EACO SUSTAINABLE E-WASTE MANAGEMENT WEBINAR

Date: Tuesday, 13th October 2020
Time: 09.00 a.m – 12.00 p.m East African Time

Theme: E-waste to Wealth

Not only does sustainable e-waste management conserve the environment, but also presents opportunities for realizing the enormous untapped wealth as well as business and employment opportunities.

This workshop aims to identify the opportunities for sustainable e-waste management in the region through:

- *Evaluating the status of implementation of the regional strategy on e-waste management by EACO member states;*
- *Proposing, dissecting and strengthening sustainable mechanisms for successful implementation of the regional strategy on e-waste management; and*
- *Identifying and proposing strategies towards enhancing stakeholder collaboration and partnership for sustainable e-waste management in the region.*

Moderator: Federico Magalini, Sofies International

[09:00 - 09:10] waiting time & Housekeeping

[09:10 - 09:20] Session 1: Introductory Remarks

Remarks by Dr. Ally Simba - Executive Secretary, EACO
Remarks by Acting Director General, Communications Authority of Kenya (CA)

Session 2: Legal and Regulatory Framework

[09:20 - 09:35] Keynote speaker: Olivier Mbera, EnviroServe (Rwanda); *E-waste dismantling and recycling in Rwanda, CBA analysis, realization of e-waste to wealth (statistics)*

[09:35 - 09:45] Overview of E-Waste Management and Green ICTs in **EACO:** by **Juma Ooro –** Chairperson, EACO Working Group 07

[09:45 - 09:55] *Brief on regional e-waste management strategy, status of implementation and challenges –* **Nehemiah Mwenisongole/Sarah Njau**

[09:55 - 10:05] Regulations that work, effective implementation: by **Daniel Hinchliffe**, **GIZ**

[10:05 - 10:15] *Experiences in E-waste Legislation - E-waste Management Bill 2019, Bungoma County by* **Anthony Mabele, MCA, County Assembly of Bungoma, Kenya**

[10:15 - 10:25] *E-waste Regulations in Kenya***:** *by* **Dr. Ayub Macharia, Ministry of Environment and forestry, Kenya**

==**[10:25 - 10:45] Q&A Session 2**==

==**[10:45 - 11:00] Break**==

Session 3: E-waste Management Tools

==**[11:00 - 11:10]**== *Strategic approaches towards sustainabililty (reduce, repair, reuse, recycle):* by **Elisabeth Smith,** StEP Inititiative

==**[11:10 - 11:20]**== *Circular economy and e-waste manageent, the need for standards: by* **Nevine Tewfik,** Vice-Chairperson ITU-T, Study Group 5

==**[11:20 - 11:30]**== *Collaborating with the informal sector in ewaste management*: by **Anthony Siameto**, Marketing Manager, Sinomet

==**[11:30 - 11:40]**== *United Nations E-waste Coalition: by* **Shreya Goel,** Project Jr Officer, Extractives, Energy and Manufacturing, Sectoral Policies Department - International Labour Organization (ILO), *and*
Garam Bel, E-waste Officer - International Telecommunication Union (ITU)

Sustainable E-Waste Management; The Safaricom Journey: by **Michael Koech***,* Manager, Environment and Climate Change

==**[11:40 - 11:55]**== Q and A Session:

==**[11:55 - 12:00]**== Closure