

SINOMA EAST AFRICA LTD

BUSINESS PLAN FOR

CONSTRUCTION OF INDUSTRIAL PARK

AND

WAREHOUSE FACILITIES

PLOT NO 1010/3/2 ILALA DISTRICT

BUGURUNI AREA

1.0. SUMMARY

1.1 Project Concept

This project document presents a proposal by **SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD**, a locally registered company with Certificate of Incorporation **No. 140911 Dated 1st February 2018** intending to construct industrial park for industrial premises and warehouse for cargo storage. The project promoters are confident of mobilizing financial resources through equity financing and long term loan.

The objective of this study is to assess the commercial and operational feasibility of the project undertaken by **SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD**. This study will be used as guiding tool and will be presented to TIC for obtaining certificate of incentives to facilitate smooth implementation of the project.

1.2 Location

The project will be located at Plot No. **1010/3/2** Buguruni Area, 300 Square Meter

1.3 THE SPONSORS

SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO. LTD will be sponsoring this project. The Company is jointly owned by the following shareholders.

No	Name of Subscribers	Number of Shares	Percent Shareholding
1.	Sinoma (Nanjing) International engineering Co. Ltd Plot No. 32 Linhuai Street, Nanjing City Jiangsu Province China	90,000	90
2.	Sinoma (Suzhou) Construction Co. Ltd, Block No. A No.8 of Qiaofeng Road Huaqiao Town, Kunshan City Jiangsu Province, China	10,000	10

The company is locally registered and is all owned by Chinese Companies Investors

1.4 PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND MANPOWER REQUIREMENTS

SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD. Will be under the Management Sinoma (Nanjing) International engineering Co. Ltd Plot No. 32 Linhuai Street, Nanjing City Jiangsu Province China and Sinoma (Suzhou) Construction Co. Ltd, Block No. A No.8 of Qiaofeng Road, Huaqiao Town, Kunshan City Jiangsu Province, China which have international experience Companies managing various businesses will be directly managing the

project. The Companies will be assisted by properly trained managers in areas of specialty, who will together comprise the management team. **156** staff will be directly employed.

EMPLOYMENT	FOREIGN SKILLED	LOCAL SKILLED	LOCAL UNSKILLED	TOTAL
WOMEN	4	64	20	88
MEN	10	44	14	68
TOTAL	14	108	34	156

1.5 **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Significant measures have been taken to liberalize the Tanzania economy so that to encourage private sector to take a lead as engine of economic growth; The Government of Tanzania embarked on adjustment program to give the private sector the leading role.

It is in view of the above that **SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD** came up with a proposal to construct industrial park and warehouse facilities for commercial uses. The project will involve among others acquiring necessary building materials, trucks, and pick up, the company plan to inject capital of US \$2m.

It is expected that the construction of a modern industrial park and warehouse will be completed within 3 years time and the company will apply to be exempted from paying import duty and VAT on Capital good and deemed capital good, the project will aid and contribute significantly toward the construction sector and manufacturing sector, because the ware house will be used as storage and industrial park for industrial premises as well.

1.6 **DEFINITION OF WAREHOUSE**

A warehouse is a commercial building for storage of goods, warehouse by manufacturers, importers, exporters, whole sellers, transporters, customs etc, they are usually large plain buildings in industrial areas of cities and towns, they can be equipped with loading docks to load and unload trucks, or sometimes are loaded directly from railways, airports, or seaports. They often have cranes and fork lifts for moving goods, which are usually placed on ISO standard pallets loaded into pallets racks

1.7 **TYPES OF WAREHOUSE**

Some of the most common types of warehouse storage facilities are:

- Pallet rack including selective, drive-in, drive-through, double-deep, pushback, and gravity flow
- Cantilever rack including structural and roll formed

- Automated storage and retrieval system (ASRS) including vertical carousels, vertical lift modules, horizontal carousels, robotics, mini load and compact 3D
- Industrial shelving including metal, steel, wire, and formed
- Mezzanine including structural and roll formed.

1.8 STORAGE SYSTEMS

Technological development taking place has contributed quite significantly in the development of warehouses systems in the world to day. Some warehouses are completely automated, with no workers working inside. The pallets and products are moved with a system of automated conveyors and automated storage and retrieval machines coordinated by programmable logic controllers and computer running logistics automation software. These systems are often installed in refrigerated warehouses where temperatures are kept very cold to keep the product from spoiling, and also where land is expensive, as automated storage systems can use vertical space efficiently. These high-by storage areas are often more than 10 meters high, with some over 20 meters high.

The direction and tracking of materials in the warehouse is coordinated by VMS, or Warehouse Management System, a database driven computer programme. The WMS is used by logistics personnel to improve the efficiency of the warehouse by directing put ways and maintaining accurate inventory by recording warehouse transactions.

