

### ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

**FAQ** Frequently Asked Questions

**IEC** Information, Education and Communication

**HGCU** Head of Government Communication Unit

**HoD's** Head of Departments

HoU's Head of Units

HR Human Resources

HRM Human Resource Management

ICT Information, Communication, Technology

MDA Ministries, Departments and Agencies

M&E Monitoring and Evaluation

NCD Non Communicable Disease

PM&E Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation

PSC Public Service Commission

**SWOT** Strength, Weakness, Opportunities and

**Threats** 

### **PREFACE**



The President's Office Public Service Commission (PO PSC) is an Independent Department established under Section 9(1) of the Public Service Act CAP. 298 (Revised in 2019). The Commission's mandates include to

conduct Human Resources Management (HRM) Compliance Inspections, acting on Appeals and Complaints, sensitize and facilitating stakeholders through issuing HRM Compliance Guidelines and build their capacities on HRM compliance matters in the Public Service.

In pursuance of its mandate, the Commission is implementing a reviewed Medium Term Strategic Plan (2021/22- 2025/26) that focuses on improving accountability, transparency and compliance on human resources rules, regulations and procedures in the Central Government, Local Government Authorities, Executive Agencies and Public Institutions.

The Commission developed this communication strategy to support the Strategic Plan's execution and the achievements of its Vision and Mission; to improve Commission's reputation, raising its profile, building strong relationships with key stakeholders; to promote effective communication between and among the PSC stakeholders including Commissioners, Management and Staff of the Commission to ensure the success of the Strategic Plan.

This Communication Strategy will be a guiding roadmap for communication activities that will enable delivery of strategic plan including a clear calendar of communication activities. As a result, it will provide guidelines for effective communication between stakeholders and staff, the media and the Commission.

This strategy describes the essentials of stakeholders and facilitates the flow of information amongst them. It defines the most effective channels for internal and external communication and proposed communication techniques for key activities to ensure that the PSC staff and stakeholders are well informed and aligned.

I believe the development and implementation of this strategy will enhance stakeholders' knowledge, engagement, awareness and understanding of the Public Service Commission.

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### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Public Service Commission set a five year Strategic Plan 2021/2022 to 2025/2026 with a focus on enhancing compliance with human resources rules and regulations in the Public Service aiming to improve good governance in Human Resource Management. During the review of its Strategic Plan in 2020/2021, it was noted that amongst the critical issues facing the Commission including inadequate public facilitation and awareness campaign on Human Resource rules, regulations and functions of Commission. Henceforth, it was recommended to be addressed to enhance PSC effective service delivery.

The purpose of this strategy is to support the Strategic Plan by making clear communication objectives, through examination of the current situation and identify key stakeholders, messages, medium of communication as well as means of assessing the effectiveness of communication in Public Service Commission.

This communication strategy has been developed to provide guidelines for effective communication, brand positioning and visibility to ensure consistent and accurate information are conveyed. It sets out an overarching framework for communicating key messages related to HR issues in Public Service. Amongst the key communication issues identified are inadequate knowledge on Public Service Commission's mandate functions, programs and activities among PSC stakeholders.

This Communication Strategy will be implemented according to the areas identified in the revised Public Service Commission Strategic Plan of 2021/2022 to 2025/2026 which needs improvement and the best communication practices. It will promote stakeholders awareness on the Public Service Commission mandates, functions, programs and activities.

This strategy was developed through an extensive participatory process that involved the Commission staff, Secretariat management and stakeholders. The process involved reviewing documents, consultation and interviews for internal and external stakeholders and review of various reports.

It is on the basis of the above description, a need for a comprehensive communication strategy arises. As guided in its Strategic Plan, the Commission is committed to provide its stakeholders with accurate, timely, unbiased and complete information. The communication strategy intends to establish principles, rules of engagement and procedures for efficient and effective communication to the public and its key stakeholders.

