## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LTD.



ANNUAL REPORT 1975/76



## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LTD.

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#### INTRODUCTION

About 10 years ago, K.I.E. was established as a subsidiary of I.C.D.C. to implement a programme of five Industrial Estates which were recommended to the Kenya Government by an Indian team which came to Kenya in 1966. As a result of this report, Nairobi Industrial Estate Phase I was constructed and completed at the end of 1968.

The period under review saw the culmination of the five Industrial estates—the last one being Eldoret whose plans for Phase one were completed during this period. In addition the previous five Industrial estates, the Government, through K.I.E., plans to implement four Industrial estates in Nanyuki, Nyeri, Kakamega and Kitale thus making a total of nine Industrial Estates.

The period under review also saw two new R.I.D.Cs at the advanced stage of implementation. These are Malindi and Kisii. In addition, plans for Homa Bay and Voi R.I.D.Cs were initiated. Three R.I.D.Cs in the development plan are at various stages of planning. On the side of individual projects, there was a slow but sure recovery of Industrial activities particulary by the older projects in Nairobi and Nakuru. Of particular interest to K.I.E. and also the Government, is the Kabras Mini Sugar Factory which was at its advanced stage of implementation. It is hoped that this plant will be a forerunner of many more projects of similar nature in the country if the experiement succeeds. The economic viability of the project may depend on what extent the Government is prepared to waive some of the fiscal measures presently applied to large scale sugar factories. Another project of significance as far as K.I.E. is concerned is the tannery plant at Sagana. This again was at an advanced stage of implementation and like the sugar project, the tannery is expected to be a fore-runner of three or four similar units in the country.

Over a period of years since K.I.E. Estates were built, the concept was what might be called "classical" Industrial Estate. This consisted of sheds being constructed far in advance of working out projects to go into them. This concept has merits and demerits. In the case of Kenya, because of some factories and the nature of financing of Industrial Estates, this practice of constructing sheds far in advance of projects is not particularly suitable. For this reason, the Board of K.I.E. has decided that before an Industrial Estate is constructed, at least 50% of projects intended for the Estate should have been found viable ready for implementation.

This new concept is expected to satisfy the donors and Kenya Government who have for some time been rather uneasy about sheds remaining un-

occupied for a fairly long time after completion. Another area of significant development during the period under review is the new concept of IPA (Industrial Promotion Area). The concept here is like the Industrial Estate concept (the new concept) — to construct the cheapest possible sheds in order that even a small artisan should be able to occupy and pay the rent. IPA is expected to be extended to markets and any other rural centres where one or more workshop clusters could be built. Rural workshop Clusters (RWC) is a further simplication of IPA sheds and should be at the very base of the pyramid. In other words, we would have Rural Workshop Clusters in typically rural areas, then IPA in Townships, R.I.D.Cs in Urban Centres and Industrial Estates in Major Urban Centres.

On the staff side, K.I.E. has developed local expertise to such a level that the programme will in the very near future, require less and less expatriate advisers.

E.M. WAMAE

CHAIRMAN KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LTD.

#### Growth of Activities:

The following table indicates the expenditure on different industrial estates and rural industrial development centres on buildings and civil works as at 30th June, 1976.

Estates	As at 30th June, 1976	As at 30th June, 1975
<ol> <li>Nairobi Industrial Eatate Phase I</li> <li>Nairobi Industrial Estate Phase II</li> <li>Nakuru Industrial Estate</li> <li>Kisumu Industrial Estate</li> <li>Mombasa Industrial Estate</li> <li>Rural Industrial Dev. Centres</li> </ol>	4,582,284.50 5,372,688.25 7,341,685.20 3,902,274.10 5,426,209.65 9,048,416.15	4,498,874.50 5,104,481,25 6,699,654.95 2,610,000.00 2,935,420.00 8,366,949.00 30,360,380.15

It will be seen here that an expenditure of about Shs. 35.7 million has been incurred since the initiation of the Industrial Estates and Rural Industrial Development Programmes.

Over the years K.I.E. has advanced large sums of money to the entrepreneurs for the purchase of machinery and equipment. At the same time more money has been spent on infrastructure and construction of factory premises to accommodate the industrial units. In this year's Annual Report we present a list of the projects that have been approved for implementation at various estates and centres, and alongside each project, we have indicated the amount that has been approved for the projects, and also the amount that had been disbursed at the close of the year, except for Nairobi and Nakuru projects whose data will be shown in a later issue.

