1. East Africa, your gates are now open; international for friendship and trade. We put our trust in God as we labour for or gains, investing all we have for the land. East Africa! Brothers and sisters united in the Community,

2. East Africa! An arid, seeking peace. With unity and freedom demand good governance, together we shall honour the laws that protect us; defending all the rights of the land. Children will excel as prosperity prevails, while sharing all the fruits of the land. All bound forever with a code of love. Long live the union of East Africa.