### **CHAPTER ONE**

### 1.1 Introduction

Tanzania Public Service Commission (PSC) is an Independent Department in the President's Office established under Section d(1) of the Public Service Act CAP 298 consisting of Chairman and Six other members who are appointed by the President.

The establishment of the Public Service Commission is in line with the Public Service Management and Employment Policy adopted by the Government in 1999, aiming at bringing about fundamental shift in the management of Public Service in Tanzania and also to deliver quality services to the people of Tanzania with efficiency, effectiveness and the highest standard of good manners and integrity. It was established in order to achieve:-

- A unified Public Service;
- Adherence to Human Resource Rules, Regulations,
   Procedures and Guidelines:
- Ethical conduct in the Public Service;
- Meritocracy in appointments, confirmation and staff promotions;
- Results Oriented Management and Open Performance Review and
- Transparency, Equity and Justice in the Public Service.

#### 1.2 Mandate

The Commission was given mandates to:-

- Conduct Human Resource Compliance inspections;
- Act on Appeals and Complaints;

- Facilitate stakeholders through issuance of Human Resource
   Management compliance guidelines; and
- Build stakeholders capacities on Human Resource
   Management compliance matters in the Public Service.

### 1.3 Powers of the Commission

The powers vested on the Commission according to Section 10(1) (g)(i) and 10(2) respectively are as follows to:-

- a) Call upon all executives in the Public Service to account for their performance should the Commission be seized with evidence or complaints indicating mismanagement or nonperformance of Mission;
- b) Take measures in relation to any executive who fails to take action concerning Public Servants under him in accordance with the requirements of the Law for the Services; and
- c) Require any Employing Authority to provide information which the Commission may need for carrying out its functions.

### 1.4 Functions of the Commission

The functions of the Public Service Commission as stipulated under Section 10(1) of the Public Service Act, CAP. 298 are as follows to:-

- a) Advise the President through President's Office, Public Service Management on the exercise of such functions conferred on the President by Article 36 of the Constitution and Section 4(1) and 5(1) of the Act and in respect of the filling of such vacancies in the Public Service as the President may require;
- b) Assist the President in relation to such matters relating to the service as the President may require;

- c) Receive and Act on appeals from the decisions of other delegates and disciplinary authorities;
- facilitate, monitor and evaluate performance by officials in the
   Service to secure results oriented management;
- e) Ensure that Service Schemes are formulated and implemented effectively; and
- f) Prepare and submit to the President an Annual Report dealing generally with its activities and operations during the previous year as well as touching on its financial affairs.

### 1.5 Vision

An efficient, fair and accountable Public Service

### 1.6 Mission

To regulate and ensure that Public Service Employees, Employers, Appointing and Disciplinary Authorities comply with human resource management rules and regulations and timely act on appeals and complaints.

### 1.7 Core Values

In order to pursue of provision of quality service delivery and maintain high standards of professional values, the Commission is guided by the following Core Values in discharging its statutory functions:-

### Integrity

We provide and maintain high standard ethical behaviour and rule of Law.



We are learning and creative
Commission that promote and
implement value added ideas and
methods from inside and outside the
Commission.

### Excellence

We provide high quality services based on Human Resources standards and best practices.

### **Timeliness**

We provide high quality services based on Human Resources standards and best practices.

# Accountability and Transparency

We uphold openness and take responsibility for actions in discharging our Mandate.

### **Team Work**

We maintain Co-operation and team work spirit among our staff.

### 1.8 Rationale

In recent years the Government has been receiving complaints from the Public toward some public servants who fail to provide quality services. These complaints emanate from unethical conduct and non-performance of public service. While the negative picture is drawn against employees, inefficient management of Human Resource issues by the Employers, Appointing and Disciplinary Authorities in the Public Service has been mentioned as a cause.