The only point to note is that the amount shown includes only the cost of the installed plant & equipment and excludes the amount for working capital which should be approximately 25% of the cost of machinery and equipment.

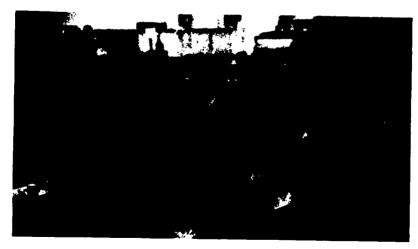
Nairobi Industrial Estate Projects	Fixed Investment Approved
1 Sheet Metal Goods	365,000
2. Gameskin Articles	25,000
- All water Cails ato	25,000
	16,000
4. Steel Fabricated Articles 5. Coat Hangers & other Wooden Items	62,200
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	18,000
7. Gameskin Items	21,000
8. Beadwork	534,000
9. Hinges hasps, staples and spacer saddle bars	001,000



Milk Churn Factory at Nakuru



Farm Implement Factory at Nakuru



Bicycle Factory at Nakuru

	obi Industrial Estate ects	Fixed Investment Approved
10	Hair oils & cosmetics	67,000
10.	1 1 1	Nil
11.		375,000
12.		159,021
13.	in a second of the contract of	134,000
14.		140,000
15.	Ready made garments	Nil
		761,000
17. 18.		1,191,120
19.		345,000
20.		1,215,000
20. 21.		195,143
21. 22.		135,000
23.		87,000
24.		230,000
25.		382,000
26.		81,000
27.		100,000
28.		2,714,000
29.		1,353,270
30.		575,900
31.	Woven Fabric Labels	219,000
32.	Elastic Tapes & Hosiery Products	1,395,000
33.		568,000
34.	Electric distribution Boards	134,000
35.		90,100
36.	Spectale frames and sunglasses	464,000
37.	Steel windows and other allied items	295,000
38.	Silk screen printing	62,800
39.	Wafer biscuits	368,600
40.	High Class wooden furniture	Nil
41.	Refluiting of Rollers	305,000
42.	Canvas Cloth	3,607,200
43.	Emery paper & Emery Cloth	1,404,750
44.		474,000
45.		Nil
46.		206,875
	Brass window stays	1,151,000
		Nil
48.		1,084,700
49.		Nil
50.		148,000
	Wooden rulers	494,000
	Wood wool cement slabs	527,700
53		2,095,000
54		615,000
55	. High quality shoes	010,000

## NAKURU INDUSTRIAL ESTATE

Project	Amount Approved Shs.
<ol> <li>Sheet metal</li> <li>Steel tubular furniture</li> <li>Cardboard tube for sewing yarn</li> <li>Selected leather goods</li> <li>Wire nails</li> <li>Uniforms and other garments</li> <li>Wooden furniture</li> <li>Plastic handbags</li> <li>Farm implements</li> <li>Paper bags</li> <li>Bifurcated rivets</li> <li>Steel windows &amp; door frames</li> <li>Metal buttons &amp; drawing pins</li> <li>Printing press &amp; book binding</li> <li>Dehydrated packet soup</li> <li>Rubber toys &amp; balls</li> <li>Unprinted tin cans</li> <li>Corrugated cartons</li> <li>Polythene bags</li> <li>Bicycles &amp; spare parts</li> <li>Stainless steel cutlery</li> <li>Milk churns</li> <li>Surgical bandages</li> <li>Pop rivets</li> </ol>	75,000 81,510 1,268,700 99,500 275,000 78,000 95,000 126,000 98,100 274,640 943,730 48,500 2,332,600 242,000 676,000 436,000 727,765 331,500 1,519,000 1,297,000 2,398,902 1,010,000 1,254,000 163,400
25. Lead pencils	948,940

## KISUMU INDUSTRIAL ESTATE

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
<ol> <li>Knitted garments</li> <li>Tailoring</li> <li>Knitted garments</li> <li>Black smiths</li> </ol>	141,012.00 110,000.00 173,500.00 100,000.00	141,012.00 110,000.00 139,500.00 62,000.00
<ul><li>5. Handicrafts</li><li>6. Plastic goods</li><li>7. Carpentry</li><li>8. Carpentry</li></ul>	8,500.00 140,000.00 30,000.00	8,500.00 140,000.00 26,000.00
9. Carpentry 10. Sheet metal Works 11. Leather work	134,000.00 140,000.00 9,000.00 200,000.00	104,000.00 60,000.00 9,000.00 25,000.00
<ul><li>12. Confectionery products</li><li>13. Brick manufacturing</li></ul>	788.000.00 14,000.00	400,000.00 90,000.00

