

MwAPATA's Contribution to Agriculture Policy Research Exhibited at the Launch of MoA Policies



Minister of Agriculture Hon. Sam Kawale (2nd from right) touring the MwAPATA Pavilion (left). Minister of Agriculture Hon. Sam Kawale making his remarks during the launch of the new policies (right).

As one of the key partners for the Ministry of Agriculture (MoA), the MwAPATA Institute participated in the MoA's Launch of three policies, namely the National Agriculture Policy (NAP), the Agriculture Land Resources Management Policy and the National Irrigation Policy. The three policies were launched by the Minister of Agriculture Hon. Sam Dalitso Kawale on 4th December 2024 at the Bingu International Convention Centre (BICC) in Lilongwe.

As an Agriculture Policy Think Tank in Malawi, the MwAPATA Institute also pitched on its research's contribution to the three launched agriculture policies. This was done during the Minister's touring of pavilions at the event as MwAPATA was one of the MoA's partners that exhibited their work in line with the new policies.

The Executive Director Mr. William Chadza welcomed the Minister at the MwAPATA's exhibition booth where the Research Analyst Mr. Bonface Nankwenya pitched on the institutes research processes and specific studies informed policy recommendations to the MoA. The Minister urged MwAPATA to continue supporting MoA with evidence-based policy recommendations to inform decision-making even during the implementation of the launched policies.