Inefficient management of Human Resource issues were observed by the public Service Commission through acting on complaints and Human Resource appeals, compliance inspections resulted from the Employers, Appointing and Disciplinary Authorities who are not fully complying with Human Resources Rules and Regulations. The roles above performed by the Commission are in line with Public Service Commission statutory powers which aim at ensuring that the Public Service of Tanzania is well managed with the prescribed Laws, Rules and Regulations. It has been noted that if the Commission intends to inefficient administration and problem of overcome the management of human resources issues to stakeholders it has to have an effective communication tool in place.

## 1.9 Scope of the strategy

This strategy supports communication aspects of the Commission's mandates, roles and functions. It also examines its audiences, services offered, problems they face and purposefully map out communication issues, objectives, strategic areas and

targets to address stakeholder's communication needs. Implementation of this strategy aims at influencing efficiency and effectiveness in service delivery between PSC and its stakeholders.

The strategy will identify critical and emerging communication issues, technology needs, training and dissemination way, communication modality and capacity building. It will focus on both internal and external communication aspects related to knowledge and information, technology and human resources.

### 1.10 Methodology

The process of developing this Communication Strategy involved documentary review of various PSC strategic documents such as; the Public Service Commission Strategic Plan covering the period of 2021/2022 to 2025/2026; Review of the Human Resources Auditing Report conducted by the Public Service Commission, 2022; Public Service Commission Five Year Outcome Report of January 2022; and the self-assessment of the Commission on Performance Review of Strategic Plan for the year 2016/2017-2020/2021.

# CHAPTER TWO SITUATIONAL ANALYSIS

### 2.0 Introduction

This section provides a brief examination of the current situation in which the Commission operates to fulfill its mandate. It provides a general overview of the situation and focuses specifically on PSC's current communications with its stakeholders. This section analyze stakeholder's perception and leverages that with analysis of strength, weakness, opportunities and challenges to extract issues that need to be addressed.

### 2.1 Synopsis of the current situation

According to the Review of the Human Resources Auditing report conducted in the year 2022, general understanding of Public Service Commission, functions and powers of the Commission was analyzed. The key findings of the report includes:-

- i) The Commission, functions and powers are not known to its stakeholders.
- ii) Lack of publicity; the Commission needs to publicize and popularize itself to its stakeholders.
- iii) Submission of the Commission report is not public.
- iv) Ineffective engagement of the Commission with stakeholders.
- v) Some Public Institutions are unaware of the existence of the Commission and the Guidelines issued by the Commission.

- vi) The Commission is known mainly with regards to its disciplinary appeals it handles compared to HR Inspection, this gap requires bridging.
- vii) Inadequate public awareness campaigns on the roles and functions of the Commission.
- viii) HR compliance Guidelines; Rights and responsibilities of Public Servants; and Code of Ethics and Conducts were not sensitized as planned.

The literature review gave insight into the Commission's operations, the stakeholders involved, their previous modes of engagement and the communication challenges. The recommendations are as follows:-

- i) Public facilitation and awareness campaigns to Employers, Employees, Appointing and Disciplinary Authorities, on Human resources rules, regulations and functions of the Commission:
- ii) A well-articulated Communication Strategy is a key requirement for the PSC to publicize all the activities, greater use of the Social media, frequent symposia with stakeholders, visits, outreach programs and public education are recommended.
- iii) The Commission should endeavor to brand its presence and visibility through efficient execution of its mission.
- iv) Facilitation to Employers, Employees, Appointing and Disciplinary Authorities with knowledge about the Commission, its duties and its significance.

- v) Feedback mechanisms for both internal and external stakeholders.
- vi) Sufficient financial resources to fund and facilitate communication activities.