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
14. Farm implements 15. Knitting garments	170,000.00 30,000.00	25,500.00 25,500.00
TOTAL	2,188,412.00	1,404,512.00

## ELDORET INDUSTRIAL ESTATE

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
1. Craft paper	1,709,180.00	1,606,991.00

#### NYERI R.I.D.C.

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
1. Metal work 2. Wood work 3. Wood work 4. Wood work 5. Salt grinding 6. Saw milling 7. Metal work 8. Saw milling 9. Saw milling 10. Wood work 11. Saw milling 12. Saw milling 13. Wood work 14. Saw milling 15. Wood work 16. Wood work 17. Metal work 18. Metal work 19. Vehicle repairing 20. Printing press	1	
21. Leather tannery 22. Wood work 23. Saw milling 24. Shoe making	50,000.00 48,000.70 20,305.70 49,700.00	50,967.55 50,255.00 26,305.70 21,617.00

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
<ul><li>25. Shoe making</li><li>26. Tailoring and printing</li><li>27. Metal work</li><li>28. Saw milling</li><li>29. Service station</li></ul>	20,000.00 20,650.00 21,909.25 43,000.00 16,100.00	6,089.00 17,559.25 21,909.25 2,100.00 14,200.00
TOTAL	885,942.10	824,126.95

### MACHAKOS R.I.D.C.

Pro	ject	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
	Blacksmith Leather Oxcarts Furniture making Carpentry Carpentry Block making Steel windows Steel windows Carpentry Shop repairing Shop repairing Saw miller Blacksmith Tank maker	30,000.00 3,000.00 15,000.00 2,830.00 16,700.00 1,845.70 754.00 2,753.85 709.70 3,000.00 21,000.00 35,000.00 25,000.00 2,434.50 66,560.00 27,000.00 6,000.00 50,957.00	20,288.40 3,000.00 11,448.00 2,137.10 16,751.75 1,845.70 754.80 2,753.85 709.70 2,999.00 14,176.65 35,136.45 26,253.85 2,592.65 66,272.65 25,008.15 6,000.00 50,957.00
	TOTAL	310,545.55	289,085.75

### EMBU R.I.D.C.

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
<ol> <li>Saw milling</li> <li>Tailoring</li> </ol>	23,000.00 28,000.00	23,000.00 25,767.00

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
3. Shirt — knitting 4. Carpentry 5. Salt grinding & packing 6. Sheet metal work 7. Saw milling 8. Carpentry 9. Sisal decortication 10. Furniture making 11. Block making 12. Leather tanning	20,975.00 39,200.00 52,750.00 25,000.00 50,000.00 760.00 12,200.00 1,245.00 50,000.00 2,425,000.00	19,890.00 39,200.00 52,750.00 23,000.00 59,666.90 760.00 12,000.00 1,290.45 49,800.00 1,303,804.25
TOTAL	2,743,130.00	1,625,929.05

### KAKAMEGA R.I.D.C.

Project	Amount Approved Shs.	Amount Disbursed Shs.
1. Vehicle body building 2. Farm machinery 3. Block making 4. Clothing factory 5. Farm machinery 6. Shelling food for chicken 7. Production of sugar 8. Wooden furniture 9. Printing of stationery 10. Wooden furniture	16,020.00 30,200.00 28,700.00 30,000.00 24,090.00 43,279.00 3,290.000.00 50,000.00 45,000.00	12,736.60 26,318.20 28,501.80 30,000.50 6,063.25 37,836.20 2,346,303.40 22,007.55 24,433.00 14,240.35

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

Employment in the programme continued to grow at a remarkable pace. The number of people who found employment in the programme passed the 1,000 mark and stood at the figures given below:—

Nairobi	_	811
Nakuru	_	246
Kisumu	_	96
Mombasa	_	
Eldoret	-	
Total		1,153

The figures do not include the number employed at the several industrial units that have been assisted by the Rural Industrial Development Centres.

#### Output:

By the close of the period there were signs that the economy was leading for a recovery after some difficult periods. Most of the units reported increased sales over the period a trend which it is hoped will continue in the coming years.

