

## **De-Snaring Report for February, 2011**

### **Participants**

Adan	Abdi
Nicodemus	Kivindyo
John	Mungai
Vincent	Mutua
Boru	Okicha

### **Areas Patrolled**

Jipe Kishushe Ranch Lualenyi Ranch Lumo Community Wild Maktau Mbuyani Murka Oza Ranch Taita Hills Sanctuary

### Arrests

0 Arrest(s) this month

### **Illegal Activities**

Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentag	e Scale	Arrests
Poaching , Snaring - Medium/Large Game	1	Murka	33.33%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Medium/Large Game	1	Maktau	33.33%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Maktau	9.09%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Lualenyi Ranch	9.09%	Subsistence	No



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Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentaç	je Scale	Arrests
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	3	Lualenyi Ranch	27.27%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	2	Kishushe	18.18%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Arrowing	1	Lake Jipe	100.00%	Commercial	No

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

### **Snares Collected**

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated
Thin Wire	Small	Line	13
Cable	Large	Scattered	112
Cable	Large	Line	28
	Total Snares	s Collected: 1	53

### **Community Work**

Target Group	Target Group Name	Activity	Location	
School	Msorongo Primary School	School Trip	Msorongo	
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#### **Monthly Summary**

08 April 2011



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During the months operations the team recovered an elephant tusk (one) near Lake Jipe which was old; no elephant carcass was seen nearby. The tusk weighed 9.3kgs and was handed over to KWS.

The Team found an elephant carcass killed by poison arrows in the Maktau area inside park with tusks missing. The Team also came across an impala carcass killed by a snare at Lualenyi ranch.

Charcoal burning and logging was prevalent at Lualenyi ranch, the Team spoke to the management of the ranch to try and find a mutual solution to this problem. A new poaching fence line was found at Lake Jipe area prepared for snares targeting animals going to the lake to quench thirst.

The Team anticipates a tough year ahead as the rains have not been sufficient and many crops have failed. The more people suffer financially and from a food supply aspect, the more they turn to illegal activities as a source of income.



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Msorongo primary at Mdada rock



Msorongo primary pupils at the Voi stokade



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### A poaching fence line near Lake Jipe



An old elephant tusk found near Lake Jipe, handed to KWS



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A snared impala at Lualenyi ranch



A team member lifting a snare



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Elephant carcass at Maktau area inside park



Livestock inside park



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Logging at Lualenyi ranch



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