# 2.2 Analysis of PSC's Strength, Weakness, Opportunities and Threats.

The analysis looks at the Institutional Strength, Weakness, Opportunities and Threats with a view to have an in depth understand the situation so as to device interventions in development of strategic communication objectives and activities. SWOC Analysis revealed as follows:-

STRENGTH	WEAKNESS
<ul> <li>Focused leadership and management with strong ethical values</li> <li>Participatory approach and team work</li> <li>Existence of Strategic Plan</li> <li>Timely dissemination of information</li> <li>Existence of mechanism to interact with stakeholders</li> <li>Existence of website</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Insufficient financial resources to support communication and facilitation's planned activities</li> <li>Inadequate number of personnel</li> <li>Absence of Annual Communication calendar</li> <li>Ineffective stakeholders engagements</li> </ul>
OPPORTUNITIES	CHALLENGES  • High public expectations

- Existence of good governance
- Increased public awareness and demand for PSC services
- Existence of cooperative mass media
- Increased demand of awareness on the scope of PSC roles and functions by stakeholders
- Diversity of social media platforms
- Increasing public demand of information.

- Misinterpretation of Public Service Act CAP 298 and its Regulations
- Corruption environment
- Existence of some Employers,
   Appointing and Disciplinary
   Authorities who are not implementing Commission decisions.
- Partial adherence of MDAs, RSs and LGAs to rules, regulations and procedures on HRM

It was then recognized that the Commission need to develop a Communication Strategy that must be in place to:-

- Help the Commission to address communication issues and raise awareness to all stakeholders' on its mandated powers, roles and functions.
- ii) Increase visibility of PSC, stakeholder's knowledge, engagement and awareness creation.
- Support the Commission's Strategic Plan 2021/22-2025/26 implementation, that emphasis on enhancing compliance with Human resources rules and regulations in the Public Service

to improve good governance in Human Resources Management.

The Government of Tanzania has put in place Standing Order for the Public Service which gives guidance on how Public Institutions should handle communication issues. The development of this Communication Strategy is also an implementation of the Standing Orders' guidance and other Government directives.

## 1.11 The purpose of the Communication Strategy

The purpose of this strategy is to:-

- Facilitate the flow of accurate information, packaging, repackaging, sharing of knowledge amongst stakeholders;
- Improve stakeholders' awareness, knowledge and understanding of the Commission;
- Help to define communication responsibilities of all those involved in the implementation of PSC activities;
- Act as an instrument of management for harmonized internal and external communications with the overall objective;
- Increase institutional visibility and profile by informing and expanding the network of stakeholders.
- Engage key stakeholders and improve partnership.

More specifically, the purpose of this Communication Strategy is to support PSC strategic objectives by establishing clear communication objectives, through analysis of the current situation and identify key publics, messages, channels as well as means of evaluating the effectiveness of communications. This Communication Strategy therefore outlines communication activities to be implemented to meet the following objectives:

- i) Increase awareness and understanding of the powers, mandate and functions of the Commission to publics.
- ii) Enhance visibility and credibility of the Commission, stakeholder's knowledge and awareness.
- iii) Improve public trust, confidence and stakeholder's engagement.
- iv) Rebrand the Commission to portray positive image and reputation.
- v) Strengthen and maintain mutually beneficial relationships with key publics, including PSC employees.

# 2.3 Stakeholders' Analysis

Knowledge and Awareness assessment as a tool was used to collect insights about and from external and internal stakeholders. The table below provides analysis of PSC stakeholders and their information need:-

No.	Stakeholder	Commission's	Stakeholder's	Channel of
		perceptions	perceptions	Communication
1.	President	Consultations	Timely	Reports; Courtesy
	<b>*</b>	and	assistance in	Call; Meetings and
		engagement;	matters relating	Face to face
	pain and a	Receive	to the Public	
		objective	Service; Timely	
		directives	submission of	
	_		Performance	
- 4			Report on the	
1			status of Public	
			Service.	
2.	Parliament	Allocate	Timely and	Seminars;
		adequate funds	accurate	Meetings;
	7	for the	submission of	Workshop;
		Commission's	reports on the	Information Kit;
		operations;	status of public	Brochures;
		Enact	Service	Leaflets and IEC
		Legislation and		materials.
		Regulations to		
		support Public		
		Service		
3.	Public Service	Sufficient Public	Commitment to	Seminars;
	Commission	Service	staff welfare;	Meetings; Field
	Employees	Commission	Conducive	visits; Media
		staff;	working	programmes; IEC
		Commitment to	environment;	materials; Reports;
		high	Protection on	Face to face;
		performance	the discharge of	Websites;