#### Trends in Activity:

The following tables indicate the units which were in production during the year under review:- at Nairobi, Nakuru and Kisumu.

#### Nairobi Industrial Estate

Name and Address	Items Produced
<ol> <li>Wanachi Engineering Works P.O. Box 48581, Nairobi.</li> </ol>	Steel metal goods
<ol> <li>Aturia Trading Co.,</li> <li>P.O. Box 28047,</li> <li>Nairobi.</li> </ol>	Gameskin products
3. F.K.W. Electrician, P.O. Box 21243, Nairobi	Rewinding and repairs of automobile dynamos, alternators, starters electrical motors and electrical installations.
<ol> <li>K.K. Wahome and Partner, P.O. Box 47119, Nairobi.</li> </ol>	Steel fabricated products.
<ol> <li>Elgon Factory,</li> <li>P.O. Box 17008,</li> <li>Nairobi</li> </ol>	Wooden coat hangers

Nam	ne and Address	Items Produced
19.	Kiatu & Allied Products, P.O. Box 48444, Nairobi.	Shoe laces
20.	Chui Enterprises, P.O. Box 18493, Nairobi.	Polyester and Urea buttons
21.	Pigeon Slide Works, P.O. Box 18324, Nairobi.	Zip fasteners (nylon and aluminium)
22.	Neptune Industries, P.O. Box 10217, Nairobi.	Paper pins, garment and footwear eyelets.
23.	Nineten Investment Ltd. <sub>1.,</sub> P.O. Box 42227, Nairobi.	Plastic ladies handbags and PVC raincoats
24.	Hydraulic meters and Equipment Ltd., P.O. Box 41351, Nairobi.	Servicing and assembly of water meters
25.	East African Spectre Ltd., P.O. Box 18402, Nairobi.	Gas cylinders
26.	Sansaws (Kenya) Ltd., P.O. Box 18264, Nairobi.	Band saw blades
27.	Ray Industries, P.O. Box 48264, Nairobi.	Barrel bolts
28.	Crescent Investment Ltd., P.O. Box 18484, Nairobi.	Carbon paper and type- writer ribbons
29.	Paperware Ltd., P.O. Box 17240, Nairobi.	Paper cups and ice cream cups
30.	Kenya Castings Ltd., P.O. Box 74654, Nairobi.	Charcoal iron, cisterns and manhole covers
31.		Woven fabric labels

	Name and Address	Items Produced
6.	Chemakura African Curios, P.O. Box 18482, Nairobi.	Gameskin products and curios
7.	Mikuyuini Curio Crafts, P.O. Box 47329, Nairobi.	Gameskin products
8.	African Culture Sejever, P.O. Box 2774, Nairobi.	Bead work and clay
9.	Metal pressings Ltd., P.O. Box 43427, Nairobi.	Steel butt hinges, brass suit-case hinges, hasps and staples plus spacer saddle bars.
10.	Kiema Printers Ltd., P.O. Box 12735, Nairobi.	Printing of books and general stationeries
11.	Galaxy Printers Ltd., P.O. Box 72735, Nairobi.	Printing services
12.	Kenya Night Queen, P.O. Box 44746, Nairobi.	Hair oils and cosmetics
13.	Dawning Africano Enterprises, P.O. Box 12632, Nairobi.	Staple pins and paper clips
14.	Kenya Scales Ltd., P.O. Box 12974, Nairobi.	Manufacturing weights full sets, counter scales assembly, salter spring balances repairs
15.	Ngwataniro Enterprises, P.O. Box 14081, Nairobi.	Wooden cloth pegs
16.	Stitcho Garments, P.O. Box 46556, Nairobi.	Ready made garments and uniforms
17.	Universal Packers, P.O. Box 4333, Nairobi.	Glue and packing of scouring powder
18.	Kuguru Consolidated Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 45510,	
	Nairobi.	Instant noddles

