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**DE-SNARING REPORT  
AUGUST 2012**

**ZIWANI TEAM**



## Ziwani Team

### De-Snaring Report for August, 2012

#### Participants

Samwel	Odero
Peterson	Kihara
Dennis	Lemerwas
Paul	Kamau
Peter	Kariuki
Oscar	Odero
Noah	Lesimirdana
Lemanten	Labarakwe

#### Areas Patrolled

Mbulia  
Bachuma  
Gazi  
Irima  
Kaluku DSWT Field H  
Kishushe Ranch  
Lion Hill  
Aruba  
Manyani  
Ziwani  
Mudanda Rock  
Ndi  
Ngutuni  
Sagalla Ranch  
Taita Hills Sanctuary  
Wamata  
Ziwa ya Police  
Manyanga

#### Arrests

0 Arrest(s) this month



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#### Illegal Activities - Number, Type and Description

Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentage	Scale	Arrests
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Voi	7.14%		No
Logging , Charcoal Kiln	1	Ngutuni	50.00%		No
Logging , Charcoal Kiln	1	Taita Hills	50.00%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	2	Irima	14.29%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Manyani	7.14%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Ngutuni	7.14%		No
, Fresh Tracks	1	Ngutuni	100.00%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Taita Sanctuary	7.14%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Manyani	11.11%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Medium Game	4	Irima	23.53%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Medium Game	3	Ndii	17.65%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Medium Game	2	Ngutuni	11.76%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Medium Game	2	Taita Hills	11.76%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Medium Game	1	Voi	5.88%		No



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Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentage	Scale	Arrests
Poaching , Snaring - Medium Game	1	Voi River	5.88%		No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	4	Taita Hills	28.57%		No

\* 'Percentage' indicates the overall percentage occurrence (encountered by all de-snaring teams) of that particular illegal activity during the selected month.



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#### Snares Collected

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated
Medium Wire	Small	Line	3
Medium Wire	Medium	Scattered	15
Medium Wire	Medium	Line	2
Medium Wire	Medium	Cluster	32
Medium Wire	Large	Scattered	2
Medium Wire	Large	Line	0
Cable	Large	Scattered	10
Cable	Large	Line	3
Cable	Large	Cluster	48

<b>Total Snares Collected:</b>	<b>115</b>
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#### Monthly Summary

Due to the fact that many of the DSWT anti-poaching staff are at Manyani for field training, the Ziwani and Burra teams have been combined into one and operate in both areas. Therefore the team relocated from Ziwani base to Burra's base where major operations took place mainly at Ndii, Manyani, Ngutuni, Irima and along the Voi river. During its operations the team lifted more than 50 snares targeting both small and big game.

On the 16th of this month the team together with a representative a donor NGO which assists the DSWT with funding for its projects went on patrolling the Taita Hills Sanctuary where 18 cable snare targeting big game were lifted on that day. The team went on with its operation at the Sanctuary for 3 days and more than 40 cables were lifted, 3 charcoal kilns destroyed and collected around 6kgs of wet game meat left behind by poachers. Findings there showed much attention is needed in this sanctuary.

On 29th the team together with the Voi keepers rescued a young elephant stuck in the mud around the Bachuma gate after a tip off from an informer. Thankfully the elephant was freed to return to the Park. To wind up the busy month of august the team visited the Mudanda rock tourist attraction in Tsavo East National Park and collected waste polythene bags and tins which had scattered all over the area.

Report by |Paul Kamau, Stand-in Leader for Ziwani & Burra team



## Ziwani Team

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#### KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Ziwani	Peter, Kariuki	6
Ziwani	Nicolas, Ireli	6
Ziwani	Momboled, Amos	1
Ziwani	Mike, Cheblimo	1
Ziwani	Mike Mike Chehline	1
Ziwani	John, Ndungu	4
Ziwani	Hillary, Kipngeno	5
Ziwani	Hassan, Sudi	7
Ziwani	Cetrick, Isiaho	4
Ziwani	Cetirck, Isiaho	1
Ziwani	Amos, Momboled	3
Ziwani	Amos, Mamboled	5



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#### KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Ziwani	Ali, Ibrahim	6
Ziwani	Ali, Hassan	1
Ziwani	,	1

<b>Total Man Days of KWS Participation:</b>	<b>52</b>
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Part of a giraffe leg at Taita Hills



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A snare used for poaching big game at Irima



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Removing cable snares used for poaching big game at Taita Hills



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Game meat hung by poachers in a tree



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Illegal grazing at Irima



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Destroying illegal charcoal kilns





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Snares collected at Taita sanctuary



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The Team rescues an elephant stuck in the mud





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The team members collect litter in the Park

# Ziwani Team August 2012