		and productivity;	official duties	Workshops; Social
		Comply with		media; Notice
		Rules,		board; Letters.
		regulations and		Emails. Circulars,
		Circulars when		Telephone
		performing their		
		duties; Public		
		Service		
	7	Commission		
		staff maintain		
		high standards		
	1	ethical		
	1	behaviour when		
		executing		
		Commissions		
l 1		functions.		
4.	MDAs, RS's,	Comply with HR	Adequate	Media; Social
١.	LGA's and	acts, rules,	facilitation on	media; Seminars;
	Public	regulations and	human	Workshops;
	Institutions	guidelines;	resources rules,	Exhibitions;
		Commitment to	regulations,	Newsletter; Press
	***	high	procedures and	conferences,
		performance	circulars.	briefings; IEC
		and productivity;		materials and
		Efficiently and		Training sessions
		effectively		
		employ of HR		
		resources.		
5.	Public Service	Public servants	Uphold integrity,	Reports; Meetings;
	Commission's	comply with	transparency	Courtesy call;
	Commissioners	principles of	and	Visits and Story
		Public Services;	accountability in	pitches
		Justice is fairly	discharge of the	
		administered in	commission	

		Public Service	mandate;	
		(both Employers	Accurate and	
		and Employees)	timely	
			submission of	
			status reports of	
			the Public	
			Service;	
			Appropriate	
	-		technical advice	
			for decision-	
			making;	
	1		Adequate and	
	1		timely	
			information.	
6.	Civil Society	Consultations	Accurate and	Media, Exhibitions,
	Organizations	and	reliable	Branding
		engagement;	information on	materials, IEC
١. ١		Exercise fair	Public Service	materials,
		and ethical	matters;	Meetings, Social
		oversight	Efficient and	media,
	1		effective public	Campaigns,
	1		service	Website and
				Meetings.
7.	Service	Provide services	Impartial	Website,
	providers	in efficiency and	information on	Telephones,
		effective way	business	Letters and emails,
			opportunities	Verbal
				communications
				and Meetings
8.	Media	Provide timely	Timely,	Press
		and accuracy	accessible and	conferences,
		information to	accurate	Media briefings,
		media enquires	information;	Websites, Media
			Openness,	programmes, IEC

			transparency	materials, Media
				trainings,
			access of	Newsletter, Media
			information	interviews, Media
				watch and Press
				releases.
9.	Development	Consultations	Accurate and	Website; Reports;
	Partners	and	timely	Meetings and IEC
	4	engagement	submission of	materials
		Cooperation's	performance	
		and	reports	
	14	partnerships	Accurate and	
	7		reliable	
			information.	
10.	Professional	Consultations	Adequate and	Reports; Meetings;
١ ١	Boards and	and	timely	Website; IEC
1	Councils	engagement	information on	materials; Social
١. ١			HR issues;	media and
			Collaboration	Questionnaires
			and sharing of	
	1		<mark>updat</mark> ed	
	7.7		information on	
			staff matters	
11.	Trade Unions	Consultations	Adequate	Media; IEC
		and	knowledge on	materials and
		engagement	HR rules and	Reports
			regulations as	
			well as workers'	
			rights,	
			procedures and	
			obligations.	
12.	Public Servants	Facilitation to	Timely, just and	Media; Social
		Comply with	impartial	media; Reports;
		acts, regulations	decisions on	Website; Meetings;

		and guidelines	appeals and	IEC materials;
		and guidelines		
			complaints;	Newsletter;
			Accurate	Promotional
			information	materials (badges,
			regarding Public	pens and carrier
			Service	badges) and
			Commission	Campaign packs-
			through Media	factsheets
	4		and working	
			sessions;	
			Adequate	
	1		knowledge on	
	-		HR rules and	
			regulations and	
			Corruption free	
١ ١			services	

