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Project for Development of the Construction Equipment Operator Training Centre

ACHIEVEMENTS

- UNIDO shared the revised scoping document for the Komatsu GD663A-2 motor grader eLearning modules with Komatsu Nairobi and the Ministry of Work and Transport (MoWT) for a final round of feedback. The vendor shared access to the finalized eLearning modules online with UNIDO.
- The UNIDO Project Coordinator met with the Coordinator for Economic Cooperation at the Embassy of Japan for an update on the project's progress on October 23.
- The UNIDO Project Coordinator met with the Permanent Secretary (PS) of MoWT, the Chief Mechanical Engineer, and the MoWT Project Manager on October 30 to discuss the delays regarding the land handover, office space, and the Terms of Use (ToU) for the simulator. The PS promised that the missing payment to the vendor of the land will be effected as soon as possible so that the preparation works for construction may commence on November 9. The PS furthermore promised UNIDO that the office space for the project as well as the ToU will be ready by November 6.
- The Administrative and Financial Assistant position has been filled. A
 candidate signed the contract with UNIDO, and will commence
 working on November 9.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES IN NOVEMBER 2020

- MoWT will authorize UNIDO to commence the construction preparation works by November 9. UNIDO will inform the vendors to start the topographic survey for seven days, to be followed by the geotechnical analysis and report within thirty days, including a laboratory test.
- UNIDO will share access to the finalized Komatsu GD663A-2 motor grader eLearning modules with the project partners for feedback, and prepare the rollout of the eLearning in the districts together with MoWT.
- o MoWT will hand over an office at the MoWT premises to UNIDO.
- MoWT will sign the ToU for the Komatsu WA250-5 wheel loader simulator from Komatsu/Immersive Technologies to enable the vendor to ship the item.
- UNIDO will decide on a date for the next Project Steering Committee together with the project partners, and send out a save the date.



In line with the communications strategy, the project vehicle now features stickers "From the People of Japan" © UNIDO



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eLearning modules for the Komatsu GD663A-2 motor grader launched for testing @ UNIDO



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