Traditional warehouse has been declining since the last decades of the 20th century with the gradual introduction of just In Time (JIT) technique designated to improve the return on investment of a business by reducing in-process inventory. The JIT system promotes the delivery of products directly from the factory to the retail merchant or from parts manufacturers directly to a large scale factory such as an automobile assembly plant, without the use of warehouses. However, with the gradual implementation of offshore outsourcing and off shoring in about the same time period, the distance between the manufacturer and retailer (or the parts manufacturer and the industrial plant) grew considerably in many domains, necessitating at least one warehouse per country or per region in any typical supply chain for a given range of products.

Recent developments in marketing have led to the development of warehouse-style retail stores with extremely high ceilings where decorative shelving is replaced by tall heavy duty industrial racks, with the items ready for sale being placed in the bottom parts of the racks and

the crated or palletized and wrapped inventory items being usually placed in the top parts. In this way the same building is used both as a retail and warehouse.

Modern warehouses are also used at large by exporters/ manufacturers as a point of developing retail outlets in particular region or country. This concept reduces the end cost of the product to the consumer and thus enhances the production sale ratio. Warehousing is an age old concept which can be used as sharp tool by original manufacturers to reach out directly to consumers leaving aside or bypassing importers or any other agencies or person

2.0 PROJECT'S INVESTMENT COST

The estimated capital investment cost of the project is US \$**1,775,500** out of which US \$1,635,000 will be fixed investment costs. Pre-production expenditures have been budgeted at US \$20,500; other cost will be \$50,000, while working capital is put at \$70,000.

SCHIDULE 2.0: SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD COST STRUCTURE

PARTICULAR	US\$
Land and Buildings	1,280,000.00
Machinery & Equipment	250,000.00
Motor Vehicles	100,000.00
Furniture & Fittings	5,000.00
Pre exp	20,500.00
Others	50,000.00
Working Capital	70,000.00
TOTAL	1,775,500.00

For the project to be a reality a total investment amounting to US \$1,775,500 is needed

- (i) **Land and Building: Us \$1,280,0,000**
SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD has opted for construction of industrial park and warehouse in Ilala District that estimated to cost US \$1,280,000 once the al project is fully completed.

(ii) Machinery and Equipment: US\$ 250,000

Some US \$250,000 is anticipated to be spent on the purchase of various warehouse tools, equipment, fork lift, standby generator etc which will accommodate new technology.

(iii) Motor Vehicles:US\$100,000

The project will need 2 heavy trucks, 2 light tucks and 1double cabin pick. These vehicles will be used in transportation of cargo to warehouse and double cabin pick up for administrative purposes.

(iv) Office Furniture : US \$5,000

This investment cost item has been estimated to cost US \$5,000. It will consist of office tables, chairs, telephone, fax, machines, file cabinets, sofa chairs etc.

(v) Pre-Operational Expenses: US\$ 50,000

They cover things like company registration, expenses spent in exploring the viability of the project, especially the market/client identification exercise. This Pre-operational coast item also covers the architectural designs of project buildings and other engineering services. Also included under this item are issues like consultancy fees, legal fees and recruitment and training costs of personnel.

(vi) Initial Working Capital: US\$70,000

Calculations as will as assumptions for working capital requirements, it is estimated that it will cost US \$ 70,000.

3.0 FINANCING PATTERN

The project will be financed by equity by 80%; constituting US\$ 1,420,400 and loan 20% being US \$ 355,100

4.0 PROJECT OPERATING COSTS

In order to realize its intended objective the project will have to meet the following operating costs. **Annex 1**

5.0 ASPECTS OF PROJECT SUSTAINABILITY

The project sponsors having studied market conditions and the infrastructure in Tanzania are convinced that the project will be able to operate undisturbed. The growing demand for quality industrial park and warehouses due to growth of manufacturing and transportation sectors gives them assurance of a steady market. The peace and tranquility that exist in Tanzania is another aspect of assured business sustainability.

6.0 MONITORING AND EVALUATION

The monitoring and evaluation tools will be applied in running this project as well, the project sponsors are determined to cooperate fully with the government and other stakeholders for smooth business running.

7.0 FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

7.1. Considerations and Assumptions:

The corporate tax charged is 30% of the profits. Capital investment allowance is 50%. The capital assets are exempted from custom duty and Value Added Tax. The straight line method to depreciate the project's capital items has been applied.

It is assumed that the major building raw material will be procured from local market and other will be imported. Revenues have been conservatively estimated based on experience of the promoters and trends in the manufacturing industry.