Nam	e and Address	Items produced
32.	Haraka Hoisery Manufacturers Ltd., P.O. Box 49309, Nairobi.	Elastic tapes & hoisery products
33.	Motho Industries, P.O. Box 30019, Nairobi.	Bicycle spokes, nipples & washers
34.	Broco Engineering Enterprises Ltd., P.O. Box 44292, Nairobi.	Various metal products & bottle openers
35.	Nairobi Electrical Eng., P.O. Box 46368, Nairobi.	Electric distribution Boards
36.	Lenses & Frames Ltd., P.O. Box 48953, Nairobi.	Spectale frames and sun-glasses
37.	Ruhio Blacksmith, P.O. Box 75675, Nairobi.	Steel windows and other allied items
38.	Chameleon Ltd., P.O. Box 10861, Nairobi.	Silk screen printing
39.	Kenwafers, P.O. Box 21050, Nairobi.	Wafer biscuits
40.	Rae Furniture, P.O. Box 18125, Nairobi.	High class wooden furniture
41.	Milling Services Ltd., P.O. Box 25077, Nairobi.	Refluting of rollers
42.	Canvas Manufacturers Ltd., P.O. Box 20427, Nairobi.	Canvas cloth.
43.	Mbingwa Industries, P.O. Box 30213, Nairobi	Emery paper & emery cloth
44.	Slabs System Manufacturers, P.O. Box 42267, Nairobi.	Wood wool cement slabs

Na	me and Address	Items Products
.45.	Hard Wheels Ltd., P.O. Box 11995, Nairobi.	Grinding wheels
46.	Panga Handles Manufacturers, P.O. Box 12623, Nairobi.	Panga handles and dusters
47.	Genitems Co. Ltd, P.O. Box 72716, Nairobi.	Pant hooks and bars and electroplating
48.	Khweyombokhe Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 43648, Nairobi.	Brass window stays
49.	Joy Garments, P.O. Box 40125, Nairobi	Ready made garments
50.	Egg Containers Ltd., P.O. Box 44247, Nairobi.	Egg trays
51.	Kenya Plastic Ltd., P.O. Box 46261, Nairobi.	Vent plugs
52.	Kip Precision & Co., P.O. Box 46930, Nairobi.	Wooden rulers
53.	Specialised Welding Services Ltd., P.O. Box 18465, Nairobi.	Specialised welding
54.	Seracoatings Ltd., P.O. Box 48425, Nairobi.	P.V.C. coated fabrics

Most of the units progressed well. One unit M/s Tiger Shoe Co. Ltd. expanded and moved away from the estate to occupy its own premises within the Nairobi Industrial Area.

Name and Address	Items Produced
<ol> <li>Flamingo Casement,</li> <li>P.O. Box 316,</li> <li>Nakuru.</li> </ol>	Steel windows and steel door frames
<ol> <li>Gladhome Works Ltd.,</li> <li>P.O. Box 72632,</li> <li>Nakuru.</li> </ol>	Bicycles
3. Nakuru Cartons, P.O. Box 7057, Nakuru.	Cartons
4. National Pencil Co. Ltd., P.O. Box 28035, Nakuru.	Lead pencils
5. Aluminium Works Ltd., P.O. Box 11126, Nakuru.	Milk churns
6. Nakuru Nails Manufacturers, P.O. Box 7078, Nakuru.	Wire nails
7. Nairobi Handbag Manufacturers, P.O. Box 28022, Nairobi.	Ladies Handbags
8. Twilight Steel Furnitures, P.O. Box 7142, Nakuru.	Steel tubular furniture
9. Highlands Steel Products Ltd., P.O. Box 7170, Nakuru.	Stainless steel cutlery
10. Thomson Tapes (E.A.) Ltd., P.O. Box 7190, Nakuru.	Surgical bandages
11. Rift Printing House, P.O. Box 88, Nakuru.	Printing of books & stationery
12. Nakuru Containers Ltd., P.O. Box 1484, Nakuru.	Un-printed tin cans
13. Agricultural Implements Manufacturers, P.O. Box 1553, Nakuru.	Farm implements

Name and Address	Item Produced
14. Kenya Rivets Co. Ltd.,	
P.O. Box 7111,	
Nakuru.	Bifurcated rivets

Most of the problems experienced during the previous years were solved. The sheet metal unit remained closed. Five other Projects were at advanced stage of implementation.

#### KISUMU INDUSTRIAL ESTATE

Na	ame and Address	Item Produced
1.	Nita Fashion, P.O. Box 1764, Kisumu.	Knitted articles
2.	Neceld Garments Ltd., P.O. Box 1264, Kisumu.	Ladies & children's wear
3.	Kigwegwe Crafts, P.O. Box 1360, Kisumu.	Bead work
4.	Kenya Plastic Industry, P.O. Box 206, Kisumu.	Plastic fishing floats
5.	Gem Furniture Mart, P.O. Box 653, Kisumu.	Wooden furniture
6.	Tubular Furniture Works, P.O. Box 467, Kisumu.	Tubular furniture
7.	Nyanza Blacksmith, P.O. Box 1083, Kisumu.	Steel windows, door frames, and wheel rims

Other projects were approved and will be implemented as soon as suitable entrepreneurs are available.

