

A global partnership to facilitate safe trade

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safer trade**

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PROBLEMS ADDRESSED BY STDF'S PROJECT & ITS RELEVANCE TO KENYA

Implementing ISPM 15 has a number of trade and environmental benefits, especially in the context of heat treatment as an alternative to methyl bromide for wood packaging material.

- ❖ **Trade benefits**
- ❖ **Environmental benefits**

KEY RESULTS & PROGRESS SINCE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STDF PROJECT

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- **Training more people**
- **Helping them understand the standard and its requirements**
- **Establishment new facilities**

PROGRESS

In Kenya, the number of heat treatment operators increased from 10 to 26, reflecting the project's ongoing influence on industry practices.

ROLE OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR & PROGRESS

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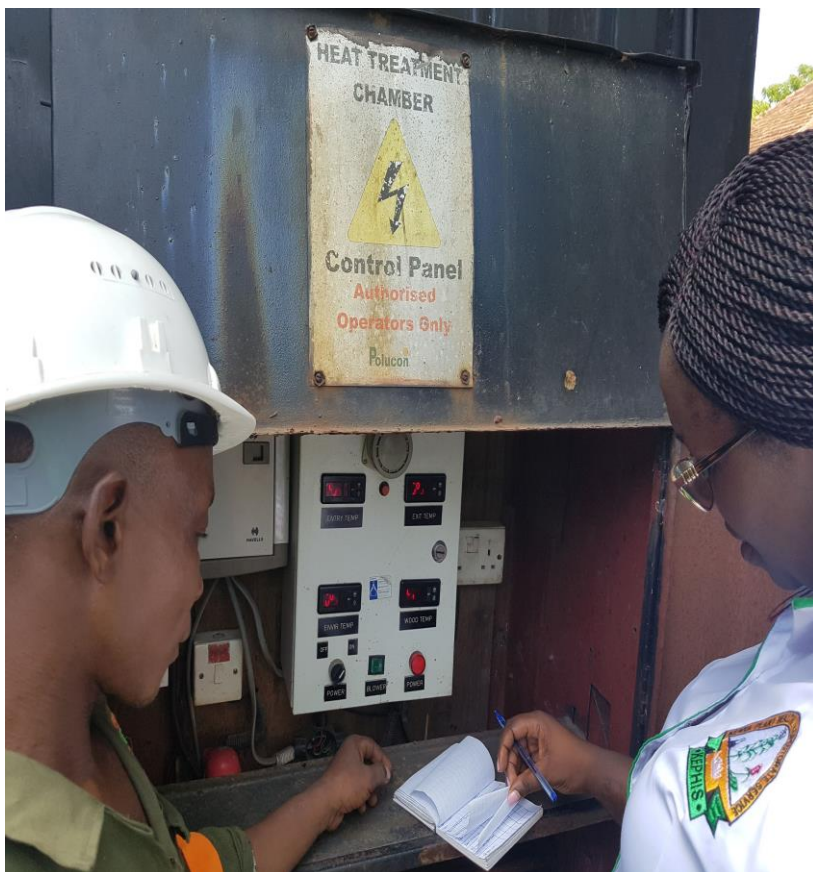
- Operators of the heat treatment plants
- Financing the business of wood treatment
- Creating employment
- Corporate social responsibilities

PROGRESS MADE

- Increased no. of operators
- Fewer non-compliances
- Increased safe International trade
- Improved International collaboration



KEY LESSONS



- **Importance of collaboration among stakeholders**
- **Continuous training and capacity building for all stakeholders**
- **Sustainable impact on environment and trade.**
- **Regional and International collaboration**