7.2 Financial Statements:

7.3 Projected Warehouse Revenue

For projection purposes, it is assumed that the economic life of the project is five years, and that revenue from warehouse commence from the first year of operation.

7.4 **Projected Profit and Loss Statement**

The Income and Expenditure Statement shows the projected income for the 5 years period. The position depicted is that the project earns profit throughout its life. After tax profits grow from. US \$ **420,687** in first year to US \$ **797,930** in the 5 year

7.5 **Projected Cash Flows**

This is shown in the financial statements. The project has a positive end of year cash flow from year1, i.e. e US\$ **420,840** of operation to the 5th year i.e. US \$ **2,618,203**

7.5 **Projected Balance Sheet**

The projected Balance Sheet of the projected is shown in the financial statements under same heading. Net worth of the project increases from US\$**1,775,500** in the first year of operation to US \$**3,859,703** in the 5th year.

7.6 **Projected payback period**

Total investment is US \$ **1,775,500**, cash accumulation in year 3 is US\$. **1,835,861** which are more than the initial investment costs by US\$ **60361**, the project payback Period is almost 3 years.

The project has a relatively short payback period. It is remarkably impressing for a project whose investment is as big as US\$ **1,775,500** being recovered in 3 years as shown below:

7.7 **Projected loan repayments**

The loan borrowed from financial institution is expected to be fully paid within 4 years,

7.8 **Projected fixed schedule**

The projected fixed schedule is shown in the schedule under same heading as shown below:

Projected Risks

This is a real estate investment; no major risks have been identified for this kind of project so far. Unless a change in the country's political and

economic stability occurs the project is more likely to prosper very fast for a very long period.

8.0 ECONOMIC ASPECTS

Implementation of this project will have the following social and economic values

- The project will provide high quality industrial park and warehousing storage facilities with state of the art and company office to meet international standards required by the company and targeted clients
- The project is an ideal option for utilization of the recently acquired prime site in Buguruni and reducing congestion of industrial park in Dar es Salaam.
- The project will involve transfer of technology in warehousing and industrial park.
- The project will create direct employment for 156 people on permanent contract basis as well as on temporary basis.
- It will create more business opportunities to local transporters, which will also have a trickledown effect in the environmental issues.
- It will generate substantial revenue to the government in the form of corporate tax, value added tax and pay as you earn.

9.0 IMPLEMENTATION

Project implementation is expected to be relatively very short once project has been approved it is estimated that once transfer of property is completed, the company will start immediately to implement the project

S/N	ACTIVITY	PERIOD
1	Processing TIC Certificate of Incentive	March 2020
2	Change of land ownership	March-April -2020
3	Contractor Procurement	August-October2020
3	Site preparation and building permit approval	November 2020
4	Construction of industrial park and warehouse	December 2020-March 2023
5	Equipping warehouse	March 2020-June 2024
6	Commercial operations	August 2021

10.0 CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The project is technically feasible, financially viable, and economically sound, provided the sponsors will manage it efficiently.

It is recommended that the project be approved by Tanzania Investment Centre and be granted the TIC Certificate of Incentives with its associated privileges and benefits as provided for under the Tanzania Investment Act, 1997.

SINOMA FINANCIAL STATEMENT

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SCHEDULE 4.0: OPERATING COSTS (US\$)

Annex 1

YEAR	1	2	3	4	5
Salaries and Wages	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00	100,000.00
Vehicle running expenses	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
Electricity	300,000.00	300,000.00	300,000.00	300,000.00	300,000.00
Water	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Insurance	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Maintenance (Furniture)	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Maintenance (Machinery)	50,000.00	70,000.00	90,000.00	100,000.00	120,000.00
Maintenance (Building)	100,000.00	150,000.00	160,000.00	170,000.00	180,000.00
Loan interest	31,959.00	31,959.00	31,959.00	31,959.00	
Administrative overheads	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Marketing cost	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
TOTAL	635,259.00	705,259.00	735,259.00	755,259.00	753,300.00

REVENUE SCHEDULE

Annex 2

	US \$	1	US\$	2	US\$	3	US\$	4	US\$	5
Sales										
Revenue		1,375,000.00		1,550,000.00		1,732,000.00		1,921,280.00		1,118,131.00

SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD PROJECTED INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT Annex 3