#### OTHER ESTATES:

#### Mombasa:

The construction of estate was completed and the staff who occupied a temporary office in town moved to the estate. Six out of eight projects which were ready for implementation were allotted to individual entrepreneurs.

#### **Eldoret**:

The DANIDA experts left the estate after the Danish Government pulled out. The local personnel — The Regional Manager and Project Economist were working on the construction of the estate as well as identification of projects to be implemented as soon as the estate was completed. Eight projects were prepared and approved by the Regional Committee, ready for implementation as soon as construction is finished.

### Nyeri and Kakamega

Discussions were held between two foreign Governments and Kenya Governments officials with a view to sponsoring these two estates. The estates will be implemented as soon as the funds are made available.

#### **Technical Services Centres**

### 1. T.S.C. Nairobi

The T.S.C. Nairobi received some further machines from the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany. Among them were a sand-blasting machine for cleaning and/or scaling of forgings or castings and an argon gas welding machine for the welding of tool and other alloied steel.

During the year under review, the centre made tools and dies for the Estate and outside customers worth almost Shs. 150,000/-. In addition, the centre took up the manufacturing of forging and coining dies.

### 2. T.S.C. Nakuru

With the exception of one machine found shortlanded, all machinery supplied on grant by the German Government were installed and put into use. The centre started functioning.

### 3. T.S.C. Mombasa

For the T.S.C. Mombasa, the machines (also supplied on grant from the German Government) arrived and were being installed.

## RURAL INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME:

The activities of the four centres which were established in 1971 continued to increase considerably.

At Kakamega, three sophisticated projects were undertaken. These are — a small scale sugar factory with a total investment of 4.5 million shillings and employs 150 people, a pottery project which employs 10 people and a brick making project.

At Nyeri, quite a number of clients were assisted at the centre and a total of 41 projects were approved out of which 33 have been implemented. The centre was quite busy implementing the new projects and following up the already implemented projects.

It assisted one client to produce chicken incubators and brooders. A project paper was to be prepared on this project as there is a market potential for this item.

Plans to construct some low type sheds at Karatina Industrial Promotion Area (I.P.A.) were finalized.

R.I.D.C. Machakos was busy changing the idea from "inventing" new prototypes to an adaption of industrial products for which there is a market. New types of wheel barrows internal transport equipment, hospital equipment (wheel chairs, beds etc.) were in production. New types of wind mills were also being experimented.

The centre also embarked on construction of low type sheds (Industrial Promotion Area (I.P.A.) to consist of 9540 sq. ft. work sheds and one sanitary block at a total cost of Shs. 555,000/- including the external work. The centre implemented a stone chrushing unit with a total investment of Shs. 250,000/-.

Embu R.I.D.C. embarked on construction of the huge Sagana Tanneries Ltd with an investment of 1.3 million shillings. The construction was at its final stage of implementation. Other small projects on dry cleaning and Bakery were approved. The centre constructed 5 low type sheds which were ready for occupation.

## PERSONNEL GROWTH AND VISITORS

There was a considerable increase in the personnel during this period. In fact had it not been for the general restriction on recruitment all over the Government circles the personnel growth would have been even much higher. As at 30th June, 1976 there were 249 employees as compared to 168 employees at the same period last year.

#### VISITORS TO K.I.E.:

K.I.E. received visitors from all walks of life during the year under review. Among them were:—