# CHAPTER THREE THE STRATEGY

### 3.0 Introduction

### 3.1 Scope of the Strategy

This chapter presents the significant features of the communication strategy with a key focus on internal and external communications, branding, digital communications (twitter, you tube, instagram, blogs) as well as media relations. It outlines communication goals, objectives, strategy areas and their respective activities. This strategy has been designed to specifically to address the following key aspects of PSC communication needs:-

- (i) Addresses the Commission's mandate and rationale for this Strategy.
- (ii) Maintain PSC reputation through PSC branding.
- (iii) Provides framework within which it will be implemented;
- (iv) Guide the development of communication plan that address specific stakeholder needs.
- (v) Outlines the key players in the implementation of communication Objectives, activities and the roles each has to play.
- (vi) Outlines a monitoring and evaluation mechanism that helps the Commission to capture and;
- (vii) Proposes cost effective means of implementing awareness, educational campaign and communication activities from 2023/24 to 2025/26.

### 3.2 Strategic Plan Objectives

Objective of the Public Service Commission Strategic Plan 2021/2022 to 2025/2026 are the following:-

	Strategic Plan Objectives	Communication Activity
A	HIV and AIDS AND Non Communicable Diseases (NCDs) Infection reduced and supporting service improved.	Awareness sessions, seminars and programmes
В	Implementation of National Ant- corruption strategy enhanced and sustained.	Awareness campaign on corruption / ethics, issues. [Educational materials: posters and leaflets]
С	Human resources management compliance in the Public Service enhanced	Media programs; disseminate guidelines on HRM compliance issues; Commissioner's visits
D	Handling of Appeals and Complaints enhanced	Awareness campaign
E	Capacity of the Commission to deliver quality services enhanced	IEC materials to raise the profile of the Commission
X	Management of environment and ecosystems enhanced and sustained	Awareness sessions, seminars and programmes on environment management issues
Y	Multi-Sectorial Nutritional Services Improved	Awareness campaign and programs

## 3.3 Main Objectives

"Improved communication for better PSC services"

# **Communication Objectives**

- a) Enhance internal stakeholder's engagements for effective service delivery of the Commission's mandate.
- b) Raise the Commission's brand profile by improving its visibility to stakeholders.
- c) Sensitize and create awareness of PSC's mandate, roles and functions to all stakeholders

### 3.4 Stakeholders and Key Messages

### a) Internal Stakeholders

All internal communications will endeavour to keep internal stakeholders (Officials and Commissioners) informed about the commission programmes and activities.

### **Key Messages**

- i) The Commission is Free of Corruption and other unethical tendencies
- Each PSC employee is important to the achievements of PSC goals and objectives
- iii) Employers to understand their obligations and employees to know their rights.
- iv) Justice should be fairly administered to both employees and employers.
- v) Sensitize public servants to work hard professionally and with high degree of integrity by providing better services to the citizens.

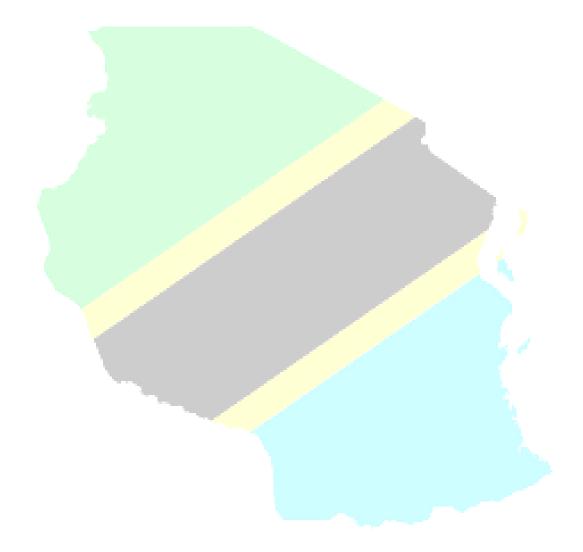
### b) External Stakeholders

External stakeholders [the President, Parliament, MDAs, RSs, LGAs and Public Institutions] need to be informed about the activities – showcase the work and success stories of the Commission.