	US \$	1	US\$	2	US\$	3	US\$	4	US\$	5
Sales Revenue	1,375,000.00		1,550,000.00		1,732,000.00		1,921,280.00		2,000,000.00	
less Operating Expenses:	635,259.00		705,259.00		735,259.00		755,259.00		753,300.00	
PROFIT BEFORE INTEREST AND DEPRECIATION	739,741.00		844,741.00		996,741.00		1,166,021.00		1,246,700.00	
Depreciation	106,800.00		106,800.00		106,800.00		106,800.00		106,800.00	
Interest	31,959.00		31,959.00		31,959.00		31,959.00		-	
SUBTOTAL PROFIT BEFORE TAX	138,759.00		138,759.00		138,759.00		138,759.00		106,800.00	
TAX (30%)	180,294.60		211,794.60		257,394.60		308,178.60		341,970.00	
PROFIT AFTER TAX ACCUMULATED PROFIT	420,687.40		494,187.40		600,587.40		719,083.40		797,930.00	
	420,840.00		915,027.40		1,515,614.80		2,234,698.20		3,032,628.20	

SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD. PROJECTED BALANCE SHEET "US\$" Annex 5

Fixed Assets	0	1	2	3	4	5
Opening balance	-	1,635,000.00	1,528,200.00	1,421,400.00	1,314,600.00	1,207,800.00
Additions	1,635,000.00	0	0	0	0	0
Total Long-term Assets	1,635,000.00	1,635,000.00	1,528,200.00	1,421,400.00	1,314,600.00	1,207,800.00
Less depreciation	-	106,800.00	106,800.00	106,800.00	106,800.00	106,800.00
Closing balance	1,635,000.00	1,528,200.00	1,421,400.00	1,314,600.00	1,207,800.00	1,101,000.00
Debtors	-	17,872.00	18,500.00	20,000.00	22,000.00	24,000.00
Working capital	140,500.00	140,500.00	140,500.00	140,500.00	140,500.00	140,500.00
Accumulated cash	-	420,840.00	857,164.00	1,308,581.00	1,892,494.00	2,618,203.00
Total assets	1,775,500.00	2,107,412.00	2,437,564.00	2,783,681.00	3,262,794.00	3,883,703.00
Financed by Equity	1,420,400.00	1,420,400.00	1,420,400.00	1,420,400.00	1,420,400.00	1,420,400.00
Profit	-	420,687.00	494,187.00	600,587.00	719,083.00	797,930.00
Total equity	1,420,400.00	1,841,087.00	1,914,587.00	2,020,987.00	2,139,483.00	2,218,330.00
Long term loan	355,100.00	266,325.00	177,550.00	88,775.00	-	-
Creditors	-	-	326,927.00	653,919.00	1,101,311.00	1,641,373.00
Total debts	355,100.00	266,325.00	504,477.00	742,694.00	1,101,311.00	1,641,373.00
Total equity and debts	1,775,500.00	2,107,412.00	2,419,064.00	2,763,681.00	3,240,794.00	3,859,703.00

PAYBACK PERIOD**Annex 6**

Initial Fixed Investment and Working capital = USD 1,775,500 From above table, payback period is within 3 years

Year	Profit After Tax	Depreciation	Total Cash Flow	Accumulative Cash Flow
1	420,687.00	106,800.00	527,487.00	527,487.00
2	494,187.00	106,800.00	600,987.00	1,128,474.00
3	600,587.00	106,800.00	707,387.00	1,835,861.00
4	719,083.00	106,800.00	825,883.00	2,661,744.00
5	797,930.00	106,800.00	904,730.00	3,566,474.00

PROJECTED LONG TERM LOAN REPAYMENT

Annex 7

Year	Principle	Loan Interest (9%)	Repayments US\$	
			Total Amount Paid	Loan Balance
0				355,100
1	88,775	31,959	120,734	266,325
2	88,775	31,959	120,734	177,550
3	88,775	31,959	120,734	88,775
4	88,775	31,959	120,734	0
TOTAL	355,100	127,836	482,936	

SINOMA EAST AFRICA CO.LTD, FIXED ASSETS SCHEDULE Annex 8

NAME OF ASSETS	2021 USD	2022 USD	2023 USD	2024 USD	2025 USD
Land And Buildings	1,280,000	1,228,800	1,177,600	1,126,400	1,075,200
Machinery, Tools & Equipment	250,000	220,000	190,000	160,000	130,000
Motor Vehicles	100,000	75,000	50,000	25,000	0
Furniture & Fixtures	5,000	4,400	3,800	3,200	2,600
Total	1,635,000	1,528,200	1,421,400	1,314,600	1,207,800
DEPRECIATION	2021 USD	2022 USD	2023 USD	2024 USD	2025USD
Land and buildings	51,200	51,200	51,200	51,200	51,200
Machinery tools & Equipment	30,000	30,000	30,000	30,000	30,000
Motor Vehicles	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000	25,000
Furniture & Fixtures	600	600	600	600	600
ANNUAL DEPRECIATION	106,800	106,800	106,800	106,800	106,800
CLOSING FIXED ASSETS	1,528,200	1,421,400	1,314,600	1,207,800	1,101,000