

1. This approval shall be valid for **12 months** from the date of issuance and shall not be transferable.
2. This approval is for accessing **not more than 26 blood samples (a sample in 50ml tube) and 53 feather samples of African Tinkerbirds** from Arabuko-Sokoke, Shimba Hills, Diani, Watamu, Malindi and Mrima Hills.
3. The access of the genetic resources and its derivatives shall be strictly for examining patterns of phenotypic variations and their effect on the extent of range overlap and magnitude of character displacement in African Tinkerbirds (in genus *Pogoniulus*).
4. The genetic resource and its derivatives shall not be transferred to a third party without the consent from the genetic resource providers and NEMA.
5. The genetic resource and the derivative shall not be used for commercial or profit purpose without understanding from genetic resource providers and NEMA.
6. You shall deposit and keep records of all duplicates of the genetic resources with National Museums of Kenya and provide evidence of deposition.
7. You shall ensure that there is reasonable access by all Kenyan citizens to all genetic resources collected whether such genetic resources and intangible components are held locally or abroad.
8. Ensure that all agreements entered into with respect to access of genetic resources shall be strictly for the purposes for which they were entered into.
9. You shall abide by the provision of Material Transfer Agreement entered with providers of genetic resources.
10. You shall furnish quarterly reports to NEMA on the status of research, including all discoveries from research involving genetic resources and/or intangible components thereof.
11. You shall comply with the Improvement Orders issued by NEMA's environmental inspectors throughout the project cycle.
12. You shall provide a status report on the environmental impact on the collection of the genetic resource.
13. You shall abide by the laws of Kenya.
14. NEMA reserves the right to suspend, cancel, revoke or vary this permit in the event of a breach of the conditions stated herein or any contravention to the Environmental Management and Coordination Act, 1999 and regulations thereunder.
15. Upon the completion of the intended studies, you shall return the remaining genetic resource to Kenya and deposit with National Museums of Kenya and notify NEMA of the return.
16. Publications arising from knowledge generated from the accessed genetic material should provide the site of sample collection, include local collaborators in the authorship and should have the following acknowledgement: "Genetic resources utilized in this study were provided by the Government and people of Kenya".