- 8-7-75 A group of officials from Kearlines (K) Ltd.
- 10-7-75 Students from School of Journalism
- 17 7 75 Mrs. Berit Fraedas, M.P. of the Swedish Parliament.
- 17 7 75 A group of German protestant priests lead by Pastor Patchen.
- 21 7 75 Clerical officers from the office of President.
- 22-7-75 Supervisory trainees of East African Railways Corporation.
  - 6 8 75 Project Manager of Industrial Survey and Promotion Centre in Malawi.
  - 6-8-75 Prison Officers from Prisons Staff Training College.
- 14-12-75 Mrs. Grethe Kjaersgaard Pertersen a Danish photographer and Mrs. Gunvor.
- 20-12-75 A large delegation of Councillors from Mogadishu City Council.
- 28-12-75 Dr. Armbruster who is in charge of East African desk in the Federal Ministry of Economic Corporation in Bonn, West Germany.
- 15-1-76 Mr. Theo Bosbach's, Manager International Banking Division, West Germany.
- 18-1-76 Assistant Minister for Commerce and Industry Hon. A.O. Amayo M.P.
- 18-1-76 Mr. Hanusch from German, Agency for Technical Co-operation.
- 21 4 76 Zambian Ministrerial Delegation lead by Kenya's Minister for Foreign Affairs Dr. Munyua Waiyaki M.P.
- 29 4 76 The Minister of State, Industries and Supplies, Government of India Hon. A.P. Sharma and the Minister for Small Scales Industry Hon. Mrs. Mochsina Kidnai M.P.
- 21-5-76 A group of German Journalists.
- 11-6-76 The participants of 8th African Region Conference of the Commonwealth Paliamentary Association (CPA).

## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS TO THE MEMBERS

The directors submit their report together with the audited accounts of the company for the year ended 30th June 1976.

#### Results

2.	The accounts show:—	£
	Net loss for the year	374,380
	Administration grant received from Kenya Gov.	300,000
	Net accumulated loss at 1st July 1975	74,380
	·	252,929
	Net accumulated loss to date	327,309

#### Dividend

3. The directors cannot recommend the declaration of any dividend.

#### **Directorate**

4. Under the company's articles of association the directors are not subject to retirement by rotation. At 30th June 1976 the board consisted of:—

Mr. E. Matu Wamae

Mr. J. Keragori

Hon. A.K. Arap Biv

Mr. F.J. Addly

The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Finance and Economic

Planning

The Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Commerce and Industry

#### Auditors

5. The auditors, Coopers & Lybrand, continue in office in accordance with the provisions of section 159(2) of the Companies Act (Cap. 486).

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

A.M. SIMWA Secretary

## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS

The accounts set out on pages 22 to 26 are in agreement with the books which, in our opinion, have been properly kept. We obtained the information and explanations we required.

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs at 30th June 1976 and of its loss for the year ended on that date and comply with the Companies Act (Cap. 486).

NAIROBI, 22nd February, 1977.

COOPERS & LYBRAND

#### KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED

#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

**30TH JUNE 1976** 

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies adopted by the company are as follows:—

#### (a) Fixed assets

Leasehold land allotted by the Kenya Government is stated at cost or professional valuation when such land is capitalised. Other fixed assets are stated at cost with the exception of donated assets which are stated at invoice value or at directors valuation.

#### (b) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated to write off the cost or valuation of fixed assets on the reducing balance method over the expected useful lives of the assets concernced. The annual rates used for the purpose are:—

	%
Buildings and land improvements	2
Plant and machinery	10
Furniture, fittings and office	
equipment	$12\frac{1}{2}$
Motor vehicles	20

Leasehold land is written off in equal annual instalments over the period of the lease.

#### (c) Debtors

Known bad debts are provided for in full and adequate provision is made for those considered doubtful of recovery.

#### 2. FIXED ASSETS

	Cost or valuation £	Accumulated depreciation £	Net book 1976 £	value 1975 £
(a) Leasehold land, buildings and				_
improvements	1,846,987	105,278	1,741,709	1,443,388
Plant and machinery Furniture, fittings	288,038	44,800	243,238	109,903
and office equipment	37,180	10,284	26,896	20,407
Motor vehicles	48,950	13,378	35,572	23,760
	2,221,155	173,740	2,047,415	1,597,458

(b) The plot of land for the Kisii Rural Industrial Development Project has officially been alloted to the company but this asset has not been capitalised and included in the accounts.

## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS 30TH JUNE 1976

(continued)

(c) The plots of land for the Rural Industrial Development Project at Embu, Machakos and Nyeri have not been officially alloted to the company and therefore these assets have been excluded from the accounts.

3.	SHARE CAPITAL	1976 £	1975 £
	Shares of Shs. 20 each Authorised	2,000	2,000
	Issued and fully paid	4	4
4.	CAPITAL RESERVE At 1st July 1975	116,951	108,001
	Donated machinery and motor vehicles	135,749	8,950
	At 30th June 1976	252,700	116,951

5. RURAL INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT GRANTS

This represents grants received direct from the Kenya Government.

