902.28	39,630.81
Of which : Competitive bids	541.93	32,766.97	33,308.90
: Non-competitive bids	4,186.60	2,135.31	6,321.91
Average Redemption yield (%)	12.020	13.339	
Price per Kshs 100 at average yield	100.000	96.112	
Coupon Rate (%)	12.020	12.500	
Purpose/ Application of funds:			
Redemptions			20,278.41
New Borrowing			19,352.40

B. COMPARATIVE INTEREST RATES

	THIS AUCTION (%)	LAST AUCTION (%) 25/01/16	VARIANCE
2 YEAR - MARKET WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE	12.489	16.181	3.692
- WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE OF ACCEPTED BIDS	12.020	15.760	3.740

	THIS AUCTION (%)	LAST AUCTION (%) 14/12/15	VARIANCE
9 YEAR - MARKET WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE	13.483	14.952	1.469
- WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATE OF ACCEPTED BIDS	13.339	14.753	1.414

C. FORTHCOMING TREASURY BOND(S) ISSUES FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2016

(i) The forthcoming issue(s) will be dated 20th June 2016.

(ii) The specific features of the Bond(s), that is the Tenor, Amounts, Coupon rates and issue terms will be provided in the prospectus and in the press before the issue date.

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