### **Key messages**

- i) Enforcement of adherence to Public Service Act, HR rules, Regulations and Procedures by Public Service Employers and Employees.
- ii) Remind Public Servants to avoid some unacceptable behaviour including unethical conduct which manifests itself through corrupt practices, theft, rude behaviour, moonlight, alcoholism, red tapism and insubordination.

**iii)** Remind employers, disciplinary authorities and employees to avoid all forms of victimization, intimidation, harassment of the public servants and need to apply corrective approach act prior to sanctioning approach where necessary.



# CHAPTER FOUR IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

### 4.0 Introduction

During the implementation of the communication strategy, all the components of the communication strategy will go into process. At this point, management becomes extremely important. All aspects of the strategy must be correctly timed and coordinated for the programme to run smoothly, for the reason that a successful implementation of communication strategy needs leadership, clearly defined roles and responsibilities, close coordination and teamwork between all the participants, and adherence to a timeline and budget.

The Commission will communicate with its stakeholders along the following hierarchy:-

### i) The Chairperson

The Chairperson of the Commission will be the spokesperson regarding important decisions made by the Commission. It is advisable that an official joint press conference between the commission and management will be arranged to report to the public on important decisions that have been made. This can be done during Commissioner's visits and any other time when the Commission deems necessary to communicate with its stakeholders.

### ii) The Secretary

The Secretary is the chief spokesperson and responsible for communicating all issues of management and operations of PSC in general. The Secretary will be responsible for communicating information to and from PSC stakeholders. This also includes providing clarification on some emerging issues.

### iii) Head of Departments / Units

Head of departments are responsible to communicate information on issues of progress and achievements in their areas of expertise but with consultations with the Secretary as it may be appropriate.

### iv) Head of Government Communication Unit

The Head of Government Communication Unit shall respond to media inquiries or speak to media after seeking approval from the Secretary. He or She will serve as a delegated spokesperson.

### v) Strategic support communication team

The Government Communication Unit will be supported by communication team from PSC Departments and Units which will help in processing information, designing key messages, developing annual communication agenda and assist in running some official communication programme such as scripts writing, draft annual department / unit communication schedules, article writing and organising communication events.

## 4.1 Implementation Plan and Budget

The implementation of this communication strategy will require commitment plan that follow the strategic areas and activities of this communication strategy. (See Appendix: - 1)

### **CHAPTER FIVE**

### **Communication Monitoring and Evaluation**

### 5.1 Monitoring and Evaluation

Monitoring of the implementation of this communication strategy will involve setting of indicators that will be used to track the progress of the implementation of the strategy.

The Unit responsible for Communication has the central role to coordinate the implementation of the strategy. The Unit shall;

- Develop appropriate strategies for monitoring and evaluation of the communication strategy.
- ii) Set indicators basing on the areas of intervention stipulated in the strategy and communicate to all levels.
- iii) Carry out annual evaluation on the implementation of the strategy, and
- iv) Define the short-term, mid-term and long term interventions based on the outcome of the evaluation reports.

This communication strategy shall be reviewed every three years in order to enhance uniformity with the commissions' and national standard.

Appendix 1: Communication Strategy Matrix

Activities		Responsible
7,0		Person
i) Create awareness to PSC staff on Vision, Mission, values and its key commission's developments.	i)Special events ii) Meetings iii) Newsletter v) Social media vi) Email	Management Team
	staff on Vision, Mission, values and its key commission's developments.  ii) Information sharing to all PSC staff on management decisions.  iii) Conduct regular meetings at all levels for keep informed progress and consider on future plans. (Ensure all staff are up to date).  iv) Sensitize public servants to maintain high standards ethical behaviour when executing Commission's	i) Create awareness to PSC staff on Vision, Mission, values and its key commission's developments.  ii) Information sharing to all PSC staff on management decisions.  iii) Conduct regular meetings at all levels for keep informed progress and consider on future plans. (Ensure all staff are up to date).  iv) Sensitize public servants to maintain high standards ethical behaviour when executing Commission's functions.  ii) Special events  iii) Meetings  iii) Newsletter  v) Social media  vii) Email  viii) Notice board  viii) Screen  displaying  photos of various events  - reception  and  conference  rooms  ix) Circulars  x) Internal  Memos and