The amount received to date from the Treasury, via I.C.D.C., of £408,896 for R.I.D.P. is included under the I.C.D.C. loan and current accounts as the loan/grant status of this amount has not been established.

#### 6. KENYA GOVERNMENT LOANS

This represents infrastructure loans received direct from the Treasury for the Eldoret, Kisumu and Mombasa Industrial Estates. All other Government loans received via I.C.D.C. are included in the I.C.D.C. loan and current accounts.

7. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS	1976 £	1975 £
Commitments in respect of contracts for the purchase of fixed assets	161,642	234,564

## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS 30TH JUNE 1976

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#### 8. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The company has given guarantees to its bankers amounting to £48,104 (1975 £69,335) in respect of payments made by the bank under the entrepreneurs bulk purchase scheme which are covered by stocks on hand and goods in transit at 30th June 1976.

9. DIRECTORS EMOLUMENTS  As directors For management	1976 £ 400	1975 £ 300 —
	400	300

#### 10. CURRENCY

These accounts are expressed in Kenya pounds, one Kenya pound being equal to twenty Kenya shillings.

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## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED BALANCE SHEET 30TH JUNE 1976

	Note	1976 1975
FIXED ASSETS	2	£ £ 2,047,415 1,597,458
CURRENT ASSETS		
Stores at cost Debtors Fixed deposits		$\begin{array}{c cccc} 11,010 & 7,581 \\ 498,585 & 239,126 \\ & 154,973 \end{array}$
Bank balances and cash		1,471,347 90,992
		1,980,942 492,672
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Creditors Bank overdraft		103,665 91,859 128,122 114,728
		231,787 206,587
NET CURRENT ASSETS		1,749,155 286,085
NET ASSETS		3,796,570 1,883,543
Financed by:-		
SHARE CAPITAL	3	4 4
CAPITAL RESERVE	4	252,700 116,951
KENYA GOVERNMENT R.I.D.P. GRANTS	5	371,968 97,968
NET ACCUMULATED LOSS TO DAT	E	(327,309) (252,929)
		297,363 ( 38,006)
INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION		
Loan and current accounts	5	2,095,157 1,811,549
KENYA GOVERNMENT LOANS	6	1,404,050 110,000
E. Matu WamaeDirector		
J. KeragoriDirector		
		3,796,570 1,883,543

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## KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1976

LOSS FOR THE YEAR	1976 £ 374,380	1975 £ 307,755
After charging:		
Depreciation Auditors remuneration (including	55,930	43,178
underprovision of £650 for 1975) Loan interest	3,150 30,608	1,350 23,706
Administration grant received from Kenya Gov	t. 300,000	175,400
NET ACCUMULATED LOSS AT 1ST JULY 1975	74,380	132,355
	252,929	120,574
NET ACCUMULATED LOSS TO DATE	327,309	252,929

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# KENYA INDUSTRIAL ESTATES LIMITED DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1976

	1976 £	1975 £
INCOME		
Rents receivable	53,033	34,473
Service charges less raw materials	12,136	442
Interest receivable	10,810	4,508
Profit on sale of fixed assets	<b>24</b>	636
Other income	3,030	
	79,033	40,059
EXPENDITURE	1	
Administration:	01.0 570	160,010
Salaries and wages	216,573 1,705	1,341
Directors fees and expenses	8,737	7,765
Travelling expenses Vehicle running expenses	17,324	11,766
Advertising	3,460	2,199
Repairs and maintenance	3,316	3,611
Insurance	8,635	4,881
Printing and stationery	9,397	8,500
Postage, telephone and telegrams	13,387	7,679
Light, water and conservancy	4,915	3,718
General expenses	6,659	16,059
Newspapers and periodicals	203	199
Bank charges	2,264	511
Entertainment	698	
Rent and rates	15,155	
Subscription and donations	179	2,111
Professional fees	4,648	2,111
Recruitment and other personnel expenses	956	
	318,211	230,350
Product development expenses	3,651	_
Interest payable	33,560	23,706
Provision for doubtful debts	42,061	50,580
Depreciation	55,930	43,178
	453,413	347,814
LOSS FOR THE YEAR	374,380	307,755



Inside Kabras Sugar Factory at R.I.D.C., Kakamega.



Inside Kabras Sugar Factory at R.I.D.C., Kakamega.

#### K.I.E. ORGANIZATION CHART

