## **52. NATIONAL BUSHRYE GRASS VARIETY LIST**

## Species: Enteropogon macrostachyus

Variety	Release	Year of	Owner(s)	Maintaine	Areas of	Maturity	Yield(t/	Special attributes
name	name	release	licensee	r and	production	duration	ha)	
				source				
1. Entero pogon macros tachyu s var. ENMA-KBK	ENMA- KBK	2021	KALRO	KALRO	Altitude: 20- 2400 m.a.s.l AEZ: LH 3-5, UM 3-5, LM 3- 5, CL 3-5 Sites: ASAL areas; Makueni, Narok, Kajiado, Kitui, Taita Taveta, Baringo, Nakuru, Busia, Laikipia, Machakos, Kinangop, Kilifi, Mombasa, Lamu, Kwale, Tana River, Turkana, Isiolo	3-4	1-7 t dry matter/ ha per year	<ul> <li>Drought tolerant</li> <li>Shade tolerant (Can be intercropped with fruit and timber trees such as Melia Volkensii</li> <li>Fast regrowth after harvest</li> <li>High palatability</li> <li>Prolific in seed production</li> <li>Widely adapted in the asalS</li> <li>Good for rangeland rehabilitation</li> <li>15 years of productive life</li> </ul>