Objectives Activities		Channels	Responsible Person
To Raise the Commission's brand profile by improving its visibility to stakeholders.	i) PSC branded materials to raise the profile of the Commission's image. [IEC materials-calendars, posters, brochures, fliers], car branding, dressing codes etc.	i) Publicize annual progress reports.  ii) Corporate Social Responsibi lity: Tree	Commissione r's and Management Team
	ii) Publicity campaigns to contribute in building positive image and reputation of PSC.  iii) PSC Awards ceremony to recognize high performing public service employees contributing towards a high performing public service, demonstrate high levels of excellence in carrying out their responsibilities.  iv) Office branding.  v) Design and distribute Souvenirs.	planting, Chimwaga Runs- Marathon and Tume Day events.  iii) PSC Newsletter s iv) Re- designing of PSC website.  v) Online- digital platforms	
To Sensitize and create awareness of PSC's mandate, roles and functions to all stakeholders.	<ul> <li>i) Illustrates the Vision, Mission, Roles and functions of PSC.</li> <li>ii) Sensitize public servants on their rights, responsibilities, code of conduct and ethics. Sensitize Employers, Appointing Authorities, Disciplinary Authorities and Employees on compliance with issued Guidelines.</li> <li>iii) Engage in dialogue with the public through media on issues concerning the</li> </ul>	i) Press conference ii) Media training, educate the media on PSC's programmes and mandate. iii) Success stories, factsheets, FAQs and press releases. iv) Press	Minister, Deputy Minister, Permanent Secretary and Deputy Secretary (PO PSM GG)  PSC's Commissione rs and Management Team

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Commission.	briefings and media interviews.
	v) Website
	vi) Social media: twitter, blogs and Instagram.
	vii) Media: Television, radio and community radio.
	viii) Publication
	ix) Executives and Media visits
	x) Documentarie
	s
	xi) Mobile
	applications
	xii) Newsletter
	xiii) Online
	video
	xiv) Toll free
	helpline
	xv)Folk media - drama, arts, music and
	songs.
	xvi) Establish strong media relations.
	xvii) Special features to highlight indepth
	coverage of

	PSC progress.	

**Appendix 2: Monitoring and Evaluation Matrix** 

Objectives		Outcome	KPA's	Eroguency	Output
Objectives	Impact	Outcome	NPA 5	Frequency	Output
To enhance Internal stakeholder'	Effective Service	Increase Knowledge	Level of engagement		
s engagement for effective service	delivery		Level of knowledge and awareness of PSC mandate and functions	Every 3 Years	Report
delivery of the		Improved coordination	Level of participations	Quarterly	Report
Commission' s mandate and		Increased knowledge	Level of knowledge and awareness among PSC staff	Annual	Report
functions.		Improved capacity to implement Commission's activities	Level of skills	Annual	Report
To raise the Commission's brand profile by improving its visibility to stakeholders.	Commissio n's brand	Improved knowledge and visibility	i) Number of branded items ii) Number of social media posts iii) Level of knowledge, awareness and perception of the Commission	i) Medi a relati ons ii) Medi a cover age iii) Repo rts in place iv) Medi a Engagemen ts	Report
Objectives	Impact	Outcome	KPA's	Frequency	Output
To Sensitize and create awareness of PSC's mandate, roles and functions to	i) Stak ehold er's drive n Com	i) Improved knowledg e in the Commiss ion's	i) Number of IEC materials distributed ii) Number of activities conducted iii) Number of		

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