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#### **WATER HYACINTH MENACE**

The water hyacinth which has covered Winam Gulf of Lake Victoria has reached its old stage and now it is rotting and sinking. This is adversely affecting the raw water quality at our abstraction point at Dunga. The company has enhanced the treatment process at the plant to counter these negative effects. This has necessitated reduced production at our Dunga Treatment plant which may lead to some areas receiving supply at low pressures than usual. However, we have increased production from Kajulu Treatment plant to cater for the shortfall.

The areas likely to be affected are Nyalenda, Milimani, Central Business District, Kaloleni, Patel Flats & Industrial Area.

We wish to assure our esteemed customers in the affected areas that the water quality is not compromised. We continue to urge our customers to promptly report cases where water may be discolored, for us to take necessary corrective measures.

We will keep updating you on the progress.

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