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## Electronic Voter Registration in Kenya

CODE Inc. recently delivered a fully supported multi-biometric voter registration solution to the electoral authority in Kenya. The company provided the hardware, software, tools and support to register voters & issue ID cards, compile & process the data, and generate an accurate updated registry in advance of the August referendum. The EVR program was widely hailed as a success, and contributed to peaceful polling and the credibility of the results.

The CODE Inc. Digital Solution (CDS) was used to register and issue photo ID cards to nearly 1.5 million voters at 1600 locations across Kenya. Voter records were created, stored and transmitted by registrars to the national data center for multi-biometric matching and further processing.

Electoral Commission staff used the CODE Inc. adjudication module to make rulings on suspected duplicates, resulting in the publication of a clean voter registry prepared in accordance with legal and administrative requirements.

CODE Inc. provided:

- Fully customized software application
- 1600 CDS field registration kits
- Comprehensive training of trainers program
- Initialization and deployment services
- On-going product support
- N:N multi-biometric matching
- Adjudication module for ruling on suspected duplicates
- Central database management and reporting tools
- Complete project management



Expert CODE Inc. personnel were on-site for the duration of the project, working with the client to implement a solution in keeping with its needs. This close collaboration enabled the client IT team to acquire the knowledge and skills to take ownership of the solution and manage it.

CDS proved to be an efficient, accurate, and secure means of refreshing the voter registry. CODE Inc. implemented a cost-effective solution and supported it throughout. From initial needs assessment through to final publication of the electoral roll, project partners worked together to complete the project on time.

Since 1987, CODE Inc. has been a leading supplier of voter registration and election materials and services to clients worldwide. The company has proven expertise in product development, procurement, logistics, and project management for time-sensitive, mission-critical applications in almost 70 countries, predominantly in the developing world. As recently demonstrated in Kenya, CODE Inc. has the capacity and experience needed to deliver high quality voter registration solutions in support